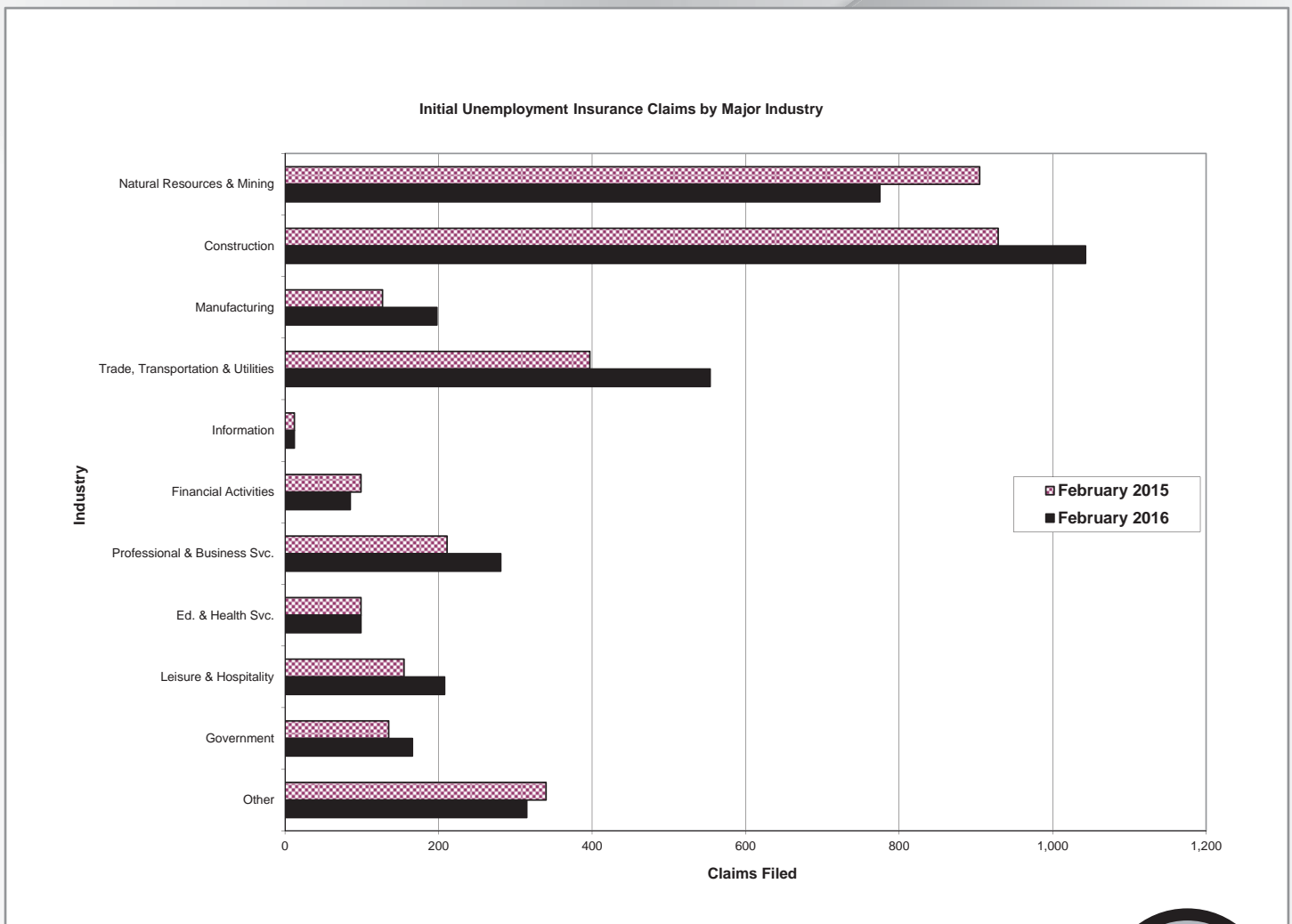


# Unemployment Insurance Claims Information for February 2016 by County, Industry, and Place of Residence of Claimant

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## Initial Claims Tables

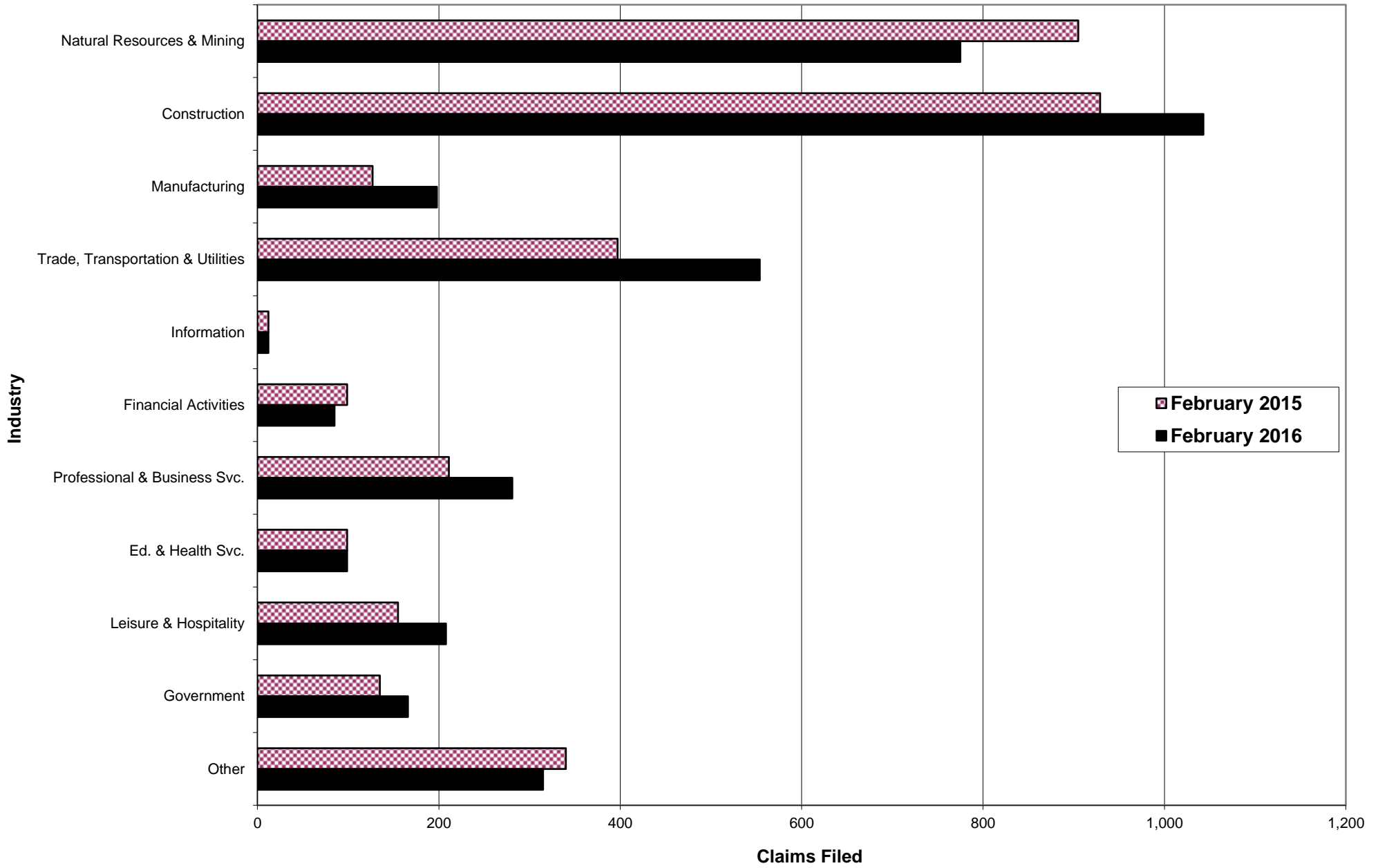
	Claims Filed			Percent Change Claims Filed		Difference
	Feb-16	Jan-16	Feb-15	Feb-16 Jan-16	Feb-16 Feb-15	Feb-16 Feb-15
<b><u>Wyoming Statewide</u></b>						
<b>Total Claims Filed</b>	<b>3,829</b>	<b>4,874</b>	<b>3,475</b>	<b>-21.4</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>354</b>
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>2,017</b>	<b>2,366</b>	<b>1,963</b>	<b>-14.8</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>54</b>
Natural Resources and Mining (11,21)	775	614	905	26.2	-14.4	-130
Mining (21)	758	592	899	28.0	-15.7	-141
Oil & Gas Extraction (211)	32	31	57	3.2	-43.9	-25
Construction (23)	1,043	1,517	929	-31.2	12.3	114
Manufacturing (31 - 33)	198	233	127	-15.0	55.9	71
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>1,330</b>	<b>1,735</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>-23.3</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>295</b>
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (22,42,44-45,48-49)	554	651	397	-14.9	39.5	157
Wholesale Trade (42)	156	138	72	13.0	116.7	84
Retail Trade (44 - 45)	179	282	148	-36.5	20.9	31
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities (22,48 - 49)	219	231	177	-5.2	23.7	42
Information (51)	12	17	12	-29.4	0.0	0
Financial Activities (52, 53)	85	84	99	1.2	-14.1	-14
Professional and Business Services (54 - 56)	281	415	211	-32.3	33.2	70
Educational and Health Services (61 - 62)	99	110	99	-10.0	0.0	0
Leisure and Hospitality (71 - 72)	208	349	155	-40.4	34.2	53
Other Services, except Public Admin. (81)	84	102	57	-17.6	47.4	27
