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State Construction Employment (seasonally adjusted), 8/12-8/13

	August 2012	June 2013	July 2013	August 2013	1-month gain or loss			12-month gain or loss		
					Number	%	% rank	Number	%	% rank
Alabama	79,000	79,000	77,000	77,000	0	0.0%	27	-2,000	-2.5%	45
Alaska	16,300	16,600	16,500	16,900	400	2.4%	7	600	3.7%	21
Arizona	115,800	126,000	125,800	122,700	-3,100	-2.5%	46	6,900	6.0%	9
Arkansas	46,500	47,800	46,800	46,200	-600	-1.3%	39	-300	-0.6%	38
California	587,400	612,400	608,800	616,500	7,700	1.3%	13	29,100	5.0%	13
Colorado	115,200	124,000	125,900	125,300	-600	-0.5%	30	10,100	8.8%	3
Connecticut	50,800	54,200	52,900	54,500	1,600	3.0%	4	3,700	7.3%	7
Delaware*	18,400	18,200	17,800	18,100	300	1.7%	10	-300	-1.6%	42
District of Columbia*	13,600	13,400	13,300	13,100	-200	-1.5%	41	-500	-3.7%	48
Florida	341,000	352,000	355,800	360,500	4,700	1.3%	13	19,500	5.7%	11
Georgia	140,500	143,800	146,500	144,800	-1,700	-1.2%	36	4,300	3.1%	25
Hawaii*	29,400	31,600	33,200	32,000	-1,200	-3.6%	50	2,600	8.8%	3
Idaho	31,000	32,300	31,300	32,200	900	2.9%	5	1,200	3.9%	19
Illinois	184,800	186,900	188,800	184,700	-4,100	-2.2%	45	-100	-0.1%	37
Indiana	124,000	119,300	115,800	113,900	-1,900	-1.6%	42	-10,100	-8.1%	51
Iowa	63,600	67,000	67,900	68,100	200	0.3%	25	4,500	7.1%	8
Kansas	54,400	54,100	52,900	53,900	1,000	1.9%	9	-500	-0.9%	40
Kentucky	66,800	64,200	66,600	68,300	1,700	2.6%	6	1,500	2.2%	27
Louisiana	125,800	136,300	134,200	136,400	2,200	1.6%	11	10,600	8.4%	5
Maine	25,500	26,100	26,400	26,400	0	0.0%	27	900	3.5%	22
Maryland*	144,200	148,500	148,000	146,900	-1,100	-0.7%	33	2,700	1.9%	29
Massachusetts	114,200	118,300	118,000	118,900	900	0.8%	17	4,700	4.1%	17
Michigan	126,200	125,100	124,500	127,200	2,700	2.2%	8	1,000	0.8%	32
Minnesota	93,900	97,900	96,500	97,600	1,100	1.1%	16	3,700	3.9%	19
Mississippi	47,600	52,000	53,200	53,300	100	0.2%	26	5,700	12.0%	2
Missouri	103,100	109,300	110,600	111,400	800	0.7%	21	8,300	8.1%	6
Montana	22,500	22,200	21,400	21,500	100	0.5%	24	-1,000	-4.4%	49
Nebraska*	42,800	43,200	43,700	42,500	-1,200	-2.7%	49	-300	-0.7%	39
Nevada	51,200	52,700	51,900	52,300	400	0.8%	17	1,100	2.1%	28
New Hampshire	21,800	23,400	23,600	23,100	-500	-2.1%	44	1,300	6.0%	9
New Jersey	127,800	134,500	132,400	132,300	-100	-0.1%	29	4,500	3.5%	22
New Mexico	40,000	42,500	41,500	41,000	-500	-1.2%	36	1,000	2.5%	26
New York	309,900	317,800	315,100	320,000	4,900	1.6%	11	10,100	3.3%	24
North Carolina	170,500	168,700	168,700	167,000	-1,700	-1.0%	35	-3,500	-2.1%	44
North Dakota	30,400	32,000	32,000	31,800	-200	-0.6%	31	1,400	4.6%	16
Ohio	177,300	175,700	173,300	171,200	-2,100	-1.2%	36	-6,100	-3.4%	47
Oklahoma	68,700	72,900	70,800	67,800	-3,000	-4.2%	51	-900	-1.3%	41
Oregon	69,400	71,200	69,700	70,200	500	0.7%	21	800	1.2%	31
Pennsylvania	222,600	221,000	222,200	224,000	1,800	0.8%	17	1,400	0.6%	33
Rhode Island	15,800	15,400	15,000	15,100	100	0.7%	21	-700	-4.4%	49
South Carolina	76,900	80,700	81,600	81,100	-500	-0.6%	31	4,200	5.5%	12
South Dakota*	20,600	19,900	19,400	20,700	1,300	6.7%	1	100	0.5%	34
Tennessee*	108,700	108,600	109,000	107,000	-2,000	-1.8%	43	-1,700	-1.6%	42
Texas	587,100	615,900	616,200	611,300	-4,900	-0.8%	34	24,200	4.1%	17
Utah	69,300	71,100	72,500	70,600	-1,900	-2.6%	48	1,300	1.9%	29
Vermont	13,900	13,500	13,400	13,900	500	3.7%	2	0	0.0%	36
Virginia	174,900	180,300	177,900	175,400	-2,500	-1.4%	40	500	0.3%	35
Washington	137,900	144,900	143,500	144,700	1,200	0.8%	17	6,800	4.9%	14
West Virginia	35,900	34,700	34,600	35,000	400	1.2%	15	-900	-2.5%	45
Wisconsin	91,800	93,600	92,800	96,100	3,300	3.6%	3	4,300	4.7%	15
Wyoming	21,100	23,600	24,400	23,800	-600	-2.5%	46	2,700	12.8%	1

*Mining and logging is combined with construction.

Source: Associated General Contractors of America, www.agc.org, from Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) , U.S. Department of Labor, www.bls.gov/sae, 9/20/2013. BLS posts data either for construction alone or construction, mining and logging combined.