

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

|                       | <u>August</u> | <u>July</u> | <u>August</u> | <u>1-month gain or loss</u> |          |               |                 | <u>12-month gain or loss</u> |          |               |                 |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------------|-----------------|------------------------------|----------|---------------|-----------------|
|                       | <u>2023</u>   | <u>2024</u> | <u>2024</u>   | <u>Number</u>               | <u>%</u> | <u># rank</u> | <u>% rank**</u> | <u>Number</u>                | <u>%</u> | <u># rank</u> | <u>% rank**</u> |
| Alaska                | 17,400        | 20,500      | 20,500        | 0                           | 0.0%     | 29            | 29              | 3,100                        | 17.8%    | 23            | 1               |
| Hawaii*               | 37,900        | 42,800      | 42,600        | -200                        | -0.5%    | 36            | 42              | 4,700                        | 12.4%    | 18            | 2               |
| Nevada                | 113,000       | 125,000     | 125,700       | 700                         | 0.6%     | 17            | 20              | 12,700                       | 11.2%    | 4             | 3               |
| Montana               | 36,500        | 39,600      | 40,200        | 600                         | 1.5%     | 21            | 4               | 3,700                        | 10.1%    | 22            | 4               |
| Oklahoma              | 82,500        | 88,100      | 89,100        | 1,000                       | 1.1%     | 13            | 6               | 6,600                        | 8.0%     | 12            | 5               |
| Michigan              | 190,000       | 203,800     | 205,100       | 1,300                       | 0.6%     | 10            | 20              | 15,100                       | 7.9%     | 3             | 6               |
| Indiana               | 161,100       | 171,100     | 172,900       | 1,800                       | 1.1%     | 5             | 6               | 11,800                       | 7.3%     | 5             | 7               |
| South Dakota          | 28,400        | 30,400      | 30,300        | -100                        | -0.3%    | 32            | 34              | 1,900                        | 6.7%     | 30            | 8               |
| Utah                  | 135,300       | 142,200     | 143,900       | 1,700                       | 1.2%     | 8             | 5               | 8,600                        | 6.4%     | 9             | 9               |
| Louisiana             | 130,400       | 137,900     | 138,500       | 600                         | 0.4%     | 21            | 22              | 8,100                        | 6.2%     | 10            | 10              |
| West Virginia         | 32,400        | 33,800      | 34,400        | 600                         | 1.8%     | 21            | 2               | 2,000                        | 6.2%     | 29            | 10              |
| Arkansas              | 63,400        | 66,500      | 67,200        | 700                         | 1.1%     | 17            | 6               | 3,800                        | 6.0%     | 21            | 12              |
| Florida               | 631,500       | 666,700     | 667,700       | 1,000                       | 0.1%     | 13            | 28              | 36,200                       | 5.7%     | 2             | 13              |
| Missouri              | 143,000       | 151,200     | 150,800       | -400                        | -0.3%    | 41            | 34              | 7,800                        | 5.5%     | 11            | 14              |
| Virginia              | 215,500       | 225,000     | 227,300       | 2,300                       | 1.0%     | 2             | 9               | 11,800                       | 5.5%     | 5             | 14              |
| South Carolina        | 112,900       | 118,200     | 119,000       | 800                         | 0.7%     | 15            | 15              | 6,100                        | 5.4%     | 14            | 16              |
| Alabama               | 101,700       | 106,500     | 106,400       | -100                        | -0.1%    | 32            | 32              | 4,700                        | 4.6%     | 18            | 17              |
| Idaho                 | 68,600        | 70,900      | 71,600        | 700                         | 1.0%     | 17            | 9               | 3,000                        | 4.4%     | 25            | 18              |
| Texas                 | 824,300       | 852,600     | 860,900       | 8,300                       | 1.0%     | 1             | 9               | 36,600                       | 4.4%     | 1             | 18              |
| Wisconsin             | 136,700       | 139,900     | 142,200       | 2,300                       | 1.6%     | 2             | 3               | 5,500                        | 4.0%     | 16            | 20              |
| Ohio                  | 237,900       | 245,400     | 247,200       | 1,800                       | 0.7%     | 5             | 15              | 9,300                        | 3.9%     | 7             | 21              |
| Massachusetts         | 172,800       | 177,800     | 179,400       | 1,600                       | 0.9%     | 9             | 12              | 6,600                        | 3.8%     | 12            | 22              |
| Iowa                  | 82,700        | 85,100      | 85,800        | 700                         | 0.80%    | 17            | 14              | 3,100                        | 3.7%     | 23            | 23              |
| Kansas                | 67,800        | 70,200      | 70,200        | 0                           | 0.0%     | 29            | 29              | 2,400                        | 3.5%     | 27            | 24              |
