



State Construction Employment (seasonally adjusted), Ranked by Latest 1-month % Change

	<u>February</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>1-month gain or loss</u>			<u>36-month gain or loss</u>			
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank**</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>% rank**</u>	
Minnesota	128,100	131,200	133,100	135,300	2,200	1.7%	1	7,200	5.6%	22	
Rhode Island	20,400	20,900	23,100	23,500	400	1.7%	1	3,100	15.2%	6	
Mississippi	45,100	47,800	46,900	47,600	700	1.5%	3	2,500	5.5%	23	
North Dakota	28,100	26,200	26,200	26,600	400	1.5%	3	-1,500	-5.3%	50	
Nevada	99,300	102,500	113,200	114,600	1,400	1.2%	5	15,300	15.4%	5	
Oregon	112,300	115,200	121,300	122,700	1,400	1.2%	5	10,400	9.3%	11	
New Mexico	51,900	48,700	50,200	50,700	500	1.0%	7	-1,200	-2.3%	45	
California	910,200	911,600	913,500	921,100	7,600	0.8%	8	10,900	1.2%	40	
Arizona	175,800	189,500	193,300	194,400	1,100	0.6%	9	18,600	10.6%	10	
Georgia	208,000	211,000	221,400	222,700	1,300	0.6%	9	14,700	7.1%	16	
Alabama	94,500	98,000	101,000	101,500	500	0.5%	11	7,000	7.4%	14	
Arkansas	53,300	56,600	59,900	60,200	300	0.5%	11	6,900	12.9%	7	
Connecticut	59,500	61,200	61,600	61,900	300	0.5%	11	2,400	4.0%	27	
Ohio	232,700	232,300	239,600	240,800	1,200	0.5%	11	8,100	3.5%	29	
Michigan	177,800	181,900	188,600	189,400	800	0.4%	15	11,600	6.5%	18	
Maine	30,700	32,800	33,000	33,100	100	0.3%	16	2,400	7.8%	13	
Montana	30,900	35,500	38,700	38,800	100	0.3%	16	7,900	25.6%	1	
Texas	781,100	764,200	799,500	802,100	2,600	0.3%	16	21,000	2.7%	34	
Utah	113,800	128,500	137,500	137,900	400	0.3%	16	24,100	21.2%	3	
Colorado	179,400	181,600	179,800	180,100	300	0.2%	20	700	0.4%	41	
New York	409,600	384,100	403,800	404,500	700	0.2%	20	-5,100	-1.2%	43	
Florida	577,400	591,000	610,200	610,700	500	0.1%	22	33,300	5.8%	20	
Massachusetts	166,300	169,200	171,800	172,000	200	0.1%	22	5,700	3.4%	31	
Missouri	129,000	137,900	138,400	138,600	200	0.1%	22	9,600	7.4%	14	
Delaware*	23,300	23,500	24,100	24,100	0	0.0%	25	800	3.4%	31	
New Hampshire	28,700	29,900	30,100	30,100	0	0.0%	25	1,400	4.9%	25	
New Jersey	164,000	165,000	166,200	166,200	0	0.0%	25	2,200	1.3%	39	
South Dakota	24,000	26,200	25,000	25,000	0	0.0%	25	1,000	4.2%	26	
Vermont	15,300	15,400	15,800	15,800	0	0.0%	25	500	3.3%	33	
Wisconsin	127,200	130,100	134,200	134,200	0	0.0%	25	7,000	5.5%	23	
Washington	223,500	229,400	237,400	237,300	-100	-0.04%	31	13,800	6.2%	19	
North Carolina	234,300	244,100	253,800	253,500	-300	-0.1%	32	19,200	8.2%	12	
Maryland	167,300	161,900	162,100	161,600	-500	-0.3%	33	-5,700	-3.4%	46	
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										Virginia	207
										West Virginia	33
										District of Columbia*	15
										Indiana	150
										Kansas	64
										Tennessee	132
										Idaho	55
										Alaska	16
									-1.8%	44	
Iowa	79,000	81,200	85,900	84,300	-1,600	-1.9%	50	5,300	6.7%	17	
Hawaii*	37,700	36,900	39,900	39,100	-800	-2.0%	51	1,400	3.7%	28	

Source: Associated General Contractors of America, www.agc.org, from Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), U.S. Department of Labor, www.bls.gov/sae, 3/24/2023. BLS posts data either for construction alone or construction, mining and logging combined.