

Estimated State Construction Unemployment Rates

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Area	Oct-04	Oct-05	Oct-06	Oct-07	Oct-08	Oct-09	Oct-10	Oct-11	Oct-12	Oct-13	Oct-14	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	YoY Change	Rank
United States*	6.9	5.3	4.5	6.1	10.8	18.7	17.3	13.7	11.4	9.0	6.4	7.5	6.7	6.3	5.5	6.1	5.5	6.2	-0.2	
States																				
North Dakota	8.9	6.1	4.7	4.3	8.0	9.6	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.9	2.0	2.7	2.1	2.1	1.4	1.8	1.7	1.8	-0.2	1
South Dakota**	5.6	4.3	2.4	2.5	6.1	12.1	7.8	4.9	8.9	5.0	2.2	4.3	2.8	1.8	1.7	2.5	2.7	2.6	0.4	2
Nebraska	5.1	4.5	3.8	4.4	3.4	11.5	6.8	6.1	4.7	5.9	3.1	3.9	3.4	2.7	2.7	3.1	3.3	2.8	-0.3	3
Utah	6.5	3.0	1.8	1.9	6.5	15.9	15.9	9.2	10.1	5.5	2.9	4.0	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.3	2.9	2.8	-0.1	4
Colorado	5.9	2.9	2.9	3.3	7.7	14.1	15.0	13.7	11.2	6.2	3.7	4.7	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.6	2.9	-0.8	5
Wyoming	5.5	4.5	2.2	4.5	3.6	17.0	10.3	7.7	9.2	3.3	3.3	4.1	3.2	2.8	2.3	2.5	2.4	3.0	-0.3	6
Hawaii**	8.6	3.3	2.9	5.1	11.6	20.5	14.3	17.4	10.7	9.6	4.1	5.1	3.6	3.4	2.2	2.5	3.5	3.3	-0.8	7
Idaho	5.3	4.5	3.0	3.9	11.3	21.3	19.0	14.0	7.3	5.9	4.2	4.4	3.3	2.9	3.1	3.9	4.1	3.4	-0.8	8
Iowa	6.4	5.9	4.4	5.6	9.3	15.0	10.1	10.2	7.5	6.2	3.3	3.3	2.8	3.3	2.5	3.3	3.8	3.4	0.1	9
Maryland**	5.8	5.1	4.0	4.1	6.3	11.5	14.3	11.8	9.0	9.2	4.9	5.5	5.0	3.5	2.8	3.6	3.4	3.4	-1.5	10
Montana	5.8	3.4	3.6	3.1	8.2	14.5	12.3	14.4	9.9	6.6	4.5	3.7	2.4	2.6	2.9	3.8	4.2	3.6	-0.9	11
Kansas	9.6	8.1	4.3	4.7	6.5	10.8	12.8	9.9	7.8	6.6	4.7	4.5	5.8	4.5	4.7	5.3	4.3	4.2	-0.5	12
New Hampshire	3.3	3.7	4.7	5.1	5.0	12.9	13.5	7.5	6.8	6.4	5.0	6.0	4.2	5.0	4.5	5.3	4.4	4.5	-0.5	13
Minnesota	9.2	6.4	6.1	7.7	11.3	17.1	12.9	8.1	9.4	7.1	3.5	7.2	4.1	3.2	3.8	4.4	4.6	4.7	1.2	14
Texas	6.5	4.6	3.0	3.5	6.7	14.9	11.6	9.7	8.6	6.4	4.2	5.4	4.9	4.6	4.1	4.5	4.3	4.8	0.6	15
Vermont	2.5	4.1	3.9	4.9	5.3	10.7	10.5	7.2	6.0	5.6	4.7	6.2	4.7	4.3	3.0	4.7	4.8	4.8	0.1	16
Maine	8.6	6.9	4.9	7.0	10.2	12.4	14.3	13.4	11.5	9.0	6.5	7.5	5.6	4.7	4.3	4.5	4.7	5.1	-1.4	17
Oklahoma	4.7	5.7	4.0	4.0	6.3	11.3	12.0	7.1	7.0	6.2	4.1	5.4	6.3	5.2	4.0	5.4	4.7	5.2	1.1	18
Delaware**	4.4	2.8	3.1	5.1	10.9	15.1	10.7	8.0	12.8	7.3	4.6	4.4	3.9	4.6	3.2	4.6	4.6	5.3	0.7	19
Louisiana	9.1	10.3	2.4	4.8	9.8	12.3	10.6	9.9	10.2	8.0	5.5	6.7	6.6	5.6	4.7	5.4	4.4	5.4	-0.1	20
Wisconsin	7.6	6.8	6.2	9.3	9.7	14.5	14.3	11.9	10.8	9.5	5.8	7.9	6.1	5.6	4.9	4.8	5.3	5.4	-0.4	21
Indiana	8.7	7.6	4.9	7.5	12.3	20.6	21.7	13.9	11.1	8.2	6.5	7.6	6.1	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.6	-0.9	22
Virginia	4.5	3.0	2.7	4.7	6.2	14.7	12.2	9.7	5.4	6.2	5.4	6.8	6.1	5.7	4.7	5.5	4.4	5.6	0.2	23
Missouri	7.9	5.8	4.3	8.7	11.3	18.8	15.7	10.0	9.3	9.9	6.6	9.4	7.6	7.7	6.6	6.8	5.5	5.9	-0.7	24
Washington	7.2	7.1	5.6	4.4	10.2	22.3	20.4	17.7	14.7	12.3	6.0	6.7	5.7	5.2	4.4	4.8	4.9	5.9	-0.1	25
Kentucky	7.8	6.8	4.7	5.5	14.0	16.7	14.8	14.1	11.7	10.5	6.9	8.2	6.7	6.3	5.9	6.1	5.2	6.0	-0.9	26
Massachusetts	8.1	6.3	6.2	7.0	10.7	20.8	13.9	10.2	6.8	7.3	6.1	7.4	5.4	5.9	5.0	5.7	5.9	6.1	0.0	27
Ohio	10.1	7.7	6.8	8.1	13.2	20.2	18.0	14.3	11.7	11.0	6.8	8.6	6.6	7.0	5.8	5.9	5.8	6.1	-0.7	28
New York	8.0	8.1	5.2	6.3	9.7	12.4	12.9	12.8	12.8	9.5	7.4	8.0	6.5	6.1	5.9	6.1	6.1	6.2	-1.2	29
Tennessee**	6.4	4.0	4.5	4.9	9.6	19.8	17.3	13.5	10.0	12.0	6.3	7.2	6.7	7.0	6.1	6.3	5.5	6.3	0.0	30
Florida	4.1	2.8	3.1	6.2	13.7	24.3	20.7	17.5	13.9	9.2	6.3	7.7	6.9	6.7	5.4	6.3	5.5	6.6	0.3	31
Arkansas	5.2	4.5	3.9	5.4	9.9	20.9	18.8	11.0	11.2	14.4	7.3	7.6	8.3	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.0	6.7	-0.6	32
Pennsylvania	7.7	5.2	4.4	7.0	9.7	14.1	15.5	12.6	13.3	12.6	6.1	7.9	6.9	6.8	6.3	6.9	6.0	6.9	0.8	33
North Carolina	5.1	3.3	2.6	5.0	9.7	16.9	20.3	15.5	11.7	7.6	6.4	7.7	7.9	7.7	6.6	7.4	6.4	7.3	0.9	34
Oregon	10.4	6.7	4.4	5.8	15.6	22.2	24.0	13.3	12.7	7.6	7.8	7.8	6.7	6.5	5.6	6.8	6.5	7.3	-0.5	35
Nevada	3.2	4.0	5.2	6.5	14.2	31.4	40.4	30.1	17.0	15.1	8.1	8.7	7.4	6.4	6.1	7.6	5.8	7.5	-0.6	36
New Mexico	7.6	5.1	4.8	4.6	6.5	14.8	20.1	14.3	11.8	10.6	5.6	8.1	7.2	8.3	5.6	8.8	6.6	7.5	1.9	37
California	6.7	4.7	5.2	7.7	14.9	23.6	23.6	18.3	13.3	9.6	8.6	9.7	8.6	8.0	6.9	7.6	6.4	7.8	-0.8	38
Michigan	9.6	7.6	9.4	10.6	14.9	24.2	21.3	17.1	14.7	8.9	8.6	9.2	7.4	7.1	7.1	7.6	6.7	7.8	-0.8	39
New Jersey	7.4	5.2	5.3	6.0	9.1	14.4	15.2	13.4	14.2	10.1	8.6	9.1	9.3	8.3	7.3	7.7	6.6	7.8	-0.8	40
Rhode Island	5.0	8.7	5.0	6.6	15.2	21.5	18.8	18.4	20.8	12.9	9.3	11.6	9.1	8.9	7.8	9.0	7.8	7.8	-1.5	41
South Carolina	11.8	7.2	5.4	7.2	12.4	23.1	22.5	15.4	9.6	8.1	7.8	9.0	9.4	8.2	7.0	7.6	6.8	7.8	0.0	42
Alabama	6.0	2.6	3.5	4.4	10.4	18.0	21.1	16.9	11.6	10.2	7.2	8.1	9.0	8.1	7.3	8.3	6.7	7.9	0.7	43

