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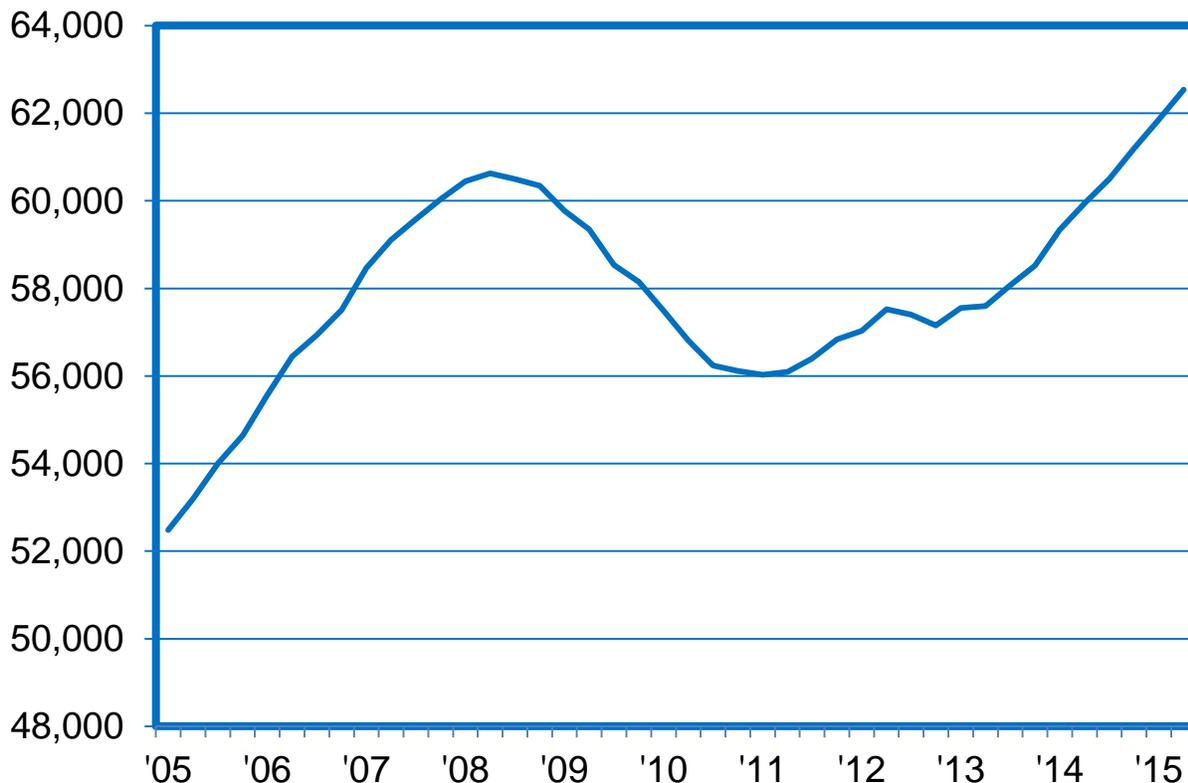
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Number of Employers
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Number of Employers in Nevada Rises; Record High Set Again



- The number of employers in the Nevada unemployment insurance system set another new record reaching 62,500 during the second quarter of 2015. The previous record was just set in the first quarter of 2015 with 61,900 employers. This is the third consecutive quarter in which the number of employers reached a new all-time high.
- Relative to the second quarter of 2014, the number of employers in Nevada increased 2,600 or 4.3 percent. This is the fifth straight quarter where year-over-year growth was greater than four percent.
- Employer totals on a year-over-year basis have increased for the last 16 quarters. From the recessionary low of 56,000 employers, Nevada has seen the number of employers grow by 6,500, an 11.6 percent increase.
- Nevada now has 1,900 more employers than its pre-recession peak, a 3.1 percent increase.