



State Construction Employment (seasonally adjusted), Ranked by Latest 12-month % Change

	<u>September</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>1-month gain or loss</u>			<u>12-month gain or loss</u>		
	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>
Arkansas	45,900	52,300	52,400	53,300	900	1.7%	8	7,400	16.1%	1
Alaska	16,900	18,300	18,100	18,800	700	3.9%	1	1,900	11.2%	2
Kansas	59,200	63,800	64,300	64,800	500	0.8%	12	5,600	9.5%	3
South Carolina	82,100	89,000	89,500	89,500	0	0.0%	24	7,400	9.0%	4
Nevada	64,500	70,600	68,900	70,200	1,300	1.9%	6	5,700	8.8%	5
Idaho	36,100	40,400	39,800	38,800	-1,000	-2.5%	50	2,700	7.5%	6
Washington	161,700	175,200	173,900	173,100	-800	-0.5%	31	11,400	7.1%	7
Oklahoma	75,300	80,600	81,000	80,600	-400	-0.5%	31	5,300	7.0%	8
Florida	402,800	427,900	426,300	429,500	3,200	0.8%	12	26,700	6.6%	9
California	681,900	721,200	723,700	725,800	2,100	0.3%	20	43,900	6.4%	10
Arizona	122,600	129,600	129,200	130,300	1,100	0.9%	11	7,700	6.3%	11
Delaware*	20,500	22,200	22,100	21,800	-300	-1.4%	40	1,300	6.3%	11
Iowa	76,000	80,000	82,100	80,600	-1,500	-1.8%	47	4,600	6.1%	13
North Carolina	179,600	190,000	193,000	189,700	-3,300	-1.7%	44	10,100	5.6%	14
Utah	78,800	79,700	80,800	82,800	2,000	2.5%	4	4,000	5.1%	15
Alabama	80,200	83,600	83,300	84,100	800	1.0%	10	3,900	4.9%	16
Pennsylvania	232,200	241,700	242,000	243,500	1,500	0.6%	15	11,300	4.9%	16
South Dakota*	22,300	23,400	22,800	23,400	600	2.6%	3	1,100	4.9%	16
Hawaii*	32,400	33,600	34,500	33,900	-600	-1.7%	44	1,500	4.6%	19
Maryland*	151,900	158,600	157,900	158,900	1,000	0.6%	15	7,000	4.6%	19
Colorado	145,000	151,600	153,200	151,000	-2,200	-1.4%	40	6,000	4.1%	21
New Jersey	145,400	148,200	148,500	151,300	2,800	1.9%	6	5,900	4.1%	21
Virginia	178,100	187,000	184,100	185,300	1,200	0.7%	14	7,200	4.0%	23
Michigan	144,200	155,100	150,600	149,000	-1,600	-1.1%	36	4,800	3.3%	24
Kentucky	73,500	75,600	75,500	75,300	-200	-0.3%	29	1,800	2.4%	25
Tennessee*	110,700	112,400	113,000	113,100	100	0.1%	22	2,400	2.2%	26
Connecticut	56,400	58,600	58,800	57,500	-1,300	-2.2%	48	1,100	2.0%	27
Illinois	204,100	211,500	209,200	208,200	-1,000	-0.5%	31	4,100	2.0%	27
Massachusetts	129,100	131,900	133,300	131,300	-2,000	-1.5%	42	2,200	1.7%	29
New York	347,900	350,900	355,200	353,400	-1,800	-0.5%	31	5,500	1.6%	30
Texas	659,800	663,400	667,200	669,900	2,700	0.4%	18	10,100	1.5%	31
District of Columbia*	14,400	14,700	14,600	14,600	0	0.0%	24	200	1.4%	32
New Hampshire	23,000	23,700	23,500	23,200	-300	-1.3%	38	200	0.9%	33
Wisconsin	105,000	106,000	107,100	105,800	-1,300	-1.2%	37	800	0.8%	34
Georgia	158,800	157,500	159,700	159,900	200	0.1%	22	1,100	0.7%	35
Missouri	109,600	109,700	109,900	110,400	500	0.5%	17	800	0.7%	35
Oregon	80,100	82,700	81,900	80,100	-1,800	-2.2%	48	0	0.0%	37
New Mexico	42,600	42,700	40,900	42,200	1,300	3.2%	2	-400	-0.9%	38
Indiana	122,500	118,000	119,300	121,000	1,700	1.4%	9	-1,500	-1.2%	39
Wyoming	23,900	23,500	23,500	23,600	100	0.4%	18	-300	-1.3%	40
Louisiana	144,100	139,600	138,900	142,000	3,100	2.2%	5	-2,100	-1.5%	41
Maine	25,900	25,300	25,500	25,500	0	0.0%	24	-400	-1.5%	41
North Dakota	36,100	36,200	35,700	35,400	-300	-0.8%	35	-700	-1.9%	43
Nebraska*	47,400	46,500	47,200	46,400	-800	-1.7%	44	-1,000	-2.1%	44
Minnesota	109,200	108,400	108,200	106,500	-1,700	-1.6%	43	-2,700	-2.5%	45
Montana	24,500	24,800	24,800	23,700	-1,100	-4.4%	51	-800	-3.3%	46
Vermont	14,800	14,700	14,300	14,300	0	0.0%	24	-500	-3.4%	47
Mississippi	47,500	46,800	45,000	45,100	100	0.2%	21	-2,400	-5.1%	48
Ohio	197,900	184,200	186,300	185,500	-800	-0.4%	30	-12,400	-6.3%	49
Rhode Island	16,500	15,000	14,900	14,700	-200	-1.3%	38	-1,800	-10.9%	50
West Virginia	34,300	28,400	28,500	28,500	0	0.0%	24	-5,800	-16.9%	51

*Mining and logging is combined with construction.