

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

	<u>March</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>1-month gain or loss</u>				<u>12-month gain or loss</u>			
	<u>2025</u>	<u>2026</u>	<u>2026</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u># rank</u>	<u>% rank**</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u># rank</u>	<u>% rank**</u>
Missouri	149,400	156,100	157,100	1,000	0.6%	12	16	7,700	5.2%	4	1
Louisiana	139,600	143,600	146,500	2,900	2.0%	2	2	6,900	4.9%	5	2
Nebraska	63,500	65,600	66,600	1,000	1.5%	12	4	3,100	4.9%	10	2
West Virginia	34,800	36,600	36,500	-100	-0.3%	38	38	1,700	4.9%	15	2
Wisconsin	145,200	153,600	151,800	-1,800	-1.2%	50	47	6,600	4.5%	6	5
District of Columbia*	13,700	14,200	14,300	100	0.7%	28	14	600	4.4%	27	6
Ohio	256,800	262,700	268,000	5,300	2.0%	1	2	11,200	4.4%	3	6
North Carolina	276,300	286,800	287,600	800	0.30%	16	21	11,300	4.1%	2	8
Idaho	73,400	75,400	76,100	700	0.9%	19	9	2,700	3.7%	11	9
Minnesota	140,400	144,400	145,500	1,100	0.8%	10	13	5,100	3.6%	8	10
Alabama	108,300	111,300	111,600	300	0.3%	24	21	3,300	3.0%	9	11
Montana	37,000	38,300	38,100	-200	-0.5%	40	42	1,100	3.0%	21	11
Oklahoma	88,500	91,100	91,100	0	0.0%	33	33	2,600	2.9%	12	13
Illinois	240,400	246,700	246,900	200	0.1%	25	29	6,500	2.7%	7	14
Vermont	16,300	16,500	16,700	200	1.2%	25	5	400	2.5%	31	15
Texas	892,800	912,800	914,400	1,600	0.2%	8	25	21,600	2.4%	1	16
South Carolina	123,300	125,800	125,900	100	0.1%	28	29	2,600	2.1%	12	17
Connecticut	63,800	64,500	65,100	600	0.9%	21	9	1,300	2.0%	18	18
Delaware*	24,400	23,900	24,900	1,000	4.2%	12	1	500	2.0%	29	18
Hawaii*	40,000	41,300	40,800	-500	-1.2%	43	47	800	2.0%	24	18
North Dakota	30,000	30,600	30,500	-100	-0.3%	38	38	500	1.7%	29	21
Iowa	84,600	85,700	85,800	100	0.1%	28	29	1,200	1.4%	19	22
Maryland	165,200	165,100	167,100	2,000	1.2%	5	5	1,900	1.2%	14	23
Nevada	111,500	115,400	112,800	-2,600	-2.3%	51	51	1,300	1.2%	17	23
Maine	36,100	36,700	36,500	-200	-0.5%	40	42	400	1.1%	31	25
Colorado	186,600	189,000	188,300	-700	-0.4%	45	41	1,700	0.9%	15	26
Kentucky	92,900	92,500	93,600	1,100	1.2%	10	5	700	0.8%	26	27
Massachusetts	167,100	166,300	168,300	2,000	1.2%	5	5	1,200	0.7%	19	28
New Hampshire	32,300	32,500	32,500	0	0.0%	33	33	200	0.6%	33	29
Utah	142,300	142,400	143,100	700	0.5%	19	17	800	0.6%	24	29
Tennessee	165,000	165,000	165,900	900	0.5%	15	17	900	0.5%	23	31
Virginia	226,800	225,800	227,900	2,100	0.9%	4	9	1,100	0.5%	21	31
Rhode Island	22,600	22,500	22,700	200	0.9%	25	9	100	0.4%	34	33
Pennsylvania	263,300	263,100	263,900	800	0.3%	16	21	600	0.2%	27	34
Wyoming	23,900	23,900	23,900	0	0.0%	33	33	0	0.0%	35	35
Washington	219,200	217,400	218,900	1,500	0.7%	9	14	-300	-0.1%	38	36
Arkansas	66,900	66,600	66,700	100	0.2%	28	25	-200	-0.3%	37	37
South Dakota	30,000	29,800	29,900	100	0.3%	28	21	-100	-0.3%	36	37
Indiana	174,700	174,400	173,100	-1,300	-0.7%	49	46	-1,600	-0.9%	42	39
California	896,000	884,600	886,600	2,000	0.2%	5	25	-9,400	-1.0%	51	40
Georgia	234,000	232,500	231,300	-1,200	-0.5%	48	42	-2,700	-1.2%	45	41
Michigan	199,800	198,100	197,500	-600	-0.3%	44	38	-2,300	-1.2%	44	41
Arizona	227,100	223,800	224,200	400	0.2%	23	25	-2,900	-1.3%	47	43
Florida	660,200	648,900	651,500	2,600	0.4%	3	20	-8,700	-1.3%	50	43
Kansas	73,800	73,200	72,800	-400	-0.5%	42	42	-1,000	-1.4%	40	45
Oregon	113,400	111,700	111,700	0	0.0%	33	33	-1,700	-1.5%	43	46
Mississippi	53,200	53,000	52,300	-700	-1.3%	45	49	-900	-1.7%	39	47
New York	392,600	385,000	385,500	500	0.10%	22	29	-7,100	-1.8%	49	48
New Jersey	166,500	162,100	162,900	800	0.5%	16	17	-3,600	-2.2%	48	49
New Mexico	55,600	53,700	52,900	-800	-1.5%	47	50	-2,700	-4.9%	45	50
Alaska	19,900	18,600	18,600	0	0.0%	33	33	-1,300	-6.5%	41	51

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