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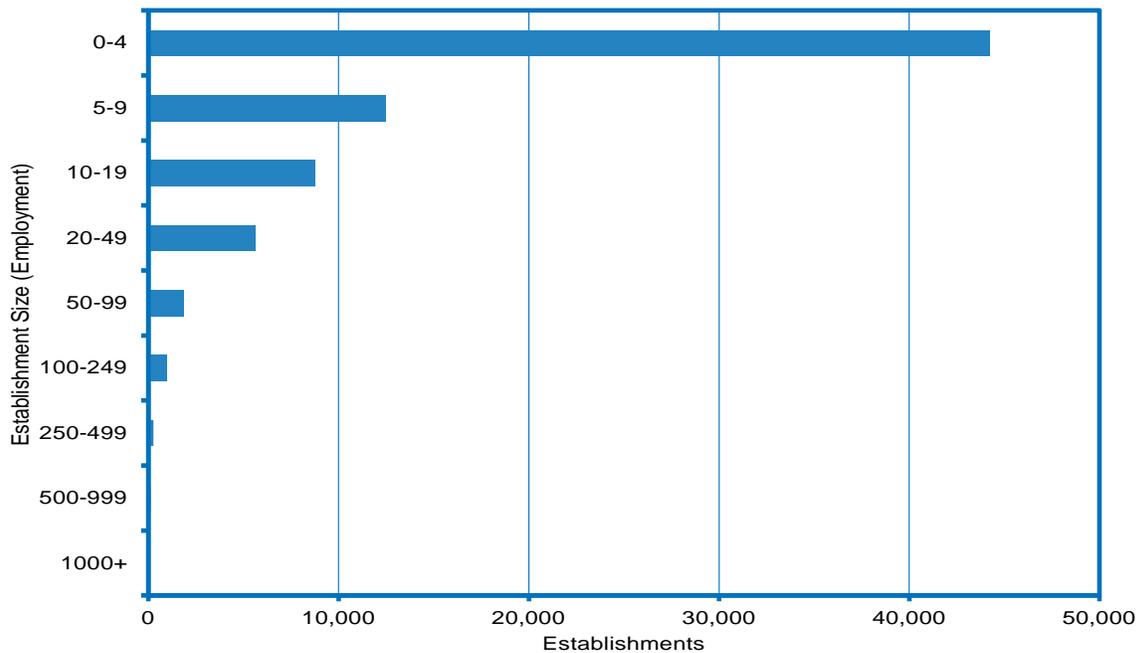


Number of Employers by Est. Size
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Small Businesses Represent 98% of All Nevada Private Sector Business Establishments

Number of Nevada Employers by Establishment Size



- Nevada's economy is dominated by small firms (defined as those with less than 100 employees). All told, there were more than 75,000 private sector worksites Statewide in 2014.
- The largest establishment size category incorporates those with 0-4 employees, accounting for approximately 60 percent (44,000) of all worksites.
- The next four largest categories (ranging in size from 5-99 workers) account for nearly all the remaining establishments.
- When combined, worksites with less than 100 workers account for a little over 98 percent of all establishments in Nevada.
- Large and medium size establishments, those with 100 or more employees, account for only 1.9 percent of worksites Statewide. There are 1,400 worksites with more than 100 employees, including 80 with more than 1,000 workers.