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New highs are in **bold**; new lows are in *italics*

	<u>Employment</u> <u>since Jan 2000</u>	<u>Aug</u> <u>2020</u>	<u>Prior high</u> <u>month/year</u>	<u>Prior high</u> <u>total</u>	<u>Aug 2020-prior high</u> <u>number</u>	<u>Aug 2020-prior high</u> <u>percent</u>	<u>Prior low</u> <u>month/year</u>	<u>Prior low</u> <u>total</u>	<u>Aug 2020-prior low</u> <u>number</u>	<u>Aug 2020-prior low</u> <u>percent</u>
Alabama		94,000	Oct '07	113,700	-19,700	-17%	Jun '92	74,200	19,800	27%
Alaska		14,500	Apr '05	19,400	-4,900	-25%	Oct '90	9,400	5,100	54%
Arizona		170,300	Jun '06	243,600	-73,300	-30%	Aug '91	78,900	91,400	116%
Arkansas		53,300	Feb '06	57,700	-4,400	-8%	May '91	35,100	18,200	52%
California		839,300	Jun '06	945,100	-105,800	-11%	Jan '93	453,700	385,600	85%
Colorado		172,500	Jan '20	182,600	-10,100	-6%	Mar '90	62,300	110,200	177%
Connecticut		57,400	Jan '90	70,200	-12,800	-18%	Apr '93	46,300	11,100	24%
Delaware*		21,400	Nov '05	29,800	-8,400	-28%	Feb '94	17,100	4,300	25%
District of Columbia*		15,000	Jan '16	16,300	-1,300	-8%	Nov '92	8,100	6,900	85%
Florida		561,900	Apr '06	691,700	-129,800	-19%	Mar '92	330,300	231,600	70%
Georgia		198,700	Mar '07	224,400	-25,700	-11%	Jun '92	121,600	77,100	63%
Hawaii*		36,300	Dec '07	39,600	-3,300	-8%	Mar '99	22,300	14,000	63%
Idaho		55,000	Mar '20	54,800	200	0.4%	Feb '90	18,100	36,900	204%
Illinois		211,700	Dec '01	280,900	-69,200	-25%	Apr '13	185,800	25,900	14%
Indiana		148,100	Mar '00	154,000	-5,900	-4%	Apr '92	111,400	36,700	33%
Iowa		69,200	Mar '16	83,000	-13,800	-17%	Jun '90	43,600	25,600	59%
Kansas		62,800	Mar '20	66,900	-4,100	-6%	Jan '91	42,200	20,600	49%
Kentucky		80,900	Mar '00	90,700	-9,800	-11%	Mar '91	60,600	20,300	33%
Louisiana		122,500	Jun '18	153,400	-30,900	-20%	Dec '90	94,100	28,400	30%
Maine		29,600	Apr '06	31,900	-2,300	-7%	Sep '93	20,600	9,000	44%
Maryland		169,400	Mar '06	190,500	-21,100	-11%	Apr '93	119,100	50,300	42%
Massachusetts		142,300	Feb '20	163,300	-21,000	-13%	Jul '92	72,000	70,300	98%
Michigan		171,400	Apr '00	214,200	-42,800	-20%	Apr '20	98,200	73,200	75%
Minnesota		119,600	Feb '06	132,000	-12,400	-9%	Nov '91	73,000	46,600	64%
Mississippi		42,100	Apr '08	63,200	-21,100	-33%	Jun '91	33,600	8,500	25%
Missouri		129,900	Apr '06	149,800	-19,900	-13%	Jan '91	83,800	46,100	55%
Montana		30,500	Jun '07	33,000	-2,500	-8%	Jun '90	10,200	20,300	199%
Nebraska		52,700	Feb '20	55,400	-2,700	-5%	Jan '90	26,300	26,400	100%
Nevada		91,600	Apr '06	146,400	-54,800	-37%	Feb '92	39,500	52,100	132%
New Hampshire		26,400	Mar '06	30,100	-3,700	-12%	Sep '92	15,700	10,700	68%
New Jersey		146,900	Apr '06	177,600	-30,700	-17%	May '92	109,600	37,300	34%
New Mexico		49,100	Jun '06	59,600	-10,500	-18%	May '91	30,400	18,700	62%
New York		359,800	Feb '20	411,000	-51,200	-12%	Jan '94	238,700	121,100	51%
North Carolina		219,900	Mar '07	256,400	-36,500	-14%	Jan '92	146,400	73,500	50%
North Dakota		25,900	Jan '15	37,200	-11,300	-30%	Aug '90	9,800	16,100	164%
Ohio		213,400	Mar '00	253,400	-40,000	-16%	May '10	166,300	47,100	28%
Oklahoma		75,400	Dec '18	84,100	-8,700	-10%	Mar '90	39,000	36,400	93%
Oregon		107,000	Mar '20	111,500	-4,500	-4%	Dec '92	51,600	55,400	107%
Pennsylvania		244,500	Feb '20	266,200	-21,700	-8%	Apr '20	158,400	86,100	54%
Rhode Island		18,300	Jan '07	23,400	-5,100	-22%	Aug '92	11,900	6,400	54%
South Carolina		108,300	Oct '06	127,700	-19,400	-15%	Jan '11	76,700	31,600	41%
South Dakota		26,500	Jun '20	26,600	-100	-0.4%	May '90	12,200	14,300	117%
Tennessee		125,700	Jan '08	134,700	-9,000	-7%	Dec '91	86,800	38,900	45%
Texas		739,800	Feb '20	797,000	-57,200	-7%	Jan '92	339,800	400,000	118%
Utah		119,300	Jul '20	119,500	-200	-0.2%	Jun '90	27,600	91,700	332%
Vermont		10,700	Apr '06	17,600	-6,900	-39%	Apr '20	7,600	3,100	41%
Virginia		208,400	Mar '06	252,300	-43,900	-17%	Jun '92	144,700	63,700	44%
Washington		212,800	Mar '20	228,800	-16,000	-7%	Feb '90	113,800	99,000	87%
West Virginia		32,100	Dec '18	47,500	-15,400	-32%	Apr '92	27,100	5,000	18%
Wisconsin		124,500	Apr '06	130,100	-5,600	-4%	May '91	86,700	37,800	44%
Wyoming		22,900	Feb '08	28,700	-5,800	-20%	Jul '92	11,900	11,000	92%

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

