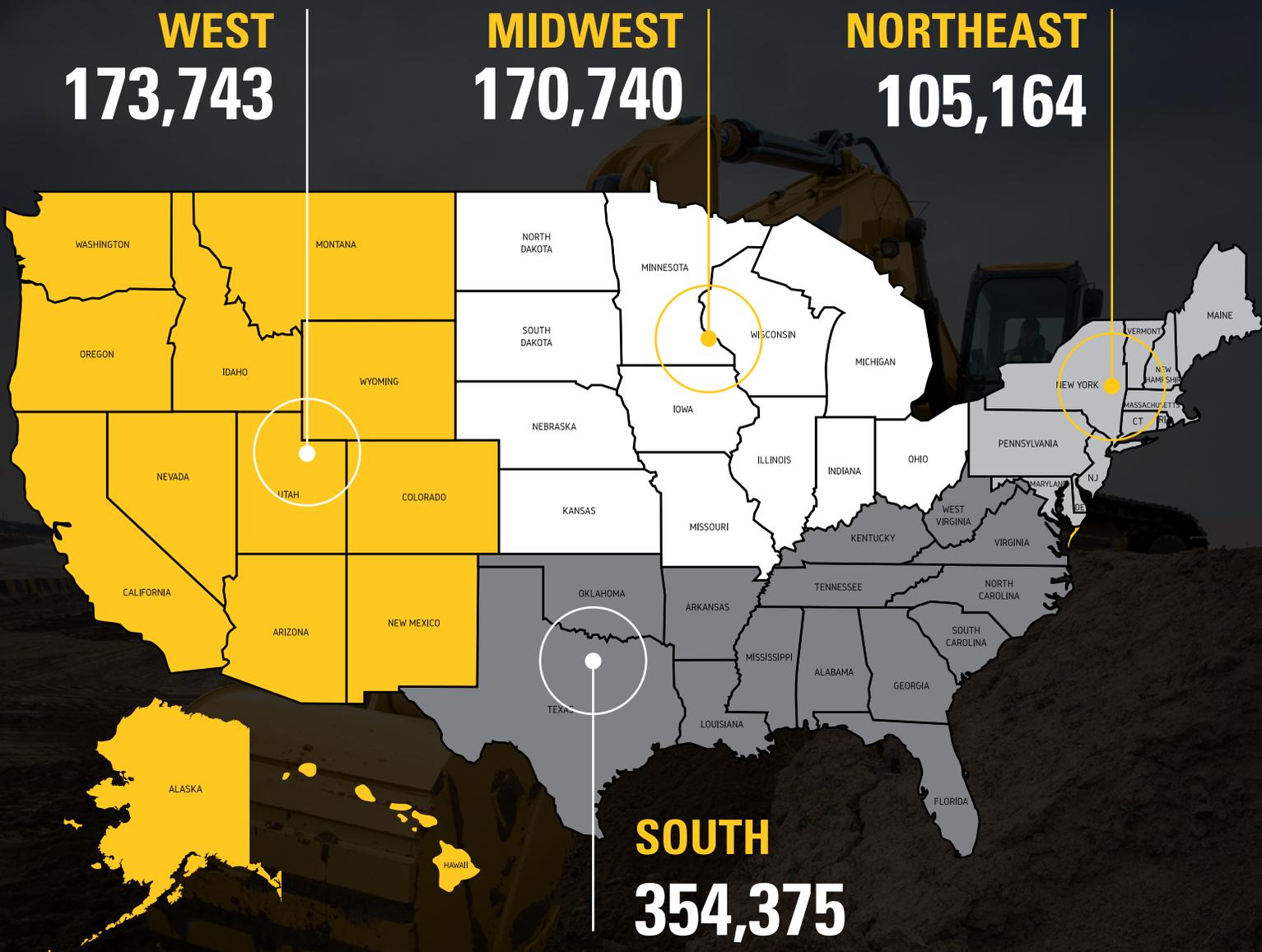# HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR DEMAND

50,800 every year

That's how many heavy equipment operator positions will be added every year until 2031 to meet increased demand. Proper training on Cat® Simulators systems can help keep the pipeline full of safe, efficient operators.

WEST
173,743

MIDWEST
170,740

NORTHEAST
105,164

SOUTH
354,375

Map state labels: Washington, Montana, North Dakota, Minnesota, Maine, Oregon, Idaho, Wyoming, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Vermont, New Hampshire, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, New York, Massachusetts, CT, California, Arizona, New Mexico, Kansas, Missouri, Kentucky, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Maryland, N.J., Oklahoma, Arkansas, Tennessee, Virginia, North Carolina, Alaska, Texas, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, Louisiana, Hawaii, Florida

10 STATES HIGHEST OPERATOR DEMAND

1 — Texas: **109,613**
2 — California: **77,374**
3 — Florida: **35,979**
4 — Louisiana: **28,629**
5 — North Carolina: **28,487**
6 — Georgia: **26,509**
7 — Ohio: **22,909**
8 — South Carolina: **22,860**
9 — Alabama: **22,498**
10 — Arkansas: **21,722**

$62,910 SALARY PER YEAR

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