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Connecticut	6.6	5.0	4.7	6.2	10.8	14.4	15.2	11.4	12.1	8.6	8.7	9.4	7.6	6.9	7.5	7.8	7.6	8.1	-0.6	44
Illinois	7.2	7.1	4.8	8.5	12.8	24.2	22.6	17.0	15.2	13.4	8.0	8.4	7.9	7.7	6.7	8.0	7.0	8.1	0.1	45
Arizona	4.7	4.1	4.1	6.4	14.7	28.8	17.3	15.2	10.4	7.7	7.3	8.5	7.5	7.7	7.0	8.4	6.9	8.2	0.9	46
West Virginia	8.8	6.5	5.2	5.0	5.4	17.4	17.0	11.4	13.7	7.2	5.9	11.8	9.7	9.6	8.3	8.8	7.3	8.2	2.3	47
Mississippi	8.6	8.4	5.8	6.5	9.2	21.7	18.1	13.9	8.8	9.9	8.9	9.1	10.7	9.5	7.7	8.4	6.9	8.4	-0.5	48
Georgia	6.4	5.8	4.2	6.0	10.1	18.1	15.1	14.1	11.1	7.9	8.8	9.9	9.5	9.2	7.8	7.8	7.5	8.6	-0.2	49
Alaska	14.5	11.5	13.3	11.4	12.5	17.4	13.2	17.6	12.8	14.5	7.8	7.4	5.0	4.5	3.6	4.5	5.5	10.1	2.3	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