

This information should be read in conjunction with the explanation of the methodology, in Chapter 4, Repair, Maintenance and Energy Efficiency Retrofit of Traditional (pre-1919) Buildings in England and Scotland 2013.

<https://historicengland.org.uk/services-skills/training-skills/heritageskills-cpd/traditional-building-skills/>

England

Table 5 Demand for traditional building craft skills – England

		2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
A	Total building market in England (£m Constant 2013 Prices)	£120,380	£122,745	£125,615	£125,365	£126,230
B	Of which England R&M Output (£m at Constant 2013 Prices)	£42,240	£42,355	£42,635	£43,230	£43,860
C	CRM theoretical total market value for building work on pre-1919 buildings (£m Constant 2013 Prices) (40%)	£16,895	£16,940	£17,055	£17,295	£17,545
D	CRM on pre-1919 buildings taking into account those not doing any pre-1919 work from the survey (£m Constant 2013 Prices) (31%)	£5,240	£5,250	£5,285	£5,360	£5,440
E	CRM on pre-1919 buildings and using traditional materials (£m Constant 2013 Prices) (56%)	£2,935	£2,940	£2,960	£3,000	£3,045
	<i>Economic data rounded to nearest £5m "CRM" abbreviated form of Conservation, Repair & Maintenance.</i>					

Table 7 Workforce demand for traditional (pre-1919) buildings - England

		2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
F	Labour Demand by Output – Workers undertaking pre-1919 building work	96,010	95,890	96,720	97,520	99,070
G	Labour demand by contractors using traditional materials	53,470	53,620	53,970	54,730	55,530
H1	Entrant workers	4,000	4,040	4,190	4,160	4,200
H2	Entrant workers with traditional skills	1,470	1,470	1,480	1,510	1,530
	<i>Workforce data rounded to nearest 10 “CRM” abbreviated form of Conservation, Repair & Maintenance</i>					

Table 9 Training requirement for the traditional building workforce – England

		2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
I	Entrant workers requiring no training (25% - CITB Employer Panel)*	1,000	1,010	1,050	1,040	1,050
J	Entrant workers requiring top-up (59% - CITB Employer Panel)*	2,360	2,390	2,470	2,450	2,480
K	Entrant workers requiring full training (13% - CITB Employer Panel)*	520	530	540	540	550
L	Existing workers requiring top up training (4% - ESS 2015)^	3,840	3,840	3,870	3,900	3,960
M	Total number requiring training	6,720	6,750	6,890	6,890	6,980
N	Top-up training requirement for contractors using only traditional materials	2,140	2,140	2,160	2,190	2,220
	<i>Workforce data rounded to nearest 10 * Informed by statistics from the CITB Employer Panel ^ Informed by statistics from the UK Employers’ Skills Survey 2015 Rows I, J and K are based on a proportional split of Row H1. Row L is derived as a proportion of Row F, and Row N is derived as a proportion Row G. Row M is the sum total of Rows J, K and L</i>					