

Estimated State Construction Unemployment Rates

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Ranked by Most Recent Monthly Construction Unemployment Rate

Area	Jan-04	Jan-05	Jan-06	Jan-07	Jan-08	Jan-09	Jan-10	Jan-11	Jan-12	Jan-13	Jan-14	Jan-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	YoY Change	Rank	
United States*	11.3	11.8	9.0	8.9	11.0	18.2	24.7	22.5	17.7	16.1	12.3	9.8	5.5	6.1	5.5	6.2	6.2	7.5	8.5	-1.3		
States																						
Georgia	7.9	9.1	7.0	6.3	7.6	15.3	18.4	20.2	15.2	12.4	6.1	5.6	3.9	4.2	3.6	4.2	3.8	4.2	4.6	-1.0	1	
Texas	8.6	8.3	5.5	5.3	6.9	12.0	14.7	14.5	12.9	10.2	7.0	5.7	4.1	4.5	4.2	4.5	4.6	5.2	5.4	-0.3	2	
Colorado	10.3	7.1	6.6	6.7	8.8	14.3	20.5	23.7	19.1	13.4	9.7	7.4	3.3	3.9	3.4	3.0	3.8	4.4	5.7	-1.7	3	
Virginia	8.2	6.1	4.9	6.4	6.6	15.0	18.1	15.3	8.6	9.8	9.5	6.6	3.5	4.2	3.8	4.5	3.9	4.7	6.0	-0.6	4	
South Carolina	14.4	11.7	8.8	8.8	9.5	20.2	29.5	22.4	13.7	13.2	9.3	8.2	5.3	6.1	5.1	6.1	5.6	6.2	6.2	-2.0	5	
Oklahoma	7.0	12.1	6.6	6.5	5.9	9.3	18.3	11.9	11.4	10.9	11.1	6.8	4.6	5.3	4.8	5.6	5.1	6.0	6.4	-0.4	6	
New Hampshire	7.3	10.3	10.9	9.7	8.1	16.8	26.7	15.1	12.4	13.0	9.3	7.4	2.9	3.5	3.0	3.3	3.1	4.7	6.5	-0.9	7	
North Carolina	8.4	5.9	4.4	6.6	9.1	16.6	28.0	23.1	16.1	13.7	8.1	7.4	5.1	5.7	4.8	5.4	5.8	5.7	6.8	-0.6	8	
Massachusetts	15.8	14.8	13.7	13.3	12.9	23.4	23.0	20.3	12.2	13.9	11.1	8.3	4.0	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.3	6.0	6.9	-1.4	9	
Arizona	8.0	8.2	6.5	7.8	9.8	22.7	22.8	21.8	14.7	11.5	11.4	8.7	6.2	7.3	6.4	7.3	6.0	7.6	7.0	-1.7	10	
Hawaii**	13.3	6.1	5.7	7.0	8.0	18.9	17.5	24.3	17.6	13.5	12.1	9.6	4.3	5.7	5.5	6.1	5.1	5.0	7.0	-2.6	10	
Oregon	18.1	15.2	9.5	8.8	14.5	23.9	33.9	22.2	19.7	15.1	11.4	8.8	5.0	6.0	5.4	6.8	6.5	7.7	7.0	-1.8	10	
Nebraska	9.3	12.1	9.4	8.7	5.3	15.5	14.9	14.1	9.7	13.5	11.0	8.2	3.4	4.0	3.8	3.2	4.7	6.8	7.1	-1.1	13	
Utah	12.3	7.6	5.5	3.4	8.6	19.1	25.6	19.2	18.6	12.3	8.3	8.1	3.8	4.5	3.9	3.6	4.7	6.4	7.1	-1.0	13	
Florida	5.6	6.0	4.5	5.7	10.0	20.2	24.5	24.9	18.9	15.0	11.2	8.8	6.1	6.8	5.9	7.1	6.0	7.0	7.2	-1.6	15	
Tennessee***	7.0	7.1	7.2	5.8	7.8	17.7	23.8	21.3	13.1	17.7	11.4	10.6	6.6	7.2	6.2	7.1	6.7	7.9	7.3	-3.3	16	
California	9.9	10.4	9.0	8.9	13.0	20.8	28.5	26.3	19.4	15.6	13.1	9.2	5.8	6.3	5.7	6.9	6.6	7.5	7.6	-1.6	17	
South Dakota	11.9	14.6	5.5	5.6	9.5	18.4	18.3	15.0	17.8	13.1	12.0	10.8	3.2	4.4	4.7	3.5	5.7	7.5	8.0	-2.8	18	
