

Estimated State Construction Unemployment Rates

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Ranked by the Change in the Most Recent Monthly Construction Unemployment Rate from the Previous Month

Area	Apr-04	Apr-05	Apr-06	Apr-07	Apr-08	Apr-09	Apr-10	Apr-11	Apr-12	Apr-13	Apr-14	Apr-15	Apr-16	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17	Apr-17	Mo. Change	Rank
United States*	9.5	7.4	6.9	8.6	11.1	18.7	21.8	17.8	14.5	13.2	9.4	7.5	6.0	5.7	5.7	7.4	9.4	8.8	8.4	6.3	-2.1	
States																						
Minnesota	7.7	5.6	8.1	13.4	14.6	19.0	16.0	12.3	9.7	10.7	7.9	6.0	5.3	5.5	6.3	10.6	13.7	12.9	10.7	4.1	-6.6	1
Wisconsin	9.8	7.7	7.9	13.7	10.2	16.1	19.3	16.5	13.6	17.0	13.1	6.6	5.6	6.5	6.8	10.1	11.8	12.7	10.1	3.6	-6.5	2
Connecticut	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.5	12.6	16.8	20.5	18.5	17.1	14.5	11.1	9.0	7.7	6.0	6.7	8.2	13.6	13.0	12.2	6.0	-6.2	3
Rhode Island	6.4	7.3	5.8	8.7	14.9	21.7	24.5	24.1	26.4	19.2	16.9	11.3	8.5	8.1	7.6	9.8	16.4	15.1	11.9	5.9	-6.0	4
New Hampshire	3.3	3.7	5.6	10.2	7.4	17.7	20.6	9.7	9.7	11.5	7.3	5.4	3.1	3.5	3.6	4.8	8.6	8.0	8.0	2.6	-5.4	5
Montana	14.2	4.8	6.5	4.8	8.9	13.4	13.6	14.4	9.4	9.9	6.5	5.7	6.0	6.6	6.2	13.8	15.5	10.3	9.9	5.5	-4.4	6
Alaska	17.3	11.9	18.8	15.2	16.7	18.2	16.5	20.9	15.5	17.3	15.1	11.7	11.4	13.4	16.7	17.2	22.4	16.8	20.9	16.8	-4.1	7
North Dakota	13.8	9.4	8.3	9.6	3.6	10.7	6.9	7.0	4.9	5.3	4.3	3.9	4.5	2.1	5.0	11.0	9.6	7.1	5.4	1.3	-4.1	7
Indiana	7.8	9.1	8.5	9.6	10.8	21.5	24.9	15.1	11.2	11.8	7.8	5.6	4.7	4.7	5.5	7.7	9.0	9.6	6.6	2.6	-4.0	9
Wyoming	8.1	8.0	3.4	6.4	2.8	9.1	6.5	6.1	3.7	3.1	6.2	5.3	3.8	4.8	5.8	9.4	9.9	7.9	6.9	3.0	-3.9	10
Michigan	11.6	11.7	14.0	15.9	17.9	27.2	31.0	25.4	17.6	13.5	11.5	6.5	4.6	4.4	4.8	7.5	9.6	9.5	8.1	4.3	-3.8	11
Arkansas	9.2	9.6	7.2	10.6	13.8	22.5	21.9	16.4	14.9	19.7	13.5	11.1	6.7	5.7	7.2	8.5	10.2	9.9	10.4	6.7	-3.7	12
Nebraska	3.8	4.9	3.1	2.3	1.6	6.4	5.1	6.3	5.0	6.0	4.4	1.9	2.7	3.7	3.6	7.9	8.9	6.0	5.3	1.6	-3.7	12
Idaho	6.3	5.4	3.2	3.1	9.0	16.9	23.2	20.1	11.1	9.5	7.2	5.1	3.2	3.8	4.2	4.3	7.7	6.0	6.2	2.6	-3.6	14
South Dakota	8.2	7.6	3.4	4.1	7.0	13.2	10.4	7.4	9.8	5.8	5.7	1.9	4.7	4.4	4.0	9.0	10.2	9.2	5.5	1.9	-3.6	14
Pennsylvania	10.0	6.6	6.2	7.7	8.5	14.6	18.2	14.9	14.2	16.9	10.0	7.7	7.8	8.5	8.2	10.3	12.3	13.3	12.0	8.5	-3.5	16
Alabama	10.1	4.5	5.7	7.5	8.9	17.8	25.7	24.2	14.3	13.7	11.4	10.0	8.2	8.1	8.4	10.2	12.1	11.4	11.6	8.3	-3.3	17
