**Description of the US Summary Sheet by State and Market Group**

The Apparent Use of Portland Cement U.S. Summary Sheet by State and Market Group is released twice a year. Spring preliminaries are the first look at market level activity for the given year based on construction trends. The report is further refined with a fall final release as non-building data such as agriculture and oil well cement usage becomes available.

This report provides the best industry estimates for each of the 13 market classifications and the most up-to-date estimates of state total for the report year. It uses annually revised usage factors for many markets and states, and new estimates for non-contract construction. The state totals presented equal the U.S. Geological Survey total for shipments by state of destination.