BC CONSTRUCTION STAT

FALL 2017

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Construction's Rank as an Employer in BC's Goods Sector \$325B

Value of Proposed Construction Projects in British Columbia 8.6%

BC Construction Industry Contribution to BC's GDP

WORKFORCE TRENDS

\$75.1B



Value of Current Construction Projects Underway in BC



11%

4 YEAR TREND

35,600



Number of Unemployed Youth in British Columbia (15-24 yrs old) (9.2% of total youth population)



20%

14,200



Number of construction jobs in BC that will be unfilled due to labour shortages by 2026



46%

23,569



Number of Construction Companies in BC (92% employ less than 20 people)



6%

225,500



Number of Employees in BC's Construction Sector



12%

\$58,500



Average yearly wage of BC construction employees (\$13.2B cumulative yearly wage)



4%

1 IN 70



BC High School Grads enter Construction Trades Programs within 1 Year of Graduation



21%

BC CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION PROVINCE-WIDE EMPLOYER SERVICES:







Trades Training Fund

