



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

	<u>October</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</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>
Iowa	78,600	91,500	91,200	89,000	-2,200	-2.4%	47	10,400	13.2%	1
Nevada	71,300	76,800	76,900	80,500	3,600	4.7%	1	9,200	12.9%	2
Colorado	152,100	165,800	168,700	168,500	-200	-0.1%	29	16,400	10.8%	3
Washington	172,200	185,800	187,600	189,500	1,900	1.0%	12	17,300	10.0%	4
Arizona	127,700	136,800	139,700	139,700	0	0.0%	25	12,000	9.4%	5
Oregon	83,000	88,800	87,400	89,200	1,800	2.1%	7	6,200	7.5%	6
Massachusetts	139,400	150,900	149,700	149,600	-100	-0.1%	29	10,200	7.3%	7
Hawaii*	36,900	39,400	39,000	39,400	400	1.0%	12	2,500	6.8%	8
Florida	433,400	455,300	458,300	461,800	3,500	0.8%	15	28,400	6.6%	9
Michigan	146,900	151,100	150,500	156,500	6,000	4.0%	3	9,600	6.5%	10
Georgia	168,200	176,100	177,500	177,800	300	0.2%	23	9,600	5.7%	11
Idaho	38,800	41,500	42,100	41,000	-1,100	-2.6%	49	2,200	5.7%	11
South Dakota*	22,700	24,000	24,400	24,000	-400	-1.6%	45	1,300	5.7%	11
California	738,300	764,900	770,900	772,400	1,500	0.2%	23	34,100	4.6%	14
North Carolina	193,300	196,300	199,700	201,600	1,900	1.0%	12	8,300	4.3%	15
Tennessee*	120,000	124,900	125,300	125,000	-300	-0.2%	34	5,000	4.2%	16
Wisconsin	109,300	115,400	115,000	113,900	-1,100	-1.0%	43	4,600	4.2%	16
New Jersey	147,500	153,900	153,800	153,600	-200	-0.1%	29	6,100	4.1%	18
Indiana	126,800	130,200	131,700	131,600	-100	-0.1%	29	4,800	3.8%	19
Oklahoma	78,000	82,800	82,900	80,900	-2,000	-2.4%	47	2,900	3.7%	20
Minnesota	113,600	119,900	118,200	117,700	-500	-0.4%	37	4,100	3.6%	21
Louisiana	142,500	140,400	141,800	146,400	4,600	3.2%	5	3,900	2.7%	22
South Carolina	88,100	91,100	89,900	90,400	500	0.6%	17	2,300	2.6%	23
Vermont	15,100	15,600	15,500	15,500	0	0.0%	25	400	2.6%	23
Virginia	185,200	187,100	188,800	189,600	800	0.4%	21	4,400	2.4%	25
Ohio	202,300	206,400	204,000	206,500	2,500	1.2%	10	4,200	2.1%	26
Utah	86,300	89,300	88,100	88,000	-100	-0.1%	29	1,700	2.0%	27
Missouri	115,600	116,100	117,800	117,500	-300	-0.3%	35	1,900	1.6%	28
New Hampshire	25,200	25,500	25,500	25,500	0	0.0%	25	300	1.2%	29
New York	363,300	360,800	364,900	366,000	1,100	0.3%	22	2,700	0.7%	30
Rhode Island	17,200	17,200	17,200	17,300	100	0.6%	17	100	0.6%	31
Connecticut	57,000	56,300	56,400	57,200	800	1.4%	9	200	0.4%	32
Mississippi	46,500	48,100	48,000	46,700	-1,300	-2.7%	50	200	0.4%	32
Texas	690,300	692,400	695,800	692,600	-3,200	-0.5%	40	2,300	0.3%	34
Maryland*	158,600	158,800	159,600	158,700	-900	-0.6%	41	100	0.1%	35
West Virginia	30,600	31,500	31,200	30,600	-600	-1.9%	46	0	0.0%	36
New Mexico	43,800	43,000	43,500	43,700	200	0.5%	19	-100	-0.2%	37
District of Columbia*	14,300	14,100	14,100	14,200	100	0.7%	16	-100	-0.7%	38
Arkansas	50,300	49,400	48,200	49,900	1,700	3.5%	4	-400	-0.8%	39
Pennsylvania	236,000	237,100	233,800	233,000	-800	-0.3%	35	-3,000	-1.3%	40
Illinois	215,900	212,700	213,700	210,400	-3,300	-1.5%	44	-5,500	-2.5%	41
Nebraska*	50,800	49,600	49,600	49,400	-200	-0.4%	37	-1,400	-2.8%	42
Alaska	16,700	16,300	16,300	16,200	-100	-0.6%	41	-500	-3.0%	43
Alabama	81,300	77,800	77,800	78,700	900	1.2%	10	-2,600	-3.2%	44
Montana	26,400	24,500	24,200	25,300	1,100	4.5%	2	-1,100	-4.2%	45
Kentucky	77,600	74,300	74,100	74,100	0	0.0%	25	-3,500	-4.5%	46
North Dakota	33,700	32,100	31,300	32,100	800	2.6%	6	-1,600	-4.7%	47
Delaware*	21,800	21,200	21,100	20,500	-600	-2.8%	51	-1,300	-6.0%	48
Wyoming	23,000	21,700	20,900	21,300	400	1.9%	8	-1,700	-7.4%	49
Maine	26,600	24,900	24,700	24,600	-100	-0.4%	37	-2,000	-7.5%	50
Kansas	61,600	56,400	56,600	56,900	300	0.5%	19	-4,700	-7.6%	51

\*Mining and logging is combined with construction.