<b>Government</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>-54.1</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>31</b>
Federal Government	51	125	60	-59.2	-15.0	-9
State Government	19	32	11	-40.6	72.7	8
Local Government	95	204	62	-53.4	53.2	33
Local Education	16	21	16	-23.8	0.0	0
<b>Unclassified</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>-23.2</b>	<b>-7.4</b>	<b>-25</b>
<b><u>Laramie County (Place of Residence)</u></b>						
<b>Total Claims Filed</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>-9.7</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>-16.9</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>9</b>
Construction	147	210	148	-30.0	-0.7	-1
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>44</b>
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (22,42,44-45,48-49)	80	76	52	5.3	53.8	28
Financial Activities (52, 53)	7	14	10	-50.0	-30.0	-3
Professional and Business Services (54 - 56)	54	44	39	22.7	38.5	15
Educational and Health Services (61 - 62)	20	23	29	-13.0	-31.0	-9
Leisure and Hospitality (71 - 72)	20	22	13	-9.1	53.8	7
<b>Government</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>-2</b>
<b>Unclassified</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>-16.7</b>	<b>-40.0</b>	<b>-10</b>
<b><u>Natrona County (Place of Residence)</u></b>						
<b>Total Claims Filed</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>-18.6</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>62</b>
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>-20.3</b>	<b>-6.5</b>	<b>-24</b>
Construction	162	279	147	-41.9	10.2	15
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>-16.1</b>	<b>45.0</b>	<b>86</b>
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (22,42,44-45,48-49)	123	144	73	-14.6	68.5	50
