



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>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>
Arizona	148,400	162,100	163,900	166,400	2,500	1.5%	4	18,000	12.1%	1
Georgia	186,200	201,700	205,300	207,800	2,500	1.2%	9	21,600	11.6%	2
Nevada	83,400	92,300	92,300	92,900	600	0.7%	17	9,500	11.4%	3
Oregon	98,800	108,000	108,600	109,200	600	0.6%	19	10,400	10.5%	4
New Hampshire	27,100	29,400	29,500	29,900	400	1.4%	7	2,800	10.3%	5
Florida	509,300	548,400	549,700	552,700	3,000	0.5%	23	43,400	8.5%	6
Iowa	75,300	79,800	80,000	81,600	1,600	2.0%	1	6,300	8.4%	7
Indiana	135,100	144,900	144,700	146,200	1,500	1.0%	14	11,100	8.2%	8
Wisconsin	116,300	124,000	124,900	125,500	600	0.5%	23	9,200	7.9%	9
Wyoming	19,400	20,600	20,500	20,900	400	1.9%	2	1,500	7.7%	10
New Mexico	46,300	49,000	49,600	49,700	100	0.2%	32	3,400	7.3%	11
North Dakota	25,800	27,600	27,400	27,600	200	0.7%	17	1,800	7.0%	12
Texas	721,400	766,700	769,800	771,300	1,500	0.2%	32	49,900	6.9%	13
Connecticut	59,000	62,400	62,900	62,900	0	0.0%	38	3,900	6.6%	14
Montana	27,200	29,300	29,300	28,900	-400	-1.4%	50	1,700	6.3%	15
Michigan	164,400	177,400	175,300	174,400	-900	-0.5%	45	10,000	6.1%	16
Rhode Island	18,300	19,000	19,100	19,400	300	1.6%	3	1,100	6.0%	17
Minnesota	119,900	125,100	125,500	127,000	1,500	1.2%	9	7,100	5.9%	18
Delaware*	22,200	23,100	23,400	23,500	100	0.4%	26	1,300	5.9%	18
Massachusetts	155,100	163,100	162,900	163,400	500	0.3%	28	8,300	5.4%	20
Alaska	14,800	15,200	15,400	15,600	200	1.3%	8	800	5.4%	20
North Carolina	209,600	220,000	219,600	220,200	600	0.3%	28	10,600	5.1%	22
Washington	203,800	211,600	211,600	214,100	2,500	1.2%	9	10,300	5.1%	22
Illinois	219,200	226,700	227,900	229,000	1,100	0.5%	23	9,800	4.5%	24
Virginia	194,900	202,200	202,900	203,600	700	0.3%	28	8,700	4.5%	24
Colorado	164,500	172,400	171,700	171,500	-200	-0.1%	41	7,000	4.3%	26
Idaho	46,200	47,700	47,800	48,200	400	0.8%	15	2,000	4.3%	26
Maine	27,800	29,000	29,000	29,000	0	0.0%	38	1,200	4.3%	26
Ohio	216,100	225,900	225,300	225,200	-100	0.0%	38	9,100	4.2%	29
Nebraska*	50,500	52,700	52,500	52,600	100	0.2%	32	2,100	4.2%	29
South Dakota*	23,700	24,700	24,800	24,700	-100	-0.4%	44	1,000	4.2%	29
New York	383,900	396,500	397,000	399,500	2,500	0.6%	19	15,600	4.1%	32
Tennessee*	124,600	126,100	127,500	129,400	1,900	1.5%	4	4,800	3.9%	33
California	828,200	855,900	855,200	858,200	3,000	0.4%	26	30,000	3.6%	34
Utah	99,600	101,200	102,400	103,000	600	0.6%	19	3,400	3.4%	35
Louisiana	142,700	149,700	149,300	147,400	-1,900	-1.3%	49	4,700	3.3%	36
West Virginia	33,400	34,000	34,000	34,500	500	1.5%	4	1,100	3.3%	36
District of Columbia*	15,600	15,900	16,000	16,100	100	0.6%	19	500	3.2%	38
Pennsylvania	250,300	250,100	254,700	256,600	1,900	0.8%	15	6,300	2.5%	39
Alabama	85,200	86,200	87,100	87,300	200	0.2%	32	2,100	2.5%	39
Arkansas	51,200	51,800	52,100	52,200	100	0.2%	32	1,000	2.0%	41
Kansas	59,100	61,600	60,200	59,800	-400	-0.6%	46	700	1.2%	42
Vermont	15,200	15,400	15,400	15,300	-100	-0.6%	46	100	0.7%	43
Maryland*	163,400	164,200	163,600	164,100	500	0.3%	28	700	0.4%	44
Kentucky	76,600	75,200	76,600	76,700	100	0.1%	37	100	0.1%	45
Missouri	123,500	122,200	123,500	123,300	-200	-0.2%	42	-200	-0.2%	46
Oklahoma	78,100	77,600	78,500	77,600	-900	-1.2%	48	-500	-0.6%	47
Mississippi	42,500	43,600	42,900	42,200	-700	-1.6%	51	-300	-0.7%	48
Hawaii*	36,800	36,300	36,100	36,500	400	1.1%	13	-300	-0.8%	49
South Carolina	100,700	99,000	99,200	99,000	-200	-0.2%	42	-1,700	-1.7%	50
New Jersey	153,100	148,500	147,500	149,300	1,800	1.2%	9	-3,800	-2.5%	51

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