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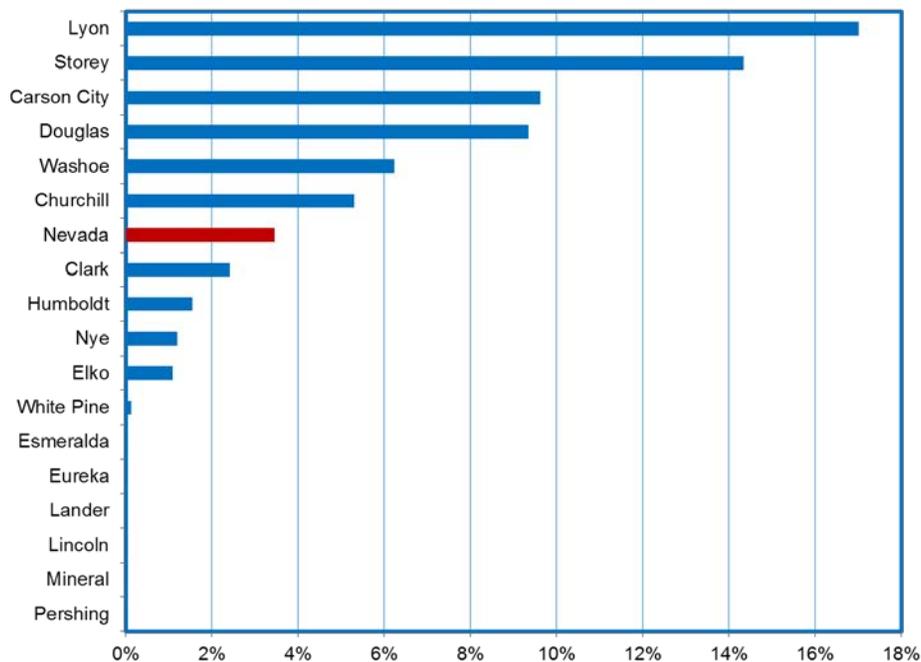
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Manufacturing Job Shares
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Lyon/Storey/Carson City have Largest Shares of Manufacturing Employment in Nevada (County Manufacturing Job Shares; 2014 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages data)



- In the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) Program, the Research and Analysis Bureau collects and compiles employment and wage data for workers covered by Nevada unemployment insurance laws, and federal civilian workers covered by Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees.
- In Nevada, employment in the manufacturing industry totals 41,500, or 3.4% of total State employment.
- Manufacturing jobs are concentrated in northern Nevada. Lyon County is home to 2,100 manufacturing jobs, 17% of their total job base, the largest share of any county. There are 700 jobs in Storey County, for a 14.3% share of total employment. This share will certainly skyrocket as the much-publicized Tesla Project comes on line. Carson City (2,700 jobs) and Douglas (1,700 jobs) each have manufacturing job shares approaching 10%.
- Clark's manufacturing job share is 2.4%, with 21,100 on payrolls – roughly half of the State's manufacturing employment. Washoe has the second largest manufacturing job numbers in Nevada, with 12,100 jobs, or 6.2% of county employment.