



U.S. CONSTRUCTION PUT IN PLACE

(in billions of current dollars)

	2007	2008	2009	%ch 07-08	%ch 08-09
Total Construction	1,137.1	1,065.5	964.3	-6	-9
Residential	499.7	367.3	321.4	-26	-12
Nonresidential	637.4	698.2	642.9	10	-8
Lodging	28.7	35.9	28.0	25	-22
Office	64.7	71.2	58.4	10	-18
Commercial	88.8	84.4	63.3	-5	-25
Health care	42.9	45.5	46.4	6	2
Educational	96.3	103.0	95.8	7	-7
Religious	7.5	7.1	6.7	-6	-5
Public safety	9.9	12.4	11.8	25	-5
Amusement & Rec	21.7	22.8	21.0	5	-8
Transportation	32.4	35.0	32.5	8	-7
Communication	27	25.7	24.4	-5	-5
Power	53.4	69.4	76.4	30	10
Highway & street	76	79.0	75.9	4	-4
Sewer & Waste	24.7	25.4	24.2	3	-5
Water Supply	15.6	16.7	16.4	7	-2
Conservation & Dev	5.2	5.2	5.3	0	2
Manufacturing	42.6	59.6	56.7	40	-5

U.S. HOUSING STARTS & VALUE OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION

Total Housing Starts	(millions)	1.36	0.95	0.83	-30	-13
Single-unit	(millions)	1.05	0.65	0.54	-38	-17
Multi-unit	(millions)	0.31	0.30	0.29	-2	-4
Residential value		499.7	367.3	321.4	-26	-12
New Housing units		329.8	209.3	174.5	-37	-17
Single-unit		284.8	165.2	132.1	-42	-20
Multifamily		45.0	44.1	42.3	-2	-4
Home Improvement		169.9	158.0	146.9	-7	-7

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce; Values for 2007 by Bureau of Census, 2008 and 2009 estimated by International Trade Administration/MAS/OMI.