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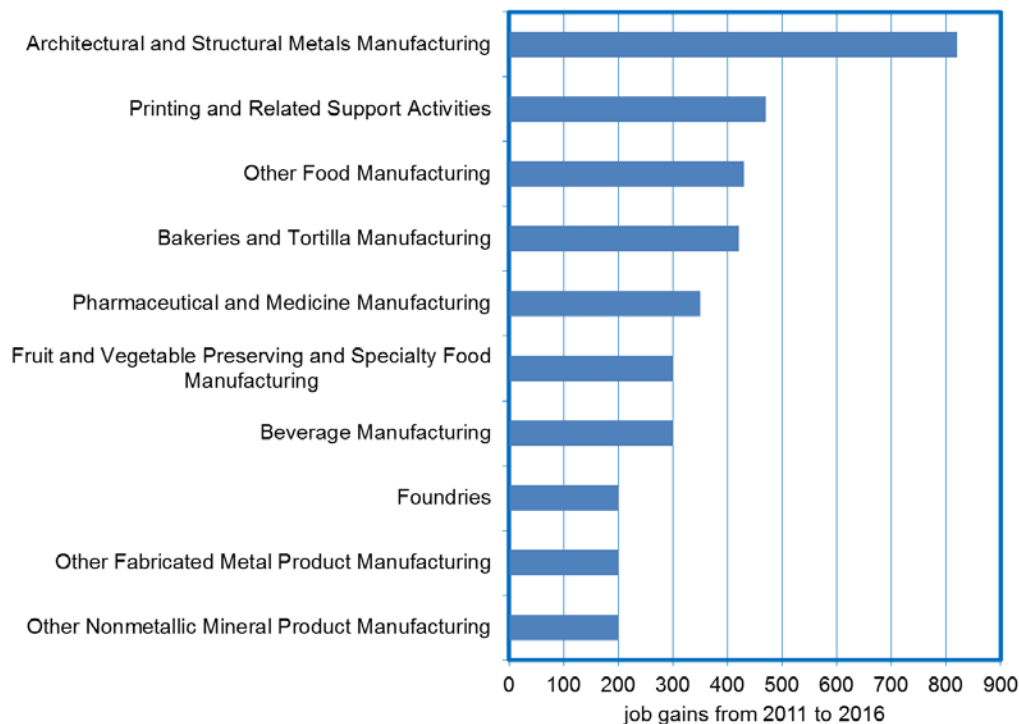
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Manufacturing Job Gains by Industry  
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## Manufacturing Industries Have Increased Payrolls by About 4,600 Since 2011; Metals, Printing, and Food Mfg. Lead the Way



- At its pre-recession peak (2007), manufacturing accounted for 50,300 jobs in Nevada. By 2011, these industries had lost 12,100 of those jobs. Since that time, employment has increased by approximately 4,600, and currently stands at 42,800.
- Gains have been widespread. Each of the ten fastest growing industries has increased payrolls by at least 200 jobs since 2011.
- The three industries that have experienced the largest gains in employment are: architectural/structural metals manufacturing (+820 jobs), printing/related support activities (+470), and food manufacturing (+430).
- All told, of the 77 manufacturing industries for which information is available, all but 24 have increased job levels since 2011. The miscellaneous manufacturing industry (jewelry/silverware, games, sporting goods, office supplies, sign manufacturing) is home to the largest job decline over the period. Jobs in these establishments currently stand about 1,100 below 2011 readings.