

### State Construction Employment (seasonally adjusted), 2/09-2/10

	<u>Feb</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>Dec</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>Jan</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>Feb</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>1-mo. %</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>1-mo Job</u> <u>Loss/Gain</u>	<u>12-mo. %</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>Total Job</u> <u>Loss/Gain</u>	<u>12-mo. % change</u> <u>Rank</u>
Alaska	16,700	15,700	16,000	16,800	5.0%	800	0.6%	100	1
North Dakota	20,100	19,700	19,900	19,800	-0.5%	-100	-1.5%	-300	2
New Hampshire	23,800	22,000	22,000	23,200	5.5%	1,200	-2.5%	-600	3
Nebraska*	48,500	46,200	46,600	46,300	-0.6%	-300	-4.5%	-2,200	4
Louisiana	134,600	125,100	125,600	127,600	1.6%	2,000	-5.2%	-7,000	5
South Dakota*	22,300	20,800	20,800	20,800	0.0%	0	-6.7%	-1,500	6
Iowa	69,100	61,000	63,100	63,500	0.6%	400	-8.1%	-5,600	7
Arkansas	54,400	51,600	51,100	49,900	-2.3%	-1,200	-8.3%	-4,500	8
Kansas	60,500	56,500	54,900	55,100	0.4%	200	-8.9%	-5,400	9
New York	339,000	309,700	308,700	307,300	-0.5%	-1,400	-9.4%	-31,700	10
Oklahoma	72,900	66,200	66,900	65,800	-1.6%	-1,100	-9.7%	-7,100	11
Rhode Island	18,400	16,900	16,600	16,600	0.0%	0	-9.8%	-1,800	12
Wisconsin	108,500	95,800	94,400	97,200	3.0%	2,800	-10.4%	-11,300	13
Pennsylvania	238,900	216,500	215,600	212,300	-1.5%	-3,300	-11.1%	-26,600	14
Connecticut	58,600	52,900	52,100	52,000	-0.2%	-100	-11.3%	-6,600	15
Virginia	200,500	184,600	184,200	177,500	-3.6%	-6,700	-11.5%	-23,000	16
Minnesota	98,200	87,400	89,600	86,800	-3.1%	-2,800	-11.6%	-11,400	17
Montana	25,500	21,600	22,700	22,500	-0.9%	-200	-11.8%	-3,000	18
Indiana	128,700	117,700	115,000	113,100	-1.7%	-1,900	-12.1%	-15,600	19
Mississippi	54,000	48,100	46,800	47,400	1.3%	600	-12.2%	-6,600	20
Hawaii*	33,800	29,700	30,100	29,600	-1.7%	-500	-12.4%	-4,200	21
Wyoming	25,100	22,100	23,100	21,900	-5.2%	-1,200	-12.7%	-3,200	22
Maine	26,600	23,900	22,200	23,200	4.5%	1,000	-12.8%	-3,400	23
Alabama	96,000	85,900	85,000	83,400	-1.9%	-1,600	-13.1%	-12,600	24
Tennessee*	116,900	101,200	103,100	101,500	-1.6%	-1,600	-13.2%	-15,400	25
Texas	634,900	554,000	553,800	549,200	-0.8%	-4,600	-13.5%	-85,700	26
South Carolina	94,200	82,700	81,600	81,400	-0.2%	-200	-13.6%	-12,800	27
Vermont	14,300	11,800	12,500	12,300	-1.6%	-200	-14.0%	-2,000	28
New Jersey	147,900	130,700	126,500	126,900	0.3%	400	-14.2%	-21,000	29
Michigan	138,900	118,700	121,000	118,700	-1.9%	-2,300	-14.5%	-20,200	30
Utah	75,800	68,300	65,200	64,500	-1.1%	-700	-14.9%	-11,300	31
Illinois	235,500	202,300	201,800	200,100	-0.8%	-1,700	-15.0%	-35,400	32
Maryland*	164,200	144,800	147,200	139,200	-5.4%	-8,000	-15.2%	-25,000	33
Massachusetts	120,300	105,600	101,600	101,900	0.3%	300	-15.3%	-18,400	34
New Mexico	51,300	45,200	44,700	43,200	-3.4%	-1,500	-15.8%	-8,100	35
Delaware*	21,600	18,300	18,300	18,100	-1.1%	-200	-16.2%	-3,500	36
Ohio	195,500	171,700	168,900	163,600	-3.1%	-5,300	-16.3%	-31,900	37
Georgia	179,500	156,900	152,600	149,100	-2.3%	-3,500	-16.9%	-30,400	38
Florida	429,400	358,600	354,800	355,800	0.3%	1,000	-17.1%	-73,600	39
West Virginia	37,200	33,500	32,200	30,800	-4.3%	-1,400	-17.2%	-6,400	40
North Carolina	206,900	177,900	173,400	171,000	-1.4%	-2,400	-17.4%	-35,900	41
California	676,200	568,500	577,800	556,300	-3.7%	-21,500	-17.7%	-119,900	42
Kentucky	77,600	69,500	64,600	63,900	-1.1%	-700	-17.7%	-13,700	42
Idaho	37,600	31,700	30,700	30,700	0.0%	0	-18.4%	-6,900	44
Oregon	79,000	68,000	66,300	64,500	-2.7%	-1,800	-18.4%	-14,500	44
Washington	174,600	142,200	146,200	141,400	-3.3%	-4,800	-19.0%	-33,200	46
Arizona	146,100	113,700	114,400	115,500	1.0%	1,100	-20.9%	-30,600	47
Colorado	145,300	117,300	115,300	115,000	-0.3%	-300	-20.9%	-30,300	47
Missouri	126,500	111,400	103,700	98,900	-4.6%	-4,800	-21.8%	-27,600	49
District of Columbia*	12,800	10,800	10,800	9,600	-11.1%	-1,200	-25.0%	-3,200	50
Nevada	95,100	70,800	69,300	68,700	-0.9%	-600	-27.8%	-26,400	51

\*Mining and logging is combined with construction.

Source: Associated General Contractors of America, [www.agc.org](http://www.agc.org), from Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), U.S. Department of Labor, [www.bls.gov/sae](http://www.bls.gov/sae), 3/26/10. BLS posts data either for construction alone or construction, mining and logging combined.