

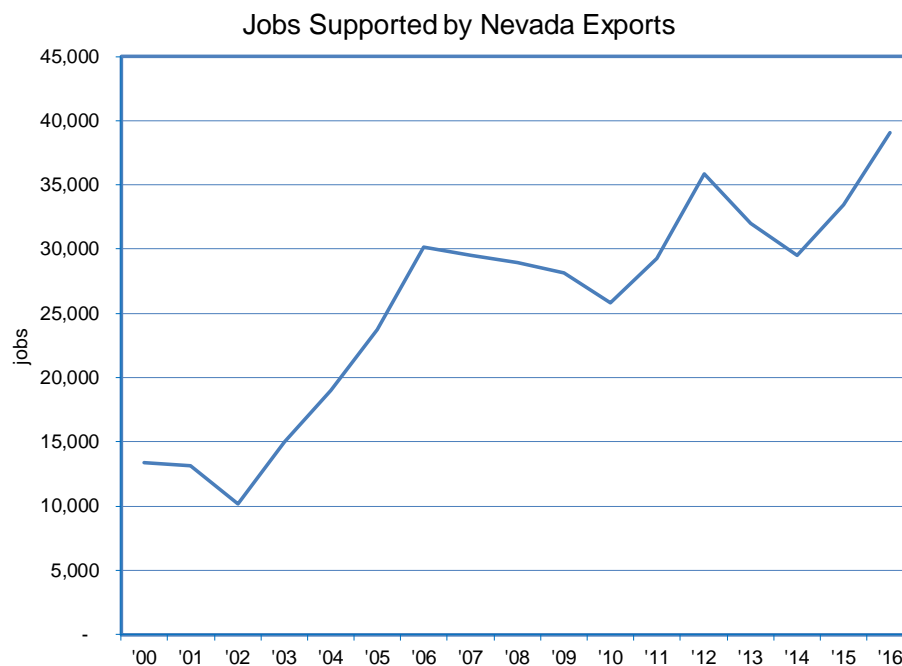
# Research Notes



Jobs Supported by Nevada's Exports  
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## Nevada's Goods Exports Supported Over 39,000 Jobs in 2016



- The International Trade Administration, part of the U.S. Department of Commerce, publishes estimates of jobs supported by goods exports from all 50 states<sup>1</sup>. These estimates are developed using data from the Census Bureau and the Department of Agriculture, and include manufactured, agricultural/natural resource/mining, and scrap/second hand goods exports. The estimates represent jobs supported by exports *from* each state, and do not necessarily represent only jobs supported *within* the state.
- Nevada's goods exports supported 39,077 jobs in 2016, a growth of 16.9 percent from the previous year. Nevada's percent increase was the second-largest in the nation, behind just Washington, D.C.
- Twenty-eight states saw a decline in jobs supported by exports in 2016, and in the nation as a whole 100,000 fewer jobs were supported from the previous year. Nevada's gain in the face of the national decline reflects ongoing strengthening of the State's economy, particularly in manufacturing.
- Over 93 percent, or 36,500, of the jobs supported by Nevada's exports came from manufacturing exports.

<sup>1</sup> "Jobs Supported by State Exports, 2016" Industry & Analysis, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.