| North Carolina        | 260,700       | 268,100     | 269,900       | 1,800                       | 0.7%     | 5             | 15              | 9,200                        | 3.5%     | 8             | 24              |
| Kentucky              | 90,000        | 93,700      | 93,000        | -700                        | -0.7%    | 45            | 46              | 3,000                        | 3.3%     | 25            | 26              |
| Tennessee             | 154,200       | 160,800     | 158,300       | -2,500                      | -1.6%    | 50            | 51              | 4,100                        | 2.7%     | 20            | 27              |
| North Dakota          | 27,900        | 28,500      | 28,600        | 100                         | 0.4%     | 26            | 22              | 700                          | 2.5%     | 31            | 28              |
| Arizona               | 212,000       | 217,500     | 217,100       | -400                        | -0.2%    | 41            | 33              | 5,100                        | 2.4%     | 17            | 29              |
| Wyoming               | 22,300        | 22,200      | 22,700        | 500                         | 2.3%     | 24            | 1               | 400                          | 1.8%     | 34            | 30              |
| Mississippi           | 48,800        | 49,700      | 49,500        | -200                        | -0.4%    | 36            | 40              | 700                          | 1.4%     | 31            | 31              |
| Connecticut           | 62,000        | 63,000      | 62,700        | -300                        | -0.5%    | 40            | 42              | 700                          | 1.1%     | 31            | 32              |
| Illinois              | 234,100       | 234,300     | 236,500       | 2,200                       | 0.9%     | 4             | 12              | 2,400                        | 1.0%     | 27            | 33              |
| California            | 916,400       | 925,700     | 922,400       | -3,300                      | -0.4%    | 51            | 40              | 6,000                        | 0.7%     | 15            | 34              |
| Nebraska              | 61,000        | 61,600      | 61,400        | -200                        | -0.3%    | 36            | 34              | 400                          | 0.7%     | 34            | 34              |
| New Mexico            | 53,200        | 54,100      | 53,500        | -600                        | -1.1%    | 44            | 50              | 300                          | 0.6%     | 36            | 36              |
| Delaware*             | 23,800        | 23,800      | 23,900        | 100                         | 0.4%     | 26            | 22              | 100                          | 0.4%     | 37            | 37              |
| New Hampshire         | 31,500        | 31,700      | 31,600        | -100                        | -0.3%    | 32            | 34              | 100                          | 0.3%     | 37            | 38              |
| Washington            | 232,700       | 233,600     | 232,800       | -800                        | -0.3%    | 46            | 34              | 100                          | 0.04%    | 37            | 39              |
| Georgia               | 220,900       | 220,100     | 220,900       | 800                         | 0.4%     | 15            | 22              | 0                            | 0.0%     | 40            | 40              |
| New Jersey            | 165,800       | 167,300     | 165,700       | -1,600                      | -1.0%    | 49            | 49              | -100                         | -0.1%    | 41            | 41              |
| Pennsylvania          | 260,000       | 258,900     | 259,400       | 500                         | 0.2%     | 24            | 27              | -600                         | -0.2%    | 45            | 42              |
| New York              | 390,300       | 384,400     | 385,600       | 1,200                       | 0.3%     | 12            | 26              | -4,700                       | -1.2%    | 50            | 43              |
| Colorado              | 185,700       | 182,000     | 183,300       | 1,300                       | 0.7%     | 10            | 15              | -2,400                       | -1.3%    | 48            | 44              |
| Rhode Island          | 21,600        | 21,500      | 21,300        | -200                        | -0.9%    | 36            | 48              | -300                         | -1.4%    | 42            | 45              |
| Minnesota             | 135,800       | 134,700     | 133,800       | -900                        | -0.7%    | 48            | 46              | -2,000                       | -1.5%    | 47            | 46              |
| Oregon                | 117,000       | 115,000     | 114,600       | -400                        | -0.30%   | 41            | 34              | -2,400                       | -2.1%    | 48            | 47              |
| District of Columbia* | 14,900        | 14,400      | 14,500        | 100                         | 0.7%     | 26            | 15              | -400                         | -2.7%    | 43            | 48              |
| Maryland              | 159,900       | 155,900     | 155,100       | -800                        | -0.5%    | 46            | 42              | -4,800                       | -3.0%    | 51            | 49              |
| Vermont               | 15,900        | 15,500      | 15,400        | -100                        | -0.6%    | 32            | 45              | -500                         | -3.1%    | 44            | 50              |
| Maine                 | 34,000        | 32,400      | 32,400        | 0                           | 0.0%     | 29            | 29              | -1,600                       | -4.7%    | 46            | 51              |

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