Maryland	6.0	5.5	4.8	4.0	5.1	10.4	13.9	13.5	10.5	11.1	6.9	7.1	5.2	5.6	5.0	6.3	8.5	8.6	9.1	5.8	-3.3	17
Kentucky	12.1	10.9	8.0	8.8	13.5	19.8	20.6	18.2	12.9	14.4	12.5	6.6	5.7	5.8	5.3	7.9	11.1	10.0	10.9	7.7	-3.2	19
Vermont	6.1	10.3	9.2	8.7	9.6	18.0	14.1	13.8	7.1	10.1	4.8	5.7	4.1	3.3	4.7	5.5	9.7	7.9	7.4	4.4	-3.0	20
New Jersey	10.8	5.4	8.0	8.1	10.0	14.4	20.8	19.1	20.1	17.3	8.4	9.2	7.0	6.4	6.1	7.1	10.6	10.3	9.5	6.6	-2.9	21
Illinois	9.5	9.6	6.7	9.6	12.1	22.9	27.8	19.1	17.7	19.6	12.7	8.6	8.9	8.4	9.0	13.0	16.1	12.5	11.6	8.8	-2.8	22
Iowa	3.4	4.5	3.3	5.2	4.3	10.4	8.0	8.2	4.6	6.1	5.7	1.7	2.6	4.1	4.0	8.2	12.3	7.4	5.6	2.8	-2.8	22
Ohio	12.1	9.9	10.1	12.5	13.0	23.5	28.0	19.9	14.6	15.5	5.9	6.7	6.3	6.2	6.3	10.0	12.3	11.6	10.4	7.6	-2.8	22
West Virginia	12.3	9.0	7.9	9.2	7.4	19.7	17.7	13.7	13.4	8.5	9.5	9.7	8.4	7.7	7.3	10.9	16.2	14.0	10.6	8.0	-2.6	25
New York	13.4	11.3	9.8	10.1	10.9	13.7	16.0	14.8	16.0	12.9	11.2	7.8	6.0	6.7	6.3	8.2	10.4	10.4	8.9	6.5	-2.4	26
Missouri	9.8	8.0	5.6	9.7	10.2	17.6	20.5	14.6	11.8	13.9	12.5	9.3	6.2	6.3	5.3	7.8	11.0	10.6	9.8	7.6	-2.2	27
Tennessee	9.0	8.4	9.9	8.6	11.7	24.6	22.9	18.8	13.9	20.1	11.0	9.7	7.3	7.7	6.8	8.4	12.0	9.6	10.0	7.8	-2.2	27
Hawaii**	10.1	4.7	5.3	6.4	10.1	21.4	18.4	21.1	17.0	11.9	9.6	7.5	6.1	4.7	4.9	4.3	7.1	6.5	7.0	4.9	-2.1	29
Nevada	2.0	2.7	4.0	6.3	10.7	24.8	36.6	31.0	21.3	20.8	12.3	10.8	7.6	5.0	5.4	6.0	8.7	8.3	7.1	5.0	-2.1	29
New Mexico	11.2	8.5	7.5	6.9	6.2	15.5	22.7	16.5	17.4	14.1	9.5	11.0	11.1	9.0	9.4	11.2	13.8	14.9	13.6	11.6	-2.0	31
Massachusetts	10.2	6.6	7.5	9.6	9.3	17.4	17.9	14.5	8.5	9.7	6.8	4.3	3.2	2.8	3.0	3.6	6.9	7.4	6.1	4.2	-1.9	32
Louisiana	13.5	6.9	3.8	8.0	8.1	9.3	9.3	7.6	10.5	10.7	10.2	9.9	8.5	5.0	6.7	7.6	7.4	7.0	10.4	8.7	-1.7	33
Oregon	16.7	12.1	7.6	9.3	15.1	26.8	30.8	17.8	16.9	13.1	8.6	8.1	5.6	4.6	4.8	5.6	7.1	5.8	6.1	4.5	-1.6	34
California	10.1	7.6	9.2	11.6	16.8	24.1	31.3	25.8	20.3	15.6	12.5	9.7	6.7	6.1	5.6	7.4	9.2	7.8	8.2	6.7	-1.5	35
Delaware**	5.8	4.1	4.0	5.3	6.2	15.5	12.7	9.4	13.4	11.4	6.9	6.5	6.8	5.9	4.7	5.6	8.9	8.2	8.4	6.9	-1.5	35
Florida	5.6	4.0	3.7	7.4	13.7	22.8	23.9	22.5	18.1	14.0	11.0	8.9	6.3	6.0	5.7	6.5	8.3	7.6	8.0	6.5	-1.5	35
South Carolina	12.1	10.1	9.6	9.5	12.9	23.7	24.2	17.3	14.0	11.3	7.9	8.2	5.4	3.9	3.8	4.9	6.3	7.0	6.3	4.8	-1.5	35
Colorado	8.1	4.7	4.5	4.2	8.1	14.2	18.8	17.0	15.3	10.8	6.9	5.0	3.6	3.0	3.5	4.0	6.6	4.4	4.1	2.7	-1.4	39