Financial Activities (52, 53)	23	12	16	91.7	43.8	7
Professional and Business Services (54 - 56)	46	70	35	-34.3	31.4	11
Educational and Health Services (61 - 62)	21	17	23	23.5	-8.7	-2
Leisure and Hospitality (71 - 72)	24	52	27	-53.8	-11.1	-3
<b>Government</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-35.7</b>	<b>-40.0</b>	<b>-6</b>
<b>Unclassified</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-19.0</b>	<b>54.5</b>	<b>6</b>

## Continued Weeks Claimed Tables

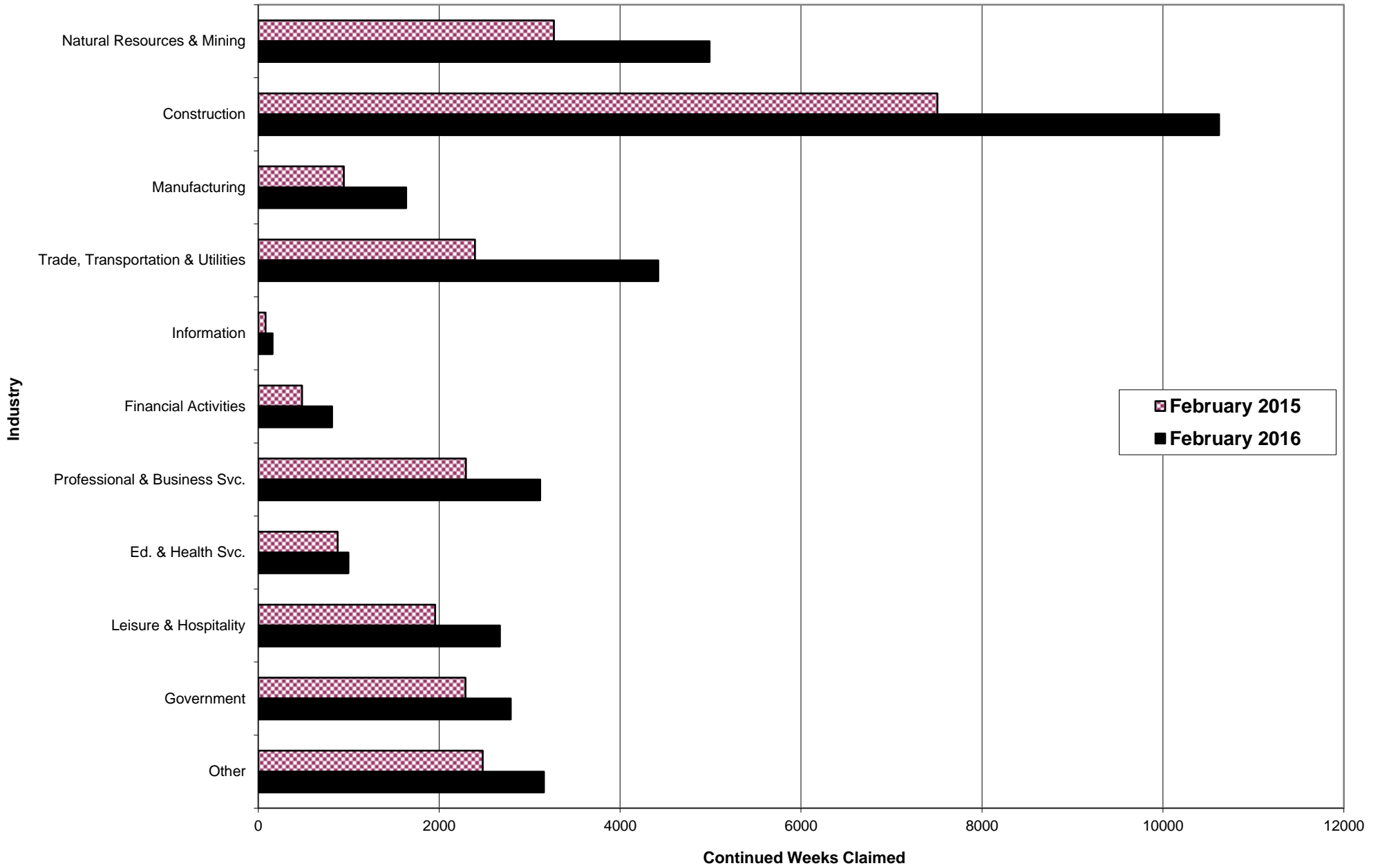
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<b><u>Wyoming Statewide</u></b>						
<b>Total Continued Weeks Claimed</b>	<b>36,124</b>	<b>33,056</b>	<b>24,997</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>44.5</b>	<b>11,127</b>
<b>Extended Benefit Weeks Claimed</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Unique Claimants*</b>	<b>10,297</b>	<b>9,756</b>	<b>7,238</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>42.3</b>	<b>3,059</b>
<b>Benefit Exhaustions</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>43.5</b>	<b>165</b>
<b>Benefit Exhaustion Rates</b>	<b>5.3%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>	<b>5.2%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>17,247</b>	<b>15,327</b>	<b>11,722</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>47.1</b>	<b>5,525</b>
Natural Resources and Mining (11,21)	4,990	4,159	3,267	20.0	52.7	1,723
Mining (21)	4,793	3,957	3,087	21.1	55.3	1,706
Oil & Gas Extraction (211)	491	464	261	5.8	88.1	230
Construction (23)	10,621	9,853	7,508	7.8	41.5	3,113
Manufacturing (31 - 33)	1,635	1,313	946	24.5	72.8	689
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>12,926</b>	<b>11,779</b>	<b>8,500</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>52.1</b>	<b>4,426</b>