Idaho	13.2	15.6	10.1	8.1	12.8	27.0	30.9	30.5	16.0	14.3	11.7	8.1	3.4	3.8	3.8	3.7	4.2	5.6	8.1	0.0	19	
New Jersey	13.6	10.4	11.3	10.3	10.4	14.1	22.3	22.6	20.2	18.7	10.4	11.1	6.0	6.1	5.7	6.2	5.3	6.4	8.2	-2.9	20	
Vermont	6.8	13.7	11.5	10.9	10.5	18.4	23.6	21.9	14.7	15.5	8.3	9.5	2.8	4.1	4.2	4.4	3.7	5.7	8.3	-1.2	21	
Maryland	7.4	8.2	6.1	5.2	5.5	12.5	20.0	19.8	13.8	14.6	10.7	11.0	6.1	6.8	6.3	7.1	6.6	8.1	8.5	-2.5	22	
Michigan	16.2	17.9	17.9	15.9	17.1	24.8	35.1	29.7	23.0	16.2	16.2	10.3	5.9	5.5	4.6	5.6	5.3	7.3	8.5	-1.8	22	
Kansas	14.5	20.0	7.8	7.0	7.8	11.5	21.8	21.0	12.6	13.9	7.8	8.1	4.2	5.1	4.2	4.2	5.1	5.9	8.8	0.7	24	
Mississippi	9.6	12.1	11.9	9.0	9.4	19.2	24.6	19.9	12.2	16.9	12.6	9.9	6.3	6.9	6.0	7.0	6.9	9.0	9.2	-0.7	25	
Missouri	11.1	14.8	7.9	11.7	11.6	19.6	23.4	19.8	15.0	18.9	15.8	11.8	6.3	6.8	5.8	5.9	6.3	7.1	9.3	-2.5	26	
Delaware**	8.3	8.4	7.4	7.5	8.7	16.8	16.4	13.9	18.9	14.5	10.0	10.3	5.2	6.6	5.5	6.0	6.9	5.9	9.4	-0.9	27	
Alabama	8.5	6.1	6.5	5.7	8.3	15.7	28.2	27.5	16.6	16.3	12.1	10.1	7.6	8.3	7.0	8.3	7.8	9.2	9.5	-0.6	28	
Indiana	14.5	18.3	11.8	14.6	14.7	23.7	35.4	24.0	18.3	17.9	13.2	11.0	4.8	5.2	4.8	5.1	5.7	7.6	9.7	-1.3	29	
Connecticut	12.2	11.1	10.3	9.7	11.7	14.6	22.4	20.1	18.3	15.1	13.8	10.7	5.9	6.3	5.6	6.5	6.3	8.0	9.8	-0.9	30	
Louisiana	11.9	11.1	4.8	8.4	11.5	12.3	13.2	15.3	15.7	15.8	10.4	12.2	7.6	8.7	7.3	8.1	7.5	8.1	9.8	-2.4	30	
Nevada	8.9	11.2	8.5	8.5	12.8	26.6	48.3	41.1	25.9	25.9	14.5	12.0	8.0	8.0	7.9	9.5	8.1	10.2	10.4	-1.6	32	
Arkansas	7.9	9.0	6.7	7.8	11.5	20.7	25.5	19.7	16.5	22.9	15.8	12.9	7.2	7.6	6.2	8.2	8.4	8.8	10.5	-2.4	33	
Minnesota	22.4	19.8	15.4	13.9	15.3	23.7	25.0	19.3	20.2	19.1	14.8	11.9	3.9	4.6	5.1	5.1	6.5	10.2	10.5	-1.4	33	
Maine	15.1	17.2	10.9	12.5	14.7	17.5	25.0	26.8	21.3	20.4	22.0	14.5	5.0	5.7	5.8	6.3	7.1	9.3	10.7	-3.8	35	
New York	15.2	17.1	12.6	10.5	11.7	13.2	19.6	21.1	19.7	17.4	16.8	12.1	5.9	6.4	6.2	6.6	6.4	8.5	10.8	-1.3	36	
Ohio	16.5	18.8	14.7	13.5	16.2	21.7	30.3	26.6	20.8	20.8	12.0	12.1	5.4	5.6	5.4	5.6	6.6	8.8	10.9	-1.2	37	
Iowa	13.2	19.7	11.3	13.4	15.8	22.8	21.7	25.4	17.7	17.7	17.1	12.1	3.9	5.1	4.7	4.5	3.9	8.4	11.0	-1.1	38	
Kentucky	14.0	14.7	10.1	10.3	16.0	19.0	23.5	24.5	18.3	18.2	20.7	11.7	6.1	6.9	6.1	6.7	7.6	9.6	11.2	-0.5	39	
New Mexico	12.1	10.9	8.8	8.8	6.7	13.9	25.1	20.9	20.8	18.1	12.3	13.2	9.6	10.9	9.5	9.2	10.8	12.2	11.9	-1.3	40	
Washington	13.6	15.9	11.8	6.8	10.6	19.3	29.4	28.7	25.5	21.8	14.1	12.5	6.9	8.3	7.8	9.8	9.6	11.8	12.0	-0.5	41	

