



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

	<u>May</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>1-month gain or loss</u>			<u>12-month gain or loss</u>		
	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>
Hawaii*	34,000	40,200	40,000	40,700	700	1.8%	3	6,700	19.7%	1
Iowa	77,500	86,100	89,300	87,900	-1,400	-1.6%	39	10,400	13.4%	2
Nevada	68,600	76,000	74,800	75,500	700	0.9%	12	6,900	10.1%	3
Idaho	38,300	39,900	41,300	41,700	400	1.0%	11	3,400	8.9%	4
Georgia	165,400	177,800	178,400	178,800	400	0.2%	18	13,400	8.1%	5
Oklahoma	77,100	81,400	81,400	83,200	1,800	2.2%	1	6,100	7.9%	6
South Carolina	86,000	92,200	91,300	92,500	1,200	1.3%	8	6,500	7.6%	7
Massachusetts	137,900	149,800	149,500	147,800	-1,700	-1.1%	32	9,900	7.2%	8
Colorado	147,800	158,200	159,100	158,300	-800	-0.5%	25	10,500	7.1%	9
Oregon	81,700	86,500	87,600	87,500	-100	-0.1%	21	5,800	7.1%	9
Florida	425,600	448,300	452,500	455,000	2,500	0.6%	15	29,400	6.9%	11
Utah	83,200	89,100	89,400	88,900	-500	-0.6%	27	5,700	6.9%	11
Arizona	126,900	134,000	133,900	135,400	1,500	1.1%	9	8,500	6.7%	13
Washington	173,500	182,800	182,800	184,400	1,600	0.9%	12	10,900	6.3%	14
California	720,700	753,400	763,100	760,300	-2,800	-0.4%	24	39,600	5.5%	15
Maryland*	154,300	163,900	163,900	162,700	-1,200	-0.7%	29	8,400	5.4%	16
Rhode Island	16,800	18,600	17,900	17,600	-300	-1.7%	41	800	4.8%	17
Wisconsin	109,800	114,600	117,800	114,600	-3,200	-2.7%	49	4,800	4.4%	18
Minnesota	115,900	121,200	122,500	120,600	-1,900	-1.6%	39	4,700	4.1%	19
New Jersey	148,500	152,400	151,300	154,200	2,900	1.9%	2	5,700	3.8%	20
South Dakota*	23,400	24,600	24,500	24,300	-200	-0.8%	30	900	3.8%	20
Ohio	200,000	208,400	208,700	207,400	-1,300	-0.6%	27	7,400	3.7%	22
Nebraska*	49,500	50,800	50,500	51,300	800	1.6%	5	1,800	3.6%	23
North Carolina	188,600	196,300	197,700	195,000	-2,700	-1.4%	37	6,400	3.4%	24
Indiana	127,000	129,800	130,900	130,900	0	0.0%	20	3,900	3.1%	25
Louisiana	138,800	145,600	144,500	142,900	-1,600	-1.1%	32	4,100	3.0%	26
New York	361,500	370,500	372,000	372,500	500	0.1%	19	11,000	3.0%	26
New Hampshire	24,000	25,700	25,200	24,700	-500	-2.0%	45	700	2.9%	28
Tennessee*	116,500	124,700	121,200	119,600	-1,600	-1.3%	36	3,100	2.7%	29
Vermont	15,100	16,600	16,500	15,500	-1,000	-6.1%	51	400	2.6%	30
Connecticut	58,100	57,100	58,600	59,500	900	1.5%	7	1,400	2.4%	31
Michigan	148,100	155,800	152,900	151,100	-1,800	-1.2%	34	3,000	2.0%	32
Illinois	213,700	219,600	218,100	217,600	-500	-0.2%	23	3,900	1.8%	33
New Mexico	43,500	44,300	43,600	44,300	700	1.6%	5	800	1.8%	33
Missouri	113,700	117,800	118,300	115,600	-2,700	-2.3%	47	1,900	1.7%	35
Texas	677,800	688,500	689,900	686,500	-3,400	-0.5%	25	8,700	1.3%	36
Mississippi	45,800	47,600	45,800	46,300	500	1.1%	9	500	1.1%	37
Virginia	183,700	186,100	182,600	184,300	1,700	0.9%	12	600	0.3%	38
Arkansas	48,400	48,500	48,900	48,500	-400	-0.8%	30	100	0.2%	39
Delaware*	20,900	21,500	21,200	20,800	-400	-1.9%	42	-100	-0.5%	40
Kentucky	75,100	76,700	74,500	74,400	-100	-0.1%	21	-700	-0.9%	41
Pennsylvania	234,800	234,100	234,800	231,900	-2,900	-1.2%	34	-2,900	-1.2%	42
Alabama	80,800	80,900	81,000	79,500	-1,500	-1.9%	42	-1,300	-1.6%	43
District of Columbia*	14,400	14,500	14,400	14,100	-300	-2.1%	46	-300	-2.1%	44
Maine	26,400	26,700	26,400	25,800	-600	-2.3%	47	-600	-2.3%	45
Montana	26,600	27,500	26,500	26,000	-500	-1.9%	42	-600	-2.3%	45
Alaska	18,000	17,100	16,800	17,100	300	1.8%	3	-900	-5.0%	47
Wyoming	23,100	22,200	21,800	21,900	100	0.5%	16	-1,200	-5.2%	48
Kansas	60,500	57,800	57,900	57,100	-800	-1.4%	37	-3,400	-5.6%	49
West Virginia	33,600	32,600	32,800	30,900	-1,900	-5.8%	50	-2,700	-8.0%	50
North Dakota	35,100	30,400	31,300	31,400	100	0.3%	17	-3,700	-10.5%	51

*Mining and logging is combined with construction.