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (22,42,44-45,48-49)	4,422	3,835	2,395	15.3	84.6	2,027
Wholesale Trade (42)	1,059	840	408	26.1	159.6	651
Retail Trade (44 - 45)	1,591	1,445	1,032	10.1	54.2	559
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities (22,48 - 49)	1,772	1,550	955	14.3	85.5	817
Information (51)	158	135	81	17.0	95.1	77
Financial Activities (52, 53)	816	736	484	10.9	68.6	332
Professional and Business Services (54 - 56)	3,116	2,733	2,294	14.0	35.8	822
Educational and Health Services (61 - 62)	997	1,044	877	-4.5	13.7	120
Leisure and Hospitality (71 - 72)	2,672	2,729	1,956	-2.1	36.6	716
Other Services, except Public Admin. (81)	736	560	407	31.4	80.8	329
<b>Government</b>	<b>2,792</b>	<b>2,704</b>	<b>2,291</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>21.9</b>	<b>501</b>
Federal Government	1,104	1,202	1,230	-8.2	-10.2	-126
State Government	286	253	227	13.0	26.0	59
Local Government	1,401	1,248	833	12.3	68.2	568
Local Education	166	187	111	-11.2	49.5	55
<b>Unclassified</b>	<b>3,157</b>	<b>3,245</b>	<b>2,482</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>675</b>
<b><u>Laramie County (Place of Residence)</u></b>						
<b>Total Continued Weeks Claimed</b>	<b>3,602</b>	<b>3,482</b>	<b>3,034</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>568</b>
<b>Total Unique Claimants</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>168</b>
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>1,993</b>	<b>1,920</b>	<b>1,444</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>38.0</b>	<b>549</b>
Construction	1,639	1,589	1,172	3.1	39.8	467
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>1,150</b>	<b>1,224</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>-9</b>
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (22,42,44-45,48-49)	472	456	381	3.5	23.9	91
