

Construction technology outlook 2017

Sage and the AGC surveyed nearly 1,300 construction professionals to identify current technology trends. Learn what's happening and why investments will increase in 2017 and beyond.

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Companies with a formal IT management plan



have a formal IT plan



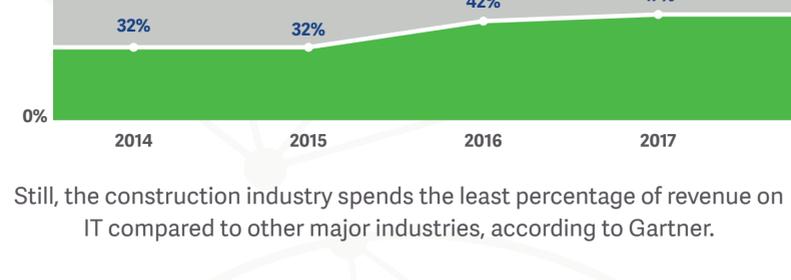
have no formal IT plan



expect to put an IT plan in place in 2017



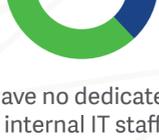
IT investment



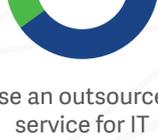
Still, the construction industry spends the least percentage of revenue on IT compared to other major industries, according to Gartner.



IT outsourcing



have no dedicated internal IT staff



use an outsourced service for IT



How contractors collaborate:

91%



Email

76%



File sharing sites

49%



Online project collaboration software

30%



BIM

How cloud and mobile technologies are reshaping the industry



use or plan to use cloud-based software

Top uses for mobile technology:

61%



Daily field reports

56%



Drawings, photos, and documents

54%



Customer and job information

46%



Scheduling

44%



Job cost and project reports

Who provides mobile devices for construction professionals?



Company-only devices



Company and employee devices

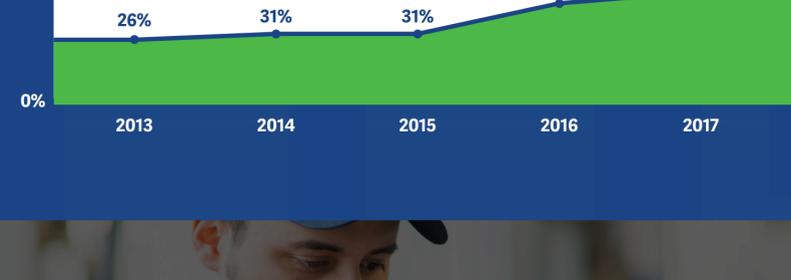


Employee-only devices

With greater mobility comes the need for tighter security:



have an overall IT security plan



Technologies such as cloud computing and mobile devices are driving the new era of construction. Firms that leverage these innovations in a strategic manner—where they deliver the biggest benefit in time and cost savings—will be poised to sprint ahead of the competition. Discover how you compare to your peers in the construction industry.

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