

# Estimated State Construction Unemployment Rates

## Not Seasonally Adjusted

Ranked by Most Recent Monthly Construction Unemployment Rate

Area	May-04	May-05	May-06	May-07	May-08	May-09	May-10	May-11	May-12	May-13	May-14	May-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-16	May-16	YoY Change	Rank
<b>United States*</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	
<b>States</b>																					
Idaho	4.6	4.2	1.5	1.9	5.3	18.3	18.3	16.2	8.6	5.7	6.7	3.5	4.1	5.5	8.1	7.3	6.2	3.4	1.9	-1.6	1
Nebraska	4.1	4.1	3.6	3.6	1.8	6.6	6.4	6.6	5.0	4.8	4.1	3.5	4.5	6.5	6.6	6.5	4.4	2.5	2.0	-1.5	2
Minnesota	6.1	3.1	3.9	4.3	6.0	15.6	14.2	9.0	9.4	4.7	3.1	4.6	6.5	10.3	10.9	10.5	9.9	3.7	2.1	-2.5	3
Wyoming	5.4	5.7	3.1	5.0	1.7	5.7	6.2	3.4	4.5	1.5	4.7	4.1	5.5	8.9	9.5	9.8	8.5	5.5	2.6	-1.5	4
Vermont	3.5	5.9	7.4	3.6	4.3	13.1	11.8	8.2	6.0	5.9	2.5	4.6	3.8	6.0	8.9	9.1	8.1	4.3	2.7	-1.9	5
Massachusetts	8.2	6.4	9.2	7.8	7.7	19.0	16.3	13.5	8.8	8.0	7.3	4.7	4.2	6.0	6.9	7.2	6.9	4.2	2.8	-1.9	6
North Dakota	8.5	5.8	6.7	6.5	2.7	8.7	5.1	5.0	3.8	3.2	3.0	2.6	6.2	8.8	9.4	8.8	8.5	4.0	3.1	0.5	7
Colorado	6.2	3.2	3.8	2.9	5.2	13.8	17.0	16.3	13.9	7.8	5.2	4.1	3.6	4.2	5.4	4.6	3.7	3.2	3.3	-0.8	8
South Dakota	5.9	5.5	3.1	3.1	4.6	11.6	8.8	5.8	8.8	3.3	5.2	3.2	5.2	6.8	7.5	8.0	5.8	3.7	3.3	0.1	8
Iowa	5.0	5.8	4.0	4.2	3.5	12.3	11.4	10.3	6.1	4.2	6.8	4.2	3.2	6.9	9.3	9.2	7.4	4.3	3.5	-0.7	10
Michigan	9.7	9.2	14.0	12.4	13.4	28.8	27.0	21.8	18.1	9.9	9.9	5.7	5.0	7.0	8.4	8.3	7.8	4.4	3.5	-2.2	10
Virginia	4.4	3.6	3.7	5.0	5.5	13.9	12.7	10.3	6.9	7.9	7.5	5.0	4.1	4.9	6.1	5.5	5.4	3.6	3.5	-1.5	10
New Hampshire	3.2	4.7	7.6	6.0	5.4	17.2	18.0	9.9	10.4	8.6	8.0	5.9	4.1	6.2	8.5	7.9	7.8	5.0	3.6	-2.3	13
Utah	5.5	2.8	1.5	2.0	3.4	14.4	18.1	10.4	8.3	5.0	5.0	3.8	4.0	5.6	6.1	6.1	5.6	3.6	3.7	-0.1	14
Hawaii**	8.3	3.4	4.4	5.2	8.1	21.0	16.5	20.1	15.6	9.3	7.5	6.0	4.7	4.6	5.6	4.6	5.0	4.5	4.0	-2.0	15
Georgia	10.0	8.3	8.5	8.1	10.1	22.2	20.2	20.3	18.4	12.3	6.5	6.1	4.7	5.2	5.7	5.6	6.4	4.5	4.2	-1.9	16
Maine	6.1	6.9	6.7	8.0	7.5	16.2	17.4	15.9	13.8	11.2	11.7	6.0	7.5	9.9	11.4	12.5	11.2	7.0	4.2	-1.8	16
Kansas	9.7	8.5	5.5	5.5	4.2	10.7	14.0	12.8	8.8	8.7	4.9	5.4	5.1	5.8	8.9	8.9	7.9	4.6	4.4	-1.0	18
Oregon	12.2	8.3	6.6	6.7	10.6	26.0	26.7	15.8	14.8	10.0	7.8	6.4	6.3	7.5	6.8	7.2	7.6	4.8	4.5	-1.9	19
Indiana	7.0	9.2	9.0	7.9	9.3	22.8	24.0	14.3	11.8	10.5	7.9	5.5	5.5	7.4	9.6	9.0	8.9	4.7	4.6	-0.9	20
Montana	9.2	4.1	4.0	3.7	4.5	14.2	12.4	13.8	9.8	8.6	5.1	6.8	9.0	11.2	14.2	13.3	12.1	6.9	4.6	-2.2	20
New York	9.5	9.0	9.7	8.4	8.5	14.0	14.9	13.2	16.0	10.8	10.8	6.7	6.3	8.3	11.1	11.4	10.8	6.8	4.6	-2.1	20
Texas	8.2	6.6	5.8	5.4	5.9	14.4	13.8	11.7	10.7	7.9	5.6	4.6	4.5	5.1	5.2	5.6	6.3	4.7	4.6	0.0	20
Delaware**	4.5	3.9	4.7	3.9	6.4	14.6	12.3	9.3	12.8	9.1	5.6	5.2	6.1	5.1	8.5	9.0	8.5	5.7	4.9	-0.3	24
South Carolina	9.6	7.4	9.6	7.7	9.3	24.1	22.5	15.9	13.3	9.7	8.1	6.7	5.7	6.2	5.9	6.8	7.4	5.7	5.0	-1.7	25
Florida	4.5	3.2	3.6	5.4	9.8	23.6	22.2	20.9	17.7	11.8	10.1	7.6	6.1	7.0	7.0	7.3	7.8	5.9	5.1	-2.5	26
Wisconsin	7.7	6.5	8.2	8.5	5.5	15.1	17.7	13.7	13.9	9.7	9.8	7.2	7.4	10.1	13.7	13.9	13.3	7.1	5.1	-2.1	26
Ohio	9.2	8.3	10.1	10.3	11.3	22.8	24.9	18.5	14.1	12.6	5.8	5.9	6.6	8.9	11.2	11.5	11.3	7.3	5.2	-0.7	28
Maryland	4.2	3.8	4.9	3.3	4.3	11.3	13.8	13.3	11.1	10.2	6.9	6.9	6.1	7.4	7.6	8.2	7.0	5.1	5.4	-1.5	29
California	7.4	5.5	6.6	8.8	12.8	24.2	27.8	23.0	18.4	12.6	10.8	7.7	7.0	7.9	7.9	7.7	8.8	6.1	5.5	-2.2	30
North Carolina	6.9	4.3	5.0	6.8	9.1	19.2	25.5	19.6	15.9	11.0	7.6	7.0	6.6	6.3	7.5	7.7	7.7	5.7	5.5	-1.5	30
Oklahoma	6.3	10.1	8.0	7.0	4.8	12.9	14.8	8.4	9.3	7.4	7.7	6.7	5.2	6.1	6.4	7.1	7.3	5.4	5.6	-1.1	32
New Jersey	8.0	4.9	8.9	7.6	8.4	15.1	19.4	17.9	20.1	15.3	8.3	8.0	6.1	7.3	9.5	10.2	10.1	7.1	5.8	-2.2	33
Arizona	5.4	4.4	4.7	6.0	9.7	28.0	24.0	19.0	12.0	8.9	10.4	7.3	5.8	7.4	6.6	6.5	7.2	6.3	5.9	-1.4	34
Tennessee***	6.8	6.0	9.9	7.7	9.9	25.4	20.9	17.0	13.7	17.1	11.2	8.7	7.4	8.6	7.8	8.3	8.6	6.4	6.0	-2.7	35
Kentucky	10.3	9.2	7.7	8.1	11.0	21.5	20.0	17.6	13.6	12.2	11.7	7.0	6.9	8.6	10.3	10.9	9.1	6.4	6.2	-0.8	36
Missouri	8.6	7.1	6.1	8.4	8.6	19.0	19.9	14.0	11.5	12.3	12.2	8.6	6.7	7.5	9.7	10.5	9.5	6.7	6.4	-2.2	37
Washington	7.5	7.2	7.1	4.2	7.7	19.9	22.7	17.7	16.4	13.0	8.8	7.7	8.1	9.9	10.0	10.3	10.3	7.6	6.4	-1.3	37
Connecticut	7.3	6.9	9.2	8.2	11.5	17.5	20.4	17.5	17.6	12.8	11.3	7.8	7.7	9.9	12.0	12.2	13.4	7.5	6.6	-1.2	39
Nevada	2.8	2.9	3.6	3.9	7.2	27.2	34.7	28.1	19.5	18.0	10.7	8.0	7.0	8.9	9.1	9.0	8.2	7.6	6.6	-1.4	39
Alaska	7.8	7.5	12.4	9.4	7.9	11.7	9.3	13.4	9.5	9.6	8.2	7.3	15.9	14.4	18.5	18.2	17.5	11.4	6.9	-0.4	41

