Table 2. Average Number of Months from Start to Completion for State and Local Construction Projects

 Completed in 2007-2008, by Value and Type of Construction.

Value of Project (Thousands of dollars)	Average Number of Months per Construction Type			
	All projects *	Office	Educational	
All Values	8.9	9.2	9.6	
\$10,000 or more	25.6	28.1	23.2	
\$5,000 - \$9,999	18.3	17.7	17.6	
\$3,000 - \$4,999	15.1	14.2	14.6	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	11.1	13.4	10.2	
\$250 - \$999	6.7	7.6	6.7	
Less than \$250	4.0	4.6	3.9	
	(Millions of dollars)			
Average Value of Projects Costing \$10 Million or more	25.3	24.8	21.7	

Value of Project (Thousands of dollars)	Average Number of Months per Construction Type			
	Public safety	Amusement and recreation	Transportation	
All Values	10.2	7.9	8.2	
\$10,000 or more	24.7	22.8	27.1	
\$5,000 - \$9,999	19.5	18.5	16.3	
\$3,000 - \$4,999	15.9	14.0	11.7	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	12.2	11.1	9.8	
\$250 - \$999	8.2	7.0	6.4	
Less than \$250	4.7	4.7	3.9	
		(Millions of dollars)		
Average Value of Projects Costing \$10 Million or more	24.9	26.8	40.7	

Value of Project (Thousands of dollars)	Average Number of Months per Construction Type			
	Highway and street	Sewage and waste disposal	Water supply	
All Values	8.4	9.0	9.1	
\$10,000 or more	29.4	27.2	25.9	
\$5,000 - \$9,999	19.4	18.0	18.7	
\$3,000 - \$4,999	14.4	17.9	16.4	
\$1,000 - \$2,999	10.6	11.6	12.7	
\$250 - \$999	6.1	7.1	7.7	
Less than \$250	3.8	3.7	3.7	
		(Millions of dollars)		
Average Value of Projects Costing \$10 Million or more	27.8	24.6	24.2	

* Includes the following categories not shown separately: residential, lodging, commercial, health care, religious, communication, power, conservation and development, and manufacturing.