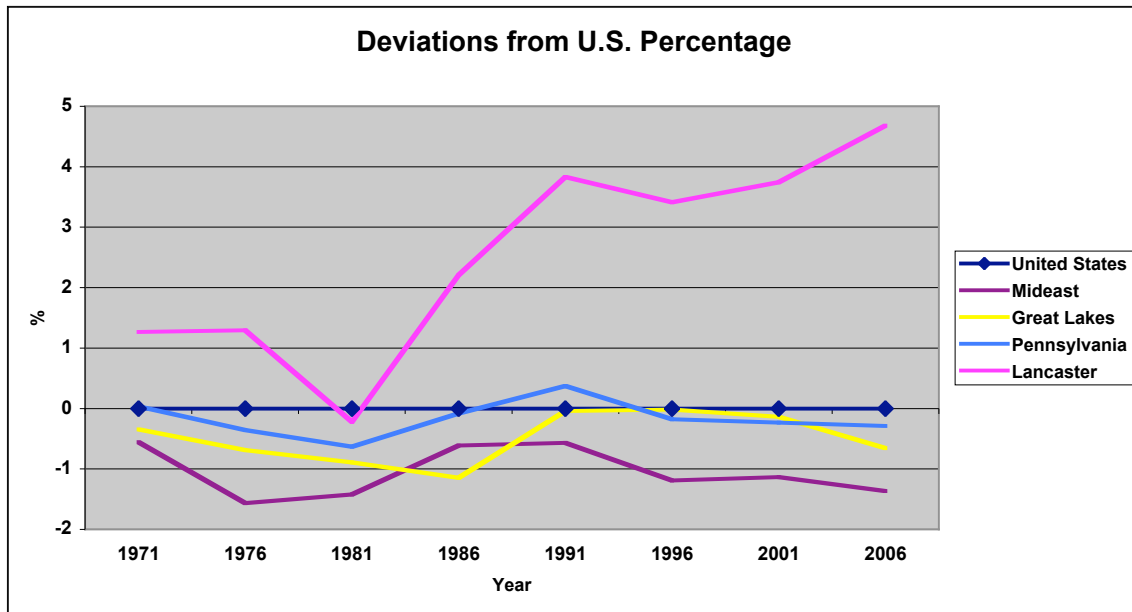
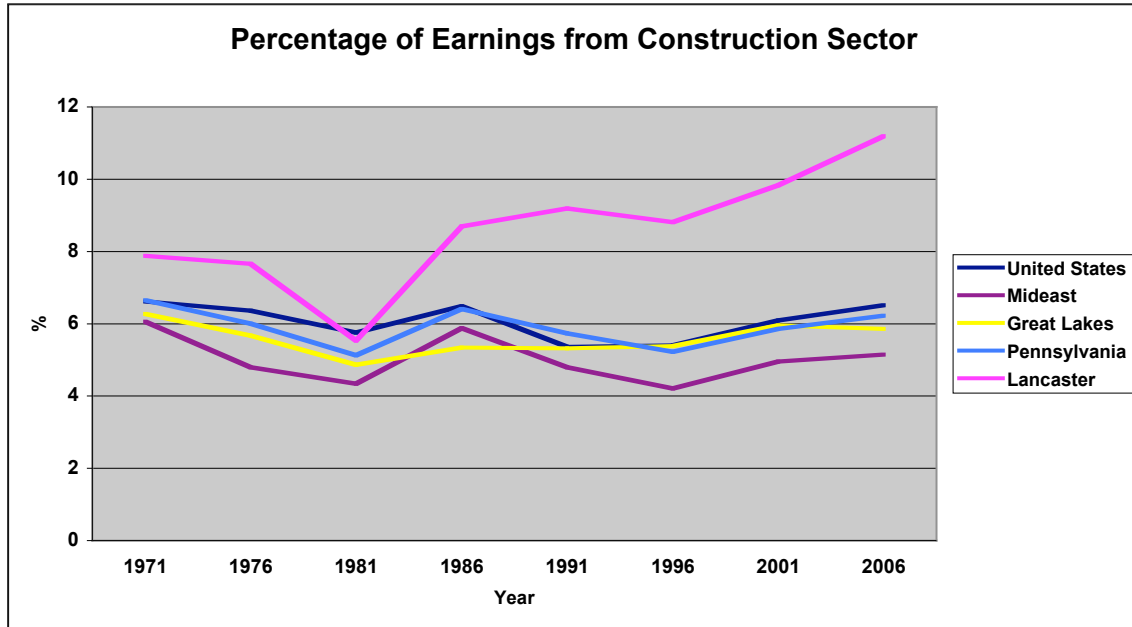


# A Comparison of Lancaster's Percentage of Earnings from the Construction Sector



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

The percentage of earnings from the construction sector has risen considerably in Lancaster since 1981. In fact, this increase in percentage of earnings has been much greater in Lancaster than in the comparison regions. The period of greatest growth was the 1980s decade. Growth was normalized to U.S. levels in the 1990s and resumed at greater than U.S. levels over the 2001-2006 period.