

State Construction Employment (seasonally adjusted), 5/09-5/10

	<u>May</u> <u>2009</u>	<u>Mar</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>Apr</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>May</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>
Kansas	58,300	57,300	62,500	61,900	-1.0%	-600	6.2%	3,600	1
North Dakota	20,200	20,000	21,100	21,300	0.9%	200	5.4%	1,100	2
Arkansas	50,300	52,200	51,900	51,800	-0.2%	-100	3.0%	1,500	3
Alaska	16,300	16,200	16,500	16,700	1.2%	200	2.5%	400	4
New Hampshire	22,500	22,300	22,500	22,800	1.3%	300	1.3%	300	5
Oklahoma	69,300	66,500	69,100	68,600	-0.7%	-500	-1.0%	-700	6
West Virginia	34,300	32,500	32,900	33,800	2.7%	900	-1.5%	-500	7
Nebraska*	47,600	46,200	46,300	46,300	0.0%	0	-2.7%	-1,300	8
Iowa	65,500	63,000	63,600	63,600	0.0%	0	-2.9%	-1,900	9
Pennsylvania	225,500	216,700	220,600	218,700	-0.9%	-1,900	-3.0%	-6,800	10
Virginia	189,700	178,700	182,000	182,900	0.5%	900	-3.6%	-6,800	11
Hawaii*	32,000	30,700	29,500	30,700	4.1%	1,200	-4.1%	-1,300	12
Wisconsin	102,400	99,300	101,600	98,100	-3.4%	-3,500	-4.2%	-4,300	13
Maryland*	156,700	146,100	147,600	149,300	1.2%	1,700	-4.7%	-7,400	14
Montana	23,500	22,600	22,500	22,400	-0.4%	-100	-4.7%	-1,100	14
Massachusetts	112,000	101,700	105,100	106,500	1.3%	1,400	-4.9%	-5,500	16
Louisiana	130,900	123,400	121,700	124,100	2.0%	2,400	-5.2%	-6,800	17
Ohio	181,000	165,000	169,200	170,900	1.0%	1,700	-5.6%	-10,100	18
Rhode Island	17,400	16,400	15,800	16,400	3.8%	600	-5.7%	-1,000	19
Tennessee*	110,000	102,800	103,100	103,500	0.4%	400	-5.9%	-6,500	20
Indiana	121,600	118,000	116,800	114,200	-2.2%	-2,600	-6.1%	-7,400	21
New York	326,400	311,800	315,800	306,000	-3.1%	-9,800	-6.3%	-20,400	22
Alabama	93,100	83,200	85,700	87,100	1.6%	1,400	-6.4%	-6,000	23
Kentucky	73,500	67,800	68,800	68,700	-0.1%	-100	-6.5%	-4,800	24
Mississippi	52,100	47,700	47,700	48,600	1.9%	900	-6.7%	-3,500	25
Connecticut	54,700	52,400	52,200	50,900	-2.5%	-1,300	-6.9%	-3,800	26
Texas	602,000	543,800	556,500	558,500	0.4%	2,000	-7.2%	-43,500	27
Utah	71,300	65,600	66,500	65,800	-1.1%	-700	-7.7%	-5,500	28
South Dakota*	21,800	20,400	20,900	20,100	-3.8%	-800	-7.8%	-1,700	29
Michigan	128,600	119,000	122,400	118,200	-3.4%	-4,200	-8.1%	-10,400	30
District of Columbia*	12,100	10,800	10,700	11,100	3.7%	400	-8.3%	-1,000	31
Delaware*	20,200	18,000	18,200	18,300	0.5%	100	-9.4%	-1,900	32
Florida	399,300	361,400	364,700	360,200	-1.2%	-4,500	-9.8%	-39,100	33
New Jersey	140,100	128,500	126,700	126,000	-0.6%	-700	-10.1%	-14,100	34
Maine	25,300	23,400	21,900	22,700	3.7%	800	-10.3%	-2,600	35
Oregon	73,700	64,300	65,100	65,600	0.8%	500	-11.0%	-8,100	36
Arizona	130,900	113,300	115,600	116,200	0.5%	600	-11.2%	-14,700	37
North Carolina	194,500	173,800	172,100	171,900	-0.1%	-200	-11.6%	-22,600	38
Illinois	219,500	199,100	200,100	193,600	-3.2%	-6,500	-11.8%	-25,900	39
Georgia	169,400	147,700	148,600	148,700	0.1%	100	-12.2%	-20,700	40
Minnesota	94,500	85,700	85,100	82,900	-2.6%	-2,200	-12.3%	-11,600	41
South Carolina	89,100	80,900	78,600	78,100	-0.6%	-500	-12.3%	-11,000	41
New Mexico	48,100	42,800	43,000	42,100	-2.1%	-900	-12.5%	-6,000	43
California	632,900	555,700	554,200	552,000	-0.4%	-2,200	-12.8%	-80,900	44
Idaho	34,200	30,200	29,500	29,800	1.0%	300	-12.9%	-4,400	45
Wyoming	24,700	21,500	23,000	21,500	-6.5%	-1,500	-13.0%	-3,200	46
Colorado	131,600	112,600	110,900	112,400	1.4%	1,500	-14.6%	-19,200	47
Vermont	13,600	12,200	11,600	11,600	0.0%	0	-14.7%	-2,000	48
Missouri	120,000	103,100	102,700	102,000	-0.7%	-700	-15.0%	-18,000	49
Washington	163,200	139,300	138,500	137,800	-0.5%	-700	-15.6%	-25,400	50
Nevada	82,200	64,600	63,500	63,300	-0.3%	-200	-23.0%	-18,900	51

*Mining and logging is combined with construction.

Source: Associated General Contractors of America, www.agc.org, from Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), U.S. Department of Labor, www.bls.gov/sae, 6/18/10. BLS posts data either for construction alone or construction, mining and logging combined.