



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

	<u>April</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>1-month gain or loss</u>			<u>12-month gain or loss</u>		
	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</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	30,300	34,300	33,700	33,800	100	0.3%	22	3,500	11.6%	1
Nevada	83,400	89,900	90,800	91,600	800	0.9%	14	8,200	9.8%	2
Arizona	142,600	153,300	152,700	154,300	1,600	1.0%	11	11,700	8.2%	3
Utah	95,500	101,700	102,000	103,200	1,200	1.2%	6	7,700	8.1%	4
Idaho	44,300	48,000	47,900	47,800	-100	-0.2%	33	3,500	7.9%	5
Georgia	182,100	193,600	193,900	196,000	2,100	1.1%	10	13,900	7.6%	6
California	802,300	854,400	851,800	861,800	10,000	1.2%	6	59,500	7.4%	7
New Mexico	45,100	48,500	48,300	48,400	100	0.2%	24	3,300	7.3%	8
Florida	502,100	532,700	535,800	537,000	1,200	0.2%	24	34,900	7.0%	9
Oregon	96,000	101,300	101,500	102,000	500	0.5%	18	6,000	6.3%	10
New Hampshire	26,400	27,800	27,600	28,000	400	1.4%	2	1,600	6.1%	11
Massachusetts	149,100	159,500	159,500	158,200	-1,300	-0.8%	43	9,100	6.1%	11
Michigan	161,100	170,900	172,000	170,900	-1,100	-0.6%	42	9,800	6.1%	11
Colorado	161,700	172,700	172,400	171,600	-800	-0.5%	41	9,900	6.1%	11
Texas	708,300	740,200	744,800	748,900	4,100	0.6%	16	40,600	5.7%	15
Washington	197,500	207,400	206,500	208,600	2,100	1.0%	11	11,100	5.6%	16
Alaska	15,100	15,100	15,600	15,800	200	1.3%	4	700	4.6%	17
Mississippi	43,200	44,900	45,200	45,200	0	0.0%	30	2,000	4.6%	17
Virginia	192,000	201,500	201,700	200,900	-800	-0.4%	39	8,900	4.6%	17
Alabama	83,900	85,800	86,600	87,600	1,000	1.2%	6	3,700	4.4%	20
Indiana	137,800	144,000	146,100	143,800	-2,300	-1.6%	48	6,000	4.4%	20
Pennsylvania	245,200	255,800	255,900	255,200	-700	-0.3%	34	10,000	4.1%	22
North Carolina	207,400	212,500	214,400	215,600	1,200	0.6%	16	8,200	4.0%	23
Illinois	218,800	224,100	225,000	225,800	800	0.4%	20	7,000	3.2%	24
Oklahoma	76,700	79,400	78,600	78,800	200	0.3%	22	2,100	2.7%	25
New York	382,300	396,000	390,900	391,800	900	0.2%	24	9,500	2.5%	26
Delaware*	22,100	23,000	23,000	22,600	-400	-1.7%	50	500	2.3%	27
Wisconsin	117,000	119,700	121,700	119,700	-2,000	-1.6%	48	2,700	2.3%	27
Maine	27,900	27,600	28,400	28,500	100	0.4%	20	600	2.2%	29
Connecticut	58,000	58,900	59,400	59,200	-200	-0.3%	34	1,200	2.1%	30
Minnesota	117,700	121,800	120,300	119,900	-400	-0.3%	34	2,200	1.9%	31
Tennessee*	124,000	125,100	124,600	126,100	1,500	1.2%	6	2,100	1.7%	32
Ohio	216,400	218,000	219,800	220,000	200	0.1%	28	3,600	1.7%	32
Louisiana	147,400	146,800	147,500	149,700	2,200	1.5%	1	2,300	1.6%	34
District of Columbia*	15,600	15,800	15,800	15,800	0	0.0%	30	200	1.3%	35
Rhode Island	18,300	19,200	18,700	18,500	-200	-1.1%	45	200	1.1%	36
Kentucky	77,000	75,700	76,700	77,800	1,100	1.4%	2	800	1.0%	37
Maryland*	163,100	165,300	165,200	164,700	-500	-0.3%	34	1,600	1.0%	37
Wyoming	19,900	19,800	19,800	20,000	200	1.0%	11	100	0.5%	39
Montana	28,000	27,700	28,000	28,000	0	0.0%	30	0	0.0%	40
New Jersey	155,400	155,500	154,200	154,900	700	0.5%	18	-500	-0.3%	41
Vermont	15,600	15,300	15,300	15,500	200	1.3%	4	-100	-0.6%	42
Kansas	60,000	59,000	59,100	59,500	400	0.7%	15	-500	-0.8%	43
Missouri	122,800	120,500	121,200	121,300	100	0.1%	28	-1,500	-1.2%	44
South Carolina	101,600	102,600	101,500	100,200	-1,300	-1.3%	46	-1,400	-1.4%	45
Arkansas	51,600	50,900	51,100	50,900	-200	-0.4%	39	-700	-1.4%	45
Hawaii*	36,300	36,600	35,900	35,600	-300	-0.8%	43	-700	-1.9%	47
Nebraska*	52,000	50,500	50,800	50,900	100	0.2%	24	-1,100	-2.1%	48
Iowa	77,400	73,400	75,100	74,900	-200	-0.3%	34	-2,500	-3.2%	49
South Dakota*	23,900	23,900	23,400	23,100	-300	-1.3%	46	-800	-3.3%	50
North Dakota	28,900	24,700	24,700	24,000	-700	-2.8%	51	-4,900	-17.0%	51

*BLS posts only combined construction, mining and logging data for these locations. **Rank is based on 50 states plus D.C.