

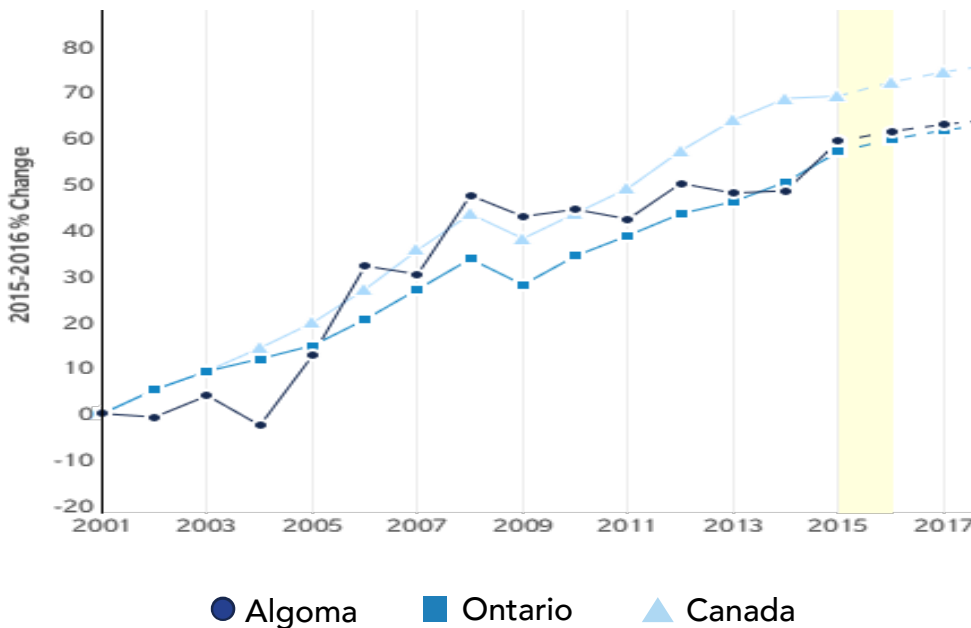
CONSTRUCTION

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Construction in Algoma

This sector comprises establishments primarily engaged in constructing, repairing and renovating buildings and engineering works, and in subdividing and developing land. These establishments may operate on their own account or under contract to other establishments or property owners. They may produce complete projects or just parts of projects. Establishments often subcontract some or all of the work involved in a project, or work together in joint ventures. Establishments may produce new construction, or undertake repairs and renovations to existing structures.

Employment Trends



SECTOR HIGHLIGHTS

#7 SECTOR FOR
EMPLOYMENT
IN ALGOMA

**6% of all jobs in Algoma
are in the Construction
sector.**

Number of jobs 2016

2,685

**CHANGE IN # OF JOBS
2015 - 2016**

↑ 1%

Number of Businesses

701

(with at least 1 employee)

Average Salary

\$48,926

REGION	2015 JOBS	2016 JOBS	CHANGE	% CHANGE 2015 - 2016	2015 AVERAGE EARNINGS
Algoma	2,649	2,685	36	1%	\$48,926
Ontario	318,826	324,335	5,509	2%	\$60,642
Canada	977,402	994,889	17,487	2%	\$63,061

Sizes of Business in the Sector

NUMBER OF BUSINESSES		NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES							
TOTAL	WITHOUT EMPLOYEES*	1-4	5-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100-199	200-499	500+
701	352	174	89	49	24	10	3	0	0

* Without employees refers to firms who do not report a payroll to Revenue Canada. For example these organizations may be owner operated or may use independent contractors to support their business endeavors.

Top Occupations in Construction

OCCUPATION	2016	%*	MEDIAN HOURLY
Transport truck drivers	564	21%	\$26.76
Electricians (except industrial and power system)	409	15%	\$28.68
Carpenters	352	13%	\$23.59
Heavy equipment operators (except crane)	337	13%	\$22.77
Construction trades helpers and labourers	336	13%	\$17.49
TOTAL	1,998	75%	

*Percent of total jobs in the industry (2016).

Fastest Growing Industry

INDUSTRIES	% CHANGE 2015 - 2016	2015 EARNINGS PER WORKER
Other specialty trade contractors	3%	\$40,355
Building equipment contractors	2%	\$62,451
Residential building construction	2%	\$53,641
Building finishing contractors	2%	\$46,380
Foundation, structure, and building exterior contracts	1%	\$33,827

CONSTRUCTION TOP 10 INDUSTRIES

BUILDING EQUIPMENT CONTRACTORS	27%
RESIDENTIAL BUILDING CONSTRUCTION	16%
BUILDING FINISHING CONTRACTORS	14%
FOUNDATION, STRUCTURE, AND BUILDING EXTERIOR CONTRACTORS	14%
OTHER SPECIALTY TRADE CONTRACTORS	13%
HIGHWAY, STREET AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION	10%
NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING CONSTRUCTION	4%
UTILITY SYSTEM CONSTRUCTION	3%
LAND SUBDIVISION	0%
OTHER HEAVY AND CIVIL ENGINEERING CONSTRUCTION	0%