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Mississippi	11.0	11.2	10.3	13.1	8.3	19.6	18.4	17.7	9.6	12.2	9.6	8.1	7.6	7.1	6.4	9.0	10.2	8.8	9.2	7.9	-1.3	40
Maine	12.4	9.6	6.8	11.8	14.4	18.6	21.7	20.4	15.8	16.0	15.5	9.0	6.1	6.1	6.7	8.2	12.4	10.5	8.7	7.5	-1.2	41
North Carolina	8.8	5.6	4.3	7.7	11.7	18.7	27.5	21.4	15.7	12.7	8.0	7.8	5.6	5.4	5.4	6.3	8.7	7.4	8.1	7.0	-1.1	42
Virginia	5.1	3.9	3.8	5.1	6.0	12.7	12.4	10.6	6.7	8.6	7.8	5.5	3.7	4.1	4.2	4.9	6.3	6.7	5.7	4.6	-1.1	42
Texas	10.6	8.0	6.5	6.5	7.4	12.7	15.1	12.8	11.0	9.4	5.9	5.5	4.6	4.5	4.6	5.6	6.6	7.1	7.6	6.9	-0.7	44
Arizona	7.3	5.1	4.9	8.2	12.2	27.3	25.8	21.2	12.4	11.0	10.7	8.3	6.8	5.7	6.0	6.0	7.6	8.3	7.2	6.6	-0.6	45
Oklahoma	8.2	10.4	7.6	7.9	5.6	11.7	15.3	8.0	8.9	9.0	8.5	7.3	7.0	6.8	6.5	7.4	7.5	8.2	8.6	8.0	-0.6	45
Washington	10.6	9.7	7.5	5.5	10.2	19.8	25.8	19.7	17.0	16.0	10.2	8.8	7.5	6.8	7.1	8.8	11.2	9.1	8.2	7.6	-0.6	45
Utah	6.7	2.7	2.0	2.2	4.9	16.5	20.6	11.4	9.9	6.5	4.4	4.4	3.4	3.2	3.0	5.7	6.5	5.2	4.5	4.3	-0.2	48
Georgia	12.1	9.8	8.1	9.4	12.7	21.1	21.8	21.3	18.2	14.6	6.6	6.7	5.1	5.0	4.6	5.5	6.9	6.6	6.0	6.3	0.3	49
Kansas	9.7	10.4	5.5	6.1	4.7	10.2	13.1	13.3	9.5	8.7	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.9	6.8	8.1	7.2	5.2	5.8	0.6	50

* U.S. Construction Unemployment Rate as reported by BLS

** Unemployment Rate is for Construction + Mining + Logging

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) and Estimates for ABC