

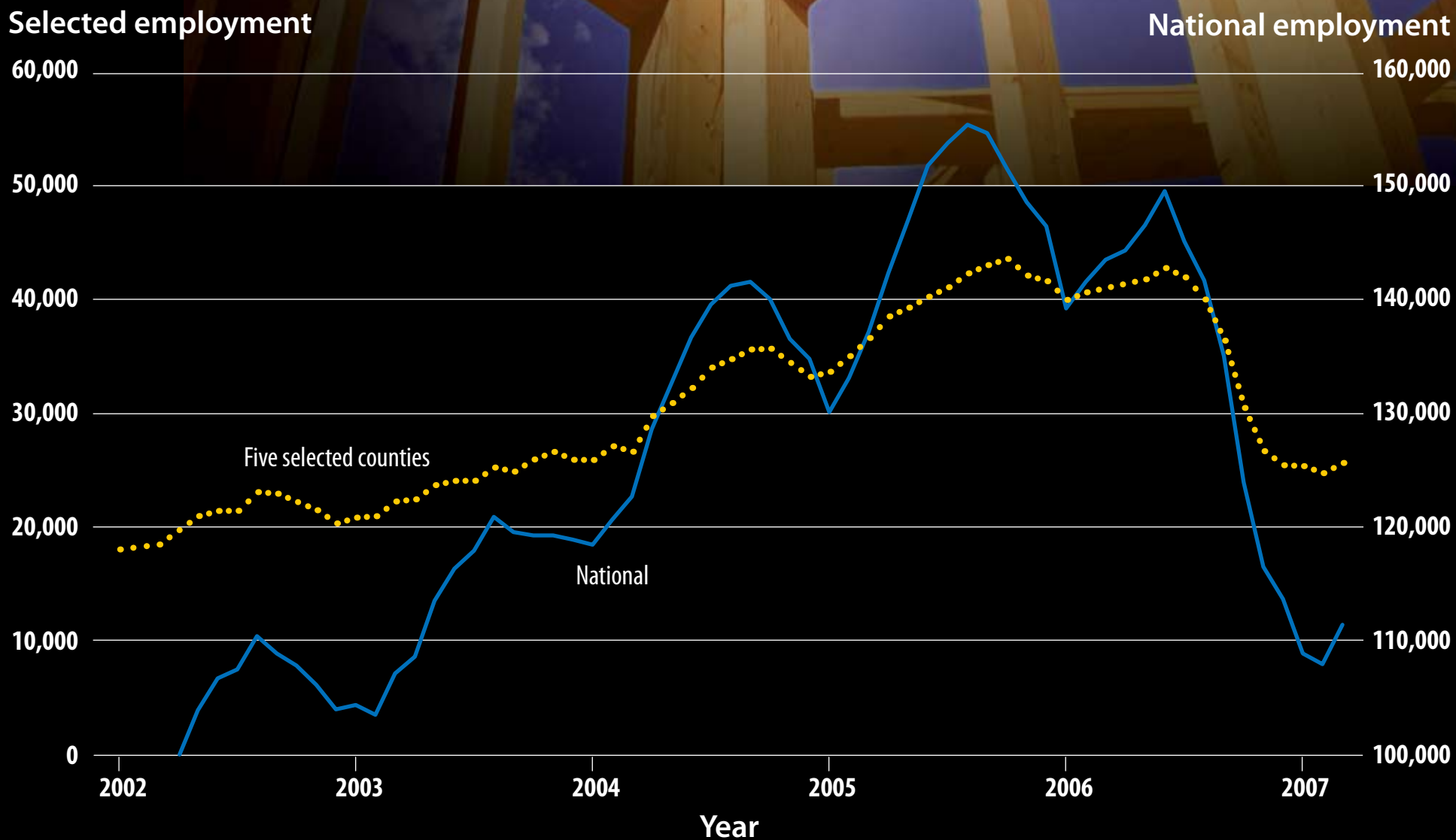
The residential framing industry is heavily affected by fluctuations in the housing market.

🔨 Nationwide, a total of 32,143 jobs were lost between March 2006 and March 2007.

Almost half of these losses were from five counties in the West and South.

🔨 Maricopa County, Ariz., Clark County, Nev., Riverside County and San Bernardino County, Calif., and Broward County, Fla., lost a total of 15,300 jobs between March 2006 and March 2007.

FIGURE 25 Residential framing contractors employment, United States and selected counties, 2002–2007



NOTE: This graphic is based on preliminary 2007 data.