Financial Activities (52, 53)	105	105	79	0.0	32.9	26
Professional and Business Services (54 - 56)	299	262	341	14.1	-12.3	-42
Educational and Health Services (61 - 62)	149	140	245	6.4	-39.2	-96
Leisure and Hospitality (71 - 72)	110	120	108	-8.3	1.9	2
<b>Government</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Unclassified</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>-12.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b><u>Natrona County (Place of Residence)</u></b>						
<b>Total Continued Weeks Claimed</b>	<b>5,934</b>	<b>5,344</b>	<b>2,665</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>122.7</b>	<b>3,269</b>
<b>Total Unique Claimants</b>	<b>1,725</b>	<b>1,584</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>113.8</b>	<b>918</b>
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>3,128</b>	<b>2,736</b>	<b>1,359</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>130.2</b>	<b>1,769</b>
Construction	1,742	1,530	729	13.9	139.0	1,013
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>2,567</b>	<b>2,366</b>	<b>1,095</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>134.4</b>	<b>1,472</b>
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (22,42,44-45,48-49)	1,049	920	350	14.0	199.7	699
Financial Activities (52, 53)	187	209	53	-10.5	252.8	134
Professional and Business Services (54 - 56)	548	469	302	16.8	81.5	246
Educational and Health Services (61 - 62)	189	192	170	-1.6	11.2	19
Leisure and Hospitality (71 - 72)	377	397	126	-5.0	199.2	251
<b>Government</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>-11.9</b>	<b>-11.1</b>	<b>-12</b>
<b>Unclassified</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>39.6</b>	<b>40</b>

\*Does not include claimants receiving extended benefits

