



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

	<u>Feb.</u>	<u>Dec.</u>	<u>Jan.</u>	<u>Feb.</u>	<u>1-month gain or loss</u>			<u>12-month gain or loss</u>		
	<u>2017</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank</u>
West Virginia	30,100	34,300	34,000	34,400	400	1.2%	14	4,300	14.3%	1
Nevada	81,700	86,500	89,200	90,600	1,400	1.6%	7	8,900	10.9%	2
California	782,100	836,700	849,300	856,100	6,800	0.8%	21	74,000	9.5%	3
Idaho	43,900	47,300	47,500	48,000	500	1.1%	16	4,100	9.3%	4
Arizona	140,800	151,300	152,200	153,800	1,600	1.1%	16	13,000	9.2%	5
New Mexico	44,500	47,200	48,600	48,500	-100	-0.2%	44	4,000	9.0%	6
Utah	94,500	101,600	102,100	102,000	-100	-0.1%	41	7,500	7.9%	7
Oregon	94,400	99,700	100,800	101,800	1,000	1.0%	18	7,400	7.8%	8
Massachusetts	149,300	157,200	157,100	160,000	2,900	1.8%	4	10,700	7.2%	9
Colorado	161,300	169,700	170,700	172,700	2,000	1.2%	14	11,400	7.1%	10
Michigan	159,600	167,600	169,000	170,600	1,600	0.9%	19	11,000	6.9%	11
Washington	195,400	207,500	209,500	208,000	-1,500	-0.7%	46	12,600	6.4%	12
Florida	500,700	519,100	525,300	532,400	7,100	1.4%	9	31,700	6.3%	13
Georgia	183,000	189,600	189,700	193,200	3,500	1.8%	4	10,200	5.6%	14
Indiana	137,200	138,700	141,400	144,200	2,800	2.0%	2	7,000	5.1%	15
Delaware*	21,800	22,500	22,600	22,900	300	1.3%	12	1,100	5.0%	16
Texas	706,300	731,800	734,900	740,200	5,300	0.7%	24	33,900	4.8%	17
Pennsylvania	245,700	256,200	252,700	256,500	3,800	1.5%	8	10,800	4.4%	18
New Hampshire	26,500	26,900	27,500	27,600	100	0.4%	31	1,100	4.2%	19
Virginia	193,700	197,300	198,000	201,400	3,400	1.7%	6	7,700	4.0%	20
District of Columbia*	15,200	15,700	15,800	15,800	0	0.0%	38	600	3.9%	21
Oklahoma	77,200	79,300	79,400	79,900	500	0.6%	27	2,700	3.5%	22
Mississippi	43,600	43,000	44,100	45,000	900	2.0%	2	1,400	3.2%	23
New York	385,700	386,900	389,000	396,700	7,700	-0.03%	40	11,000	2.9%	24
Ohio	211,600	213,500	216,600	217,700	1,100	0.5%	28	6,100	2.9%	24
Minnesota	119,700	122,500	122,700	123,000	300	0.2%	35	3,300	2.8%	26
Wisconsin	116,300	117,300	118,100	118,900	800	0.7%	24	2,600	2.2%	27
Rhode Island	18,800	18,700	19,100	19,200	100	0.5%	28	400	2.1%	28
North Carolina	207,500	210,500	212,000	211,700	-300	-0.1%	41	4,200	2.0%	29
South Dakota*	23,600	23,600	23,800	24,000	200	0.8%	21	400	1.7%	30
South Carolina	101,400	102,800	102,800	102,900	100	0.1%	37	1,500	1.5%	31
Tennessee*	123,500	124,400	125,500	125,400	-100	-0.1%	41	1,900	1.5%	31
Illinois	221,000	222,700	222,000	223,600	1,600	0.7%	24	2,600	1.2%	33
Hawaii*	36,700	37,300	37,000	36,900	-100	-0.3%	45	200	0.5%	34
Maryland*	165,100	161,500	164,000	165,500	1,500	0.9%	19	400	0.2%	35
Alabama	85,600	85,100	85,700	85,700	0	0.0%	38	100	0.1%	36
Vermont	15,300	14,900	15,100	15,300	200	1.3%	12	0	0.0%	37
Connecticut	58,700	57,300	57,100	58,600	1,500	2.6%	1	-100	-0.2%	38
Arkansas	51,300	51,300	51,000	51,100	100	0.2%	35	-200	-0.4%	39
Maine	28,000	28,000	27,700	27,800	100	0.4%	31	-200	-0.7%	40
Louisiana	146,400	144,400	143,200	145,200	2,000	1.4%	9	-1,200	-0.8%	41
New Jersey	157,000	151,500	153,700	155,800	2,100	1.4%	9	-1,200	-0.8%	41
Montana	28,000	27,800	28,300	27,700	-600	-2.1%	50	-300	-1.1%	43
Alaska	15,300	15,800	15,900	15,100	-800	-5.0%	51	-200	-1.3%	44
Wyoming	20,000	19,500	19,600	19,700	100	0.5%	28	-300	-1.5%	45
Kentucky	77,800	75,800	76,000	75,500	-500	-0.7%	46	-2,300	-3.0%	46
Missouri	124,300	121,600	119,400	120,300	900	0.8%	21	-4,000	-3.2%	47
Nebraska*	52,600	51,500	50,200	50,400	200	0.4%	31	-2,200	-4.2%	48
Kansas	62,200	60,100	59,600	58,900	-700	-1.2%	49	-3,300	-5.3%	49
Iowa	78,700	73,500	72,600	72,000	-600	-0.8%	48	-6,700	-8.5%	50
North Dakota	29,400	24,900	24,500	24,600	100	0.4%	31	-4,800	-16.3%	51

*Mining and logging is combined with construction.