



Task Title: Construction Industry Outlook

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Learner Name: _____

Date Started: _____

Date Completed: _____

Successful Completion: Yes ☐ No ☐

Goal Path: Employment ☐ Apprenticeship ☐

Secondary School ☐ Post Secondary ☐ Independence ☐

Task Description: The learner will interpret graphs about construction outlooks in Ontario, and answer questions.

Main Competency/Task Group/Level Indicator:

- Understand and Use Numbers/Manage data/C4.2

Materials Required:

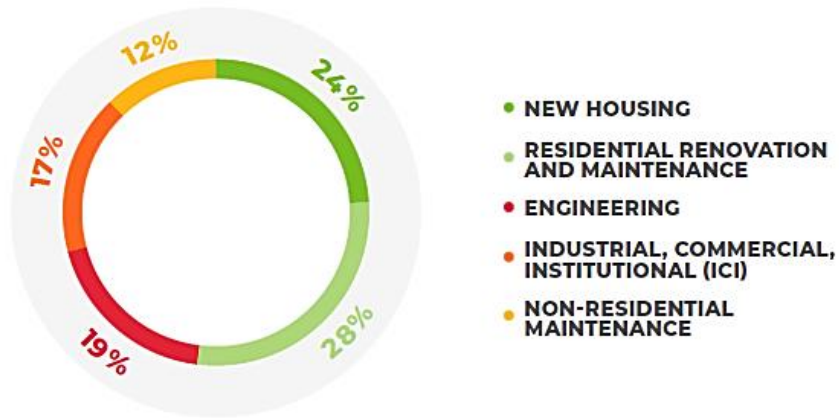
- Pen/pencil and paper and/or digital device

Learner Information

Understanding trends and anticipated changes in employment can help when researching a career.

Scan "Distribution of Construction Employment in 2024, Ontario", "Population and Age Distribution, Ontario", and "Residential Construction Growth Outlook, Greater Toronto Area".

DISTRIBUTION OF CONSTRUCTION EMPLOYMENT IN 2024, ONTARIO*



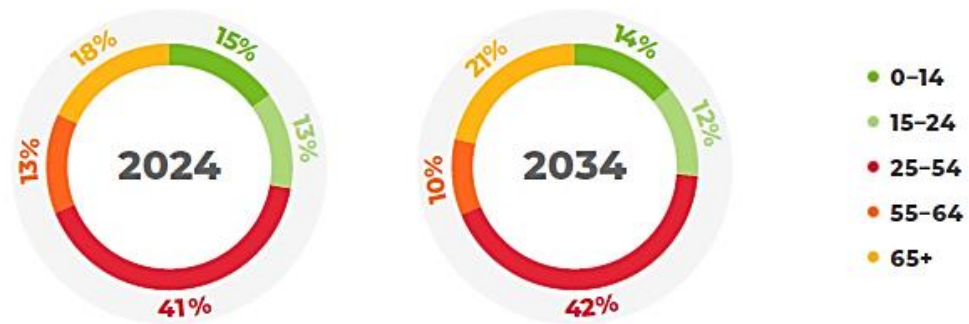
10-YEAR WORKFORCE OUTLOOK FOR ONTARIO



* Due to rounding, numbers may not add up to 100%.

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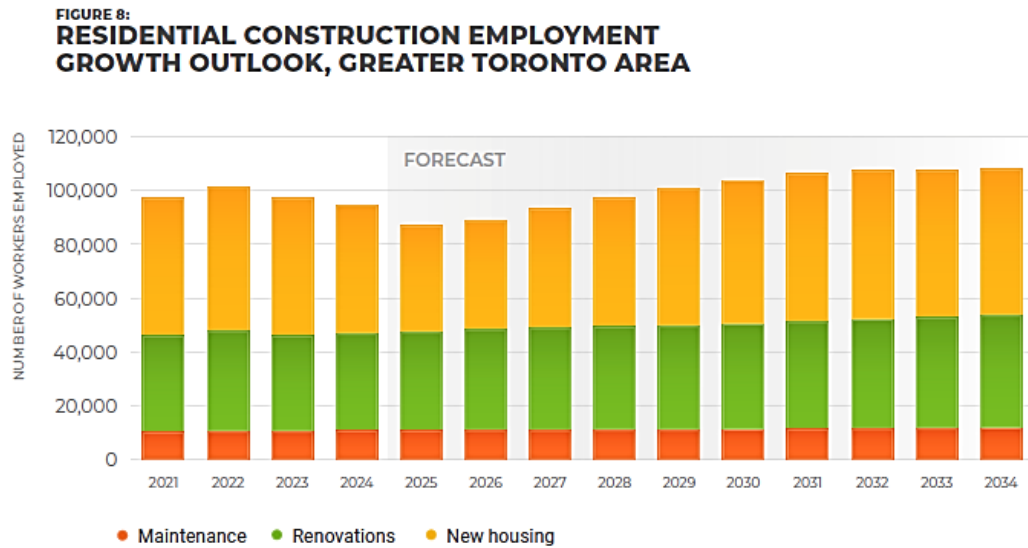
**FIGURE 1:
POPULATION AGE DISTRIBUTION, ONTARIO***



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SOURCE: BuildForce Canada

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SOURCE: Statistics Canada, BuildForce Canada (2025–2034)

Work Sheet

Task 1: Use the “Distribution of Construction Employment in 2024, Ontario” graph. What percentage of the construction workforce was employed in new housing in 2024?

Answer:

Task 2: Use the “Population and Age Distribution, Ontario” graph. Which age groups are expected to increase their share of total construction workers between 2024 and 2034?

Answer:

Task 3: Use the “Residential Construction Growth Outlook, Greater Toronto Area” graph. Is the number of workers employed in residential construction expected to increase or decrease between 2026 and 2030?

Answer:

Answers

Task 1: Use the “Distribution of Construction Employment in 2024, Ontario” graph. What percentage of the construction workforce was employed in new housing in 2024?

Answer: 24%

Task 2: Use the “Population and Age Distribution, Ontario” graph. Which age groups are expected to increase their share of total construction workers between 2024 and 2034?

Answer: 25-54 (increase of 1%); 65+ (increase of 3%).

Task 3: Use the “Residential Construction Growth Outlook, Greater Toronto Area” graph. Is the number of workers employed in residential construction expected to increase or decrease between 2026 and 2030?

Answer: Increase

Performance Descriptors

Levels	Performance Descriptors	Needs Work	Completes task with support from practitioner	Completes task independently
C4.2	interprets rates (e.g. crime rates) and ratios (e.g. shots-on-net goals)			
	recognizes patterns and begins to identify trends in data (e.g. population, crime, demographic, inventory, injury)			

This task: Was successfully completed ☐ Needs to be tried again ☐

Learner Comments:

Instructor (print):

Learner (print):