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Arkansas	7.5	7.5	7.8	9.5	10.9	23.9	20.7	16.3	14.3	16.4	12.8	9.7	8.8	9.2	10.9	9.8	10.5	7.2	6.9	-2.8	41
Mississippi	10.3	9.7	10.4	11.8	8.7	20.6	19.4	16.5	11.1	10.6	10.0	8.1	6.9	9.0	9.8	9.4	9.1	6.7	6.9	-1.2	41
West Virginia	11.0	8.3	9.7	7.9	7.8	18.2	18.8	13.4	14.9	7.3	8.8	9.8	9.4	10.6	16.1	17.0	15.2	9.1	7.3	-2.5	44
Louisiana	10.8	7.0	4.3	6.6	7.1	9.4	8.6	7.7	10.8	9.3	8.7	8.4	6.1	6.5	7.9	8.1	8.5	7.4	7.5	-0.9	45
Illinois	7.7	8.3	7.6	8.6	10.9	23.8	25.6	18.0	18.2	15.7	12.9	8.4	10.0	11.9	15.1	15.9	14.8	9.2	7.7	-0.7	46
Pennsylvania	8.0	6.5	7.3	7.7	7.9	16.4	18.7	14.9	15.4	14.9	9.2	8.2	8.2	9.6	12.1	13.1	12.9	9.3	8.3	0.1	47
Alabama	7.6	4.2	6.1	6.1	7.6	18.6	22.6	21.5	15.3	12.7	10.9	9.5	8.4	9.8	10.0	11.3	11.4	8.1	8.4	-1.1	48
Rhode Island	5.5	8.7	8.7	7.3	12.1	22.2	22.5	22.1	26.6	15.9	17.1	10.3	9.3	10.4	14.9	16.9	16.5	11.0	8.6	-1.7	49
New Mexico	8.3	6.6	6.8	5.6	5.0	15.8	22.2	15.5	17.0	12.5	8.7	10.6	10.1	11.3	10.9	11.6	13.5	10.3	8.9	-1.7	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