BC CONSTRUCTION STAT

SPRING 2019

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Construction's Rank as an Employer in BC's Goods Sector \$261B

Value of Proposed Construction Projects in British Columbia \$114B

Value of Current Construction Projects in British Columbia 8.7%

BC Construction Industry Contribution to BC's GDP

5-YEAR TREND

WORKFORCE TRENDS

25,432



Number of construction companies in BC (92% have less than 20 employees)



14%

242,500



Number of employees in BC's construction sector



21%

180,300



Number of construction trades workers in BC's labour force



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\$61,202



Average yearly wage of BC construction employees (\$14.8B cumulative yearly wage)



8%

7,900



Number of construction jobs in BC that will be unfilled due to labour shortages by 2028



70%

1 IN 45



BC high school grads enter construction trades programs within 1 year of graduation



21%

95%



Percentage of the construction trades workforce in BC that is male



NEW

BC CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION PROVINCE-WIDE EMPLOYER SERVICES:







Trades Training Fund

