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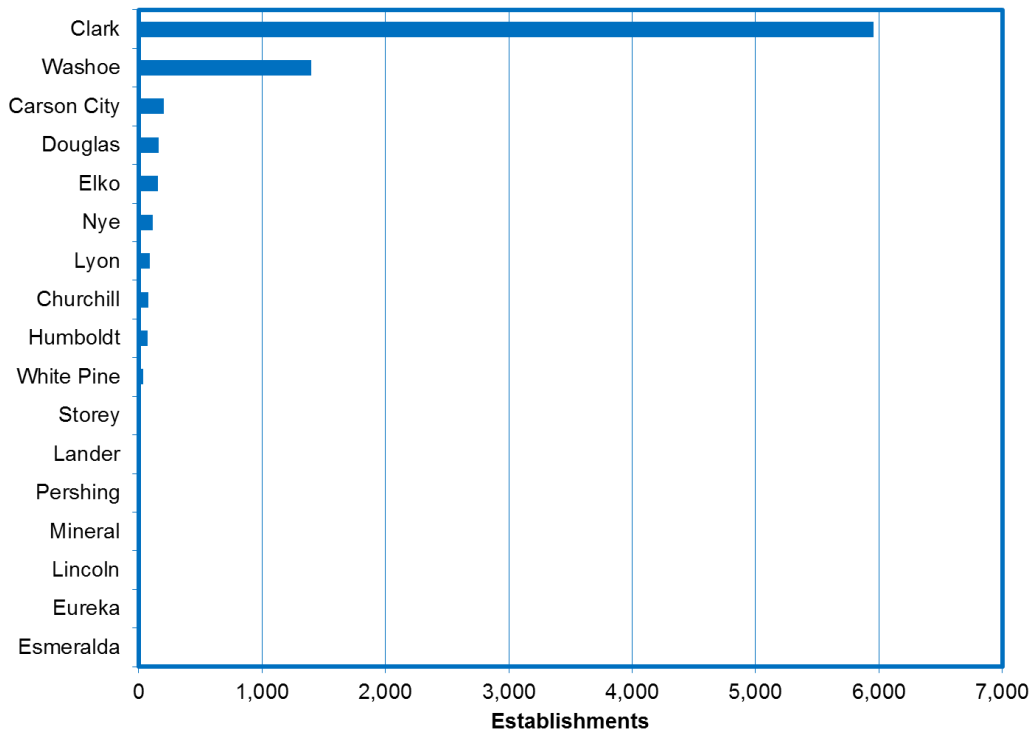
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County Retail Trade Establishments  
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## 90% of Retail Trade Establishments Reside in Clark/Washoe/Carson City (County Retail Trade Establishments; 2014 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Data)



- The Bureau of Labor Statistics' Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Program, in partnership with individual states, among other things, allows for analysis of specific industries by employment and number of establishments.
- In Nevada, 11% of establishments are in the retail trade industry, equating to 8,400 businesses. In total, the retail trade industry employs 140,500 Nevadans.
- The State's metropolitan statistical areas are home to the 89.9% of Nevada's retail trade businesses, Clark having the largest portion, at 5,900 establishments, or 11.5% of all establishments in the county. Washoe has 1,400 retail trade establishments and Carson City has 200 establishments.
- Nevada's rural counties tend to have a higher percentage of retail trade establishments. This can be attributed to the small number of total establishments residing in these counties. Of all the counties, Mineral has the highest proportion of retail trade establishments, at 15.8%, followed by Lander, Humboldt, and Pershing.