



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

	<u>December</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>	<u>1-month gain or loss</u>			<u>12-month gain or loss</u>		
	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>
Nevada	81,300	88,100	89,700	91,700	2,000	2.2%	7	10,400	12.8%	1
Rhode Island	18,600	20,400	20,900	20,700	-200	-1.0%	44	2,100	11.3%	2
Oklahoma	76,500	83,200	81,800	84,700	2,900	3.5%	3	8,200	10.7%	3
Oregon	94,800	103,600	103,200	104,800	1,600	1.6%	13	10,000	10.5%	4
Alaska	15,500	15,700	16,500	17,000	500	3.0%	4	1,500	9.7%	5
Florida	484,500	518,400	523,800	528,400	4,600	0.9%	23	43,900	9.1%	6
Alabama	82,500	90,100	91,600	89,800	-1,800	-2.0%	48	7,300	8.8%	7
Indiana	128,800	134,300	139,000	139,700	700	0.5%	32	10,900	8.5%	8
West Virginia	30,500	31,700	32,500	33,100	600	1.8%	11	2,600	8.5%	8
California	783,900	832,100	832,900	839,900	7,000	0.8%	25	56,000	7.1%	10
Louisiana	142,900	150,500	151,700	153,000	1,300	0.9%	23	10,100	7.1%	10
Minnesota	118,900	119,500	121,600	127,300	5,700	4.7%	2	8,400	7.1%	10
Utah	92,200	95,800	97,500	98,700	1,200	1.2%	18	6,500	7.0%	13
New Mexico	43,700	45,600	46,600	46,700	100	0.2%	33	3,000	6.9%	14
Washington	192,100	200,700	202,100	203,600	1,500	0.7%	27	11,500	6.0%	15
Kentucky	76,500	81,200	81,300	80,900	-400	-0.5%	38	4,400	5.8%	16
Massachusetts	147,900	152,000	154,800	156,400	1,600	1.0%	20	8,500	5.7%	17
Colorado	156,300	158,400	161,600	164,900	3,300	2.0%	9	8,600	5.5%	18
Pennsylvania	240,900	246,100	249,200	254,000	4,800	1.9%	10	13,100	5.4%	19
New Hampshire	26,300	28,200	28,400	27,700	-700	-2.5%	50	1,400	5.3%	20
Arkansas	50,000	52,600	53,100	52,600	-500	-0.9%	43	2,600	5.2%	21
Arizona	136,400	139,100	142,000	143,400	1,400	1.0%	20	7,000	5.1%	22
Kansas	60,900	62,200	62,300	63,900	1,600	2.6%	6	3,000	4.9%	23
Michigan	157,500	162,600	162,800	164,900	2,100	1.3%	16	7,400	4.7%	24
Mississippi	42,300	43,100	43,500	44,100	600	1.4%	14	1,800	4.3%	25
Montana	27,600	27,800	27,200	28,700	1,500	5.5%	1	1,100	4.0%	26
Texas	704,900	721,200	728,500	732,800	4,300	0.60%	29	27,900	4.0%	26
Maryland*	162,600	171,700	169,300	168,300	-1,000	-0.6%	39	5,700	3.5%	28
Ohio	203,400	212,500	211,900	210,200	-1,700	-0.8%	41	6,800	3.3%	29
Tennessee*	122,200	125,000	126,900	126,100	-800	-0.6%	39	3,900	3.2%	30
Georgia	178,000	178,900	180,400	183,500	3,100	1.7%	12	5,500	3.1%	31
Hawaii*	37,700	38,100	38,800	38,800	0	0.0%	34	1,100	2.9%	32
Illinois	210,400	211,200	214,000	216,200	2,200	1.0%	20	5,800	2.8%	33
Virginia	189,300	192,300	193,400	194,600	1,200	0.6%	29	5,300	2.8%	33
New York	370,300	375,600	380,200	380,200	0	0.0%	34	9,900	2.7%	35
Idaho	43,100	43,800	44,200	44,200	0	0.0%	34	1,100	2.6%	36
South Carolina	98,400	97,800	98,700	100,900	2,200	2.2%	7	2,500	2.5%	37
Delaware*	20,600	20,700	20,800	21,100	300	1.4%	14	500	2.4%	38
New Jersey	150,900	157,100	158,600	154,300	-4,300	-2.7%	51	3,400	2.3%	39
Wyoming	20,400	20,700	20,200	20,800	600	3.0%	4	400	2.0%	40
South Dakota*	23,900	23,700	23,800	24,000	200	0.8%	25	100	0.4%	41
Wisconsin	112,800	112,400	111,700	112,900	1,200	1.1%	19	100	0.1%	42
District of Columbia*	14,700	14,600	14,600	14,700	100	0.7%	27	0	0.0%	43
Vermont	15,400	15,600	15,100	15,300	200	1.3%	16	-100	-0.6%	44
Maine	28,100	27,700	28,000	27,900	-100	-0.4%	37	-200	-0.7%	45
North Carolina	204,000	200,400	200,600	201,900	1,300	0.6%	29	-2,100	-1.0%	46
Nebraska*	52,100	50,600	51,900	51,500	-400	-0.8%	41	-600	-1.2%	47
Connecticut	58,000	58,400	57,100	56,100	-1,000	-1.8%	47	-1,900	-3.3%	48
North Dakota	32,000	31,800	31,400	30,700	-700	-2.2%	49	-1,300	-4.1%	49
Missouri	123,000	115,000	116,000	114,200	-1,800	-1.6%	45	-8,800	-7.2%	50
Iowa	81,100	75,100	74,900	73,600	-1,300	-1.7%	46	-7,500	-9.2%	51

\*Mining and logging is combined with construction.