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Projected Employment for Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers in UNITED STATES

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National	Employment		Percent Change	Projected Annual Job Openings*
	2022	2032		
United States	431,800	438,000	1%	42,600

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State	Employment		Percent Change	Projected Annual Job Openings*
	2020	2030		
Texas	48,330	59,530	+23%	6,790
California	32,000	35,500	+11%	3,890
Wisconsin	17,010	19,150	+13%	2,120
Pennsylvania	18,250	19,560	+7%	2,120
Ohio	17,610	18,990	+8%	2,060
Georgia	15,060	17,780	+18%	2,000
Florida	14,460	17,180	+19%	1,940
Indiana	16,210	17,630	+9%	1,920
Illinois	14,600	16,100	+10%	1,770
Michigan	12,900	14,170	+10%	1,550
Louisiana	11,670	13,620	+17%	1,520
West Virginia	12,070	13,650	+13%	1,510
New York	10,750	13,210	+23%	1,510
North Carolina	12,020	13,560	+13%	1,500
Oklahoma	10,340	12,500	+21%	1,420
Alabama	10,790	12,130	+12%	1,340
Missouri	10,820	12,010	+11%	1,320
Tennessee	10,180	11,740	+15%	1,310
Minnesota	9,610	10,350	+8%	1,120
Virginia	9,450	10,240	+8%	1,110

State	Employment		Percent Change	Projected Annual Job Openings*
	2020	2030		
Iowa	8,400	9,700	+16%	1,080
South Carolina	8,160	9,300	+14%	1,030
Washington	8,380	8,960	+7%	1,020
Kentucky	7,040	8,060	+15%	900
Arizona	5,980	7,560	+26%	870
Kansas	6,420	7,170	+12%	790
Mississippi	6,370	6,830	+7%	740
Oregon	5,360	6,520	+22%	680
Arkansas	5,460	6,000	+10%	660
Utah	4,290	5,600	+31%	650
Colorado	5,010	5,850	+17%	600
Nebraska	4,240	4,720	+11%	520
Idaho	3,710	4,750	+28%	500
Massachusetts	3,440	4,070	+18%	460
New Jersey	3,720	4,120	+11%	450
Maryland	3,380	3,660	+8%	400
South Dakota	2,610	3,020	+16%	340
North Dakota	2,420	2,840	+17%	320
Connecticut	2,400	2,810	+17%	310
New Mexico	2,050	2,270	+11%	250

State	Employment		Percent Change	Projected Annual Job Openings*
	2020	2030		
Wyoming	1,910	2,160	+13%	240
Montana	1,520	1,900	+25%	220
Maine	1,890	1,940	+3%	210
Rhode Island	1,480	1,760	+19%	200
Puerto Rico	1,440	1,680	+17%	190
Nevada	1,450	1,670	+15%	190
New Hampshire	990	1,070	+8%	120
Delaware	600	690	+15%	80
Hawaii	640	640	+0%	70
Alaska	560	640	+14%	70
Vermont	420	440	+5%	50
District of Columbia	140	160	+14%	20
Guam	190	190	+0%	20
Virgin Islands	160	80	-50%	00
American Samoa	No Data Available	No Data Available	No Data Available	No Data Available
Northern Mariana Islands	No Data Available	No Data Available	No Data Available	No Data Available

*Projected Annual Job Openings refers to the average annual job openings due to growth and net replacement.

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