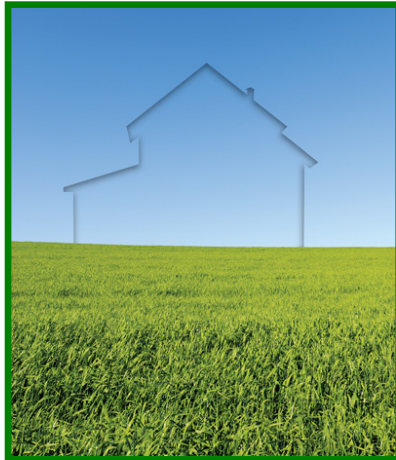


# RMeans Green Building Cost Database

Over 6,500 unit price line items for green materials and products.

The latest in green building technologies, design concepts, standards, and costs.



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- Estimate work at project sites anywhere in the U.S. or Canada.
- Resolve disputes over billings with an impartial, universally respected authority.
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Costs broken down into:

- Materials
- Labor
- Equipment
- Overhead and Profit

More than 6,500 unit cost lines completely updated and carefully prepared from the experience of 1,000's of contractors and suppliers in the 12 months just before the data is released.

Organized according to the MasterFormat04 system of classification and numbering as developed by the **Construction Specifications Institute (CSI)** and the **Construction Specifications Canada (CSC)**.



2009 Count of unit cost lines by CSI division:

CSI Division	Count	CSI Division	Count
1-General Requirements	19	13-Special Construction	128
2-Existing Conditions	50	22-Plumbing	943
3-Concrete	257	23-HVAC	805
4-Masonry	182	26-Electrical	546
5-Metals	867	28-Elect. Safety & Sec.	21
6-Wood, Plastics & Compos.	510	31-Earthwork	38
7-Thermal & Moisture Protection	603	32-Exterior Improvements	334
8-Openings	977	33-Utilities	41
9-Finishes	396	44-Pollution Control Equip.	21
10-Specialties	22	48-Electrical Power Generation	19
11-Equipment	28		
12-Furnishings	150	Total Lines	6,957