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Pennsylvania	12.9	12.7	10.0	11.4	11.6	16.3	25.0	22.5	20.3	23.2	15.3	13.6	7.6	8.0	6.8	8.1	8.3	9.7	12.1	-1.5	42
Montana	15.2	15.4	12.6	6.0	11.6	23.7	25.1	34.0	22.6	18.2	17.7	13.7	4.2	5.6	6.1	5.9	8.5	10.5	12.6	-1.1	43
Wisconsin	16.1	18.2	14.8	17.4	15.0	17.4	26.6	24.2	21.4	20.3	20.3	13.3	5.9	7.0	6.5	7.0	7.5	10.2	13.9	0.6	44
Wyoming	16.0	16.9	6.8	16.5	6.8	22.4	24.3	21.5	20.4	9.8	15.9	12.6	3.7	4.9	5.8	6.7	8.9	13.9	14.1	1.5	45
Illinois	13.3	18.6	12.6	13.3	16.2	24.8	37.1	26.7	24.4	24.2	20.4	14.9	7.6	8.2	7.3	8.6	9.9	11.7	14.6	-0.3	46
Rhode Island	11.7	20.8	13.5	10.5	16.8	25.2	28.3	31.3	33.8	24.1	25.2	18.5	8.4	10.1	8.3	9.6	9.1	10.3	14.6	-3.9	46
North Dakota	23.0	20.6	15.9	13.5	15.4	21.6	17.5	22.9	16.7	18.0	20.6	14.1	2.7	4.2	4.7	4.5	10.9	15.0	15.8	1.7	48
West Virginia	20.7	17.5	13.9	11.4	12.9	22.7	30.3	25.4	22.7	15.0	14.8	15.0	8.4	8.6	7.4	8.5	9.5	10.8	16.0	1.0	49
Alaska	23.6	22.5	27.3	18.2	17.7	22.4	22.2	33.2	22.3	25.2	23.5	17.3	6.7	9.3	11.1	16.4	16.4	15.2	19.2	1.9	50

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

** Unemployment Rate is for Construction + Mining + Logging

*** Tennessee Unemployment Rate is for Construction + Mining + Logging prior to 2014 and for Construction alone from January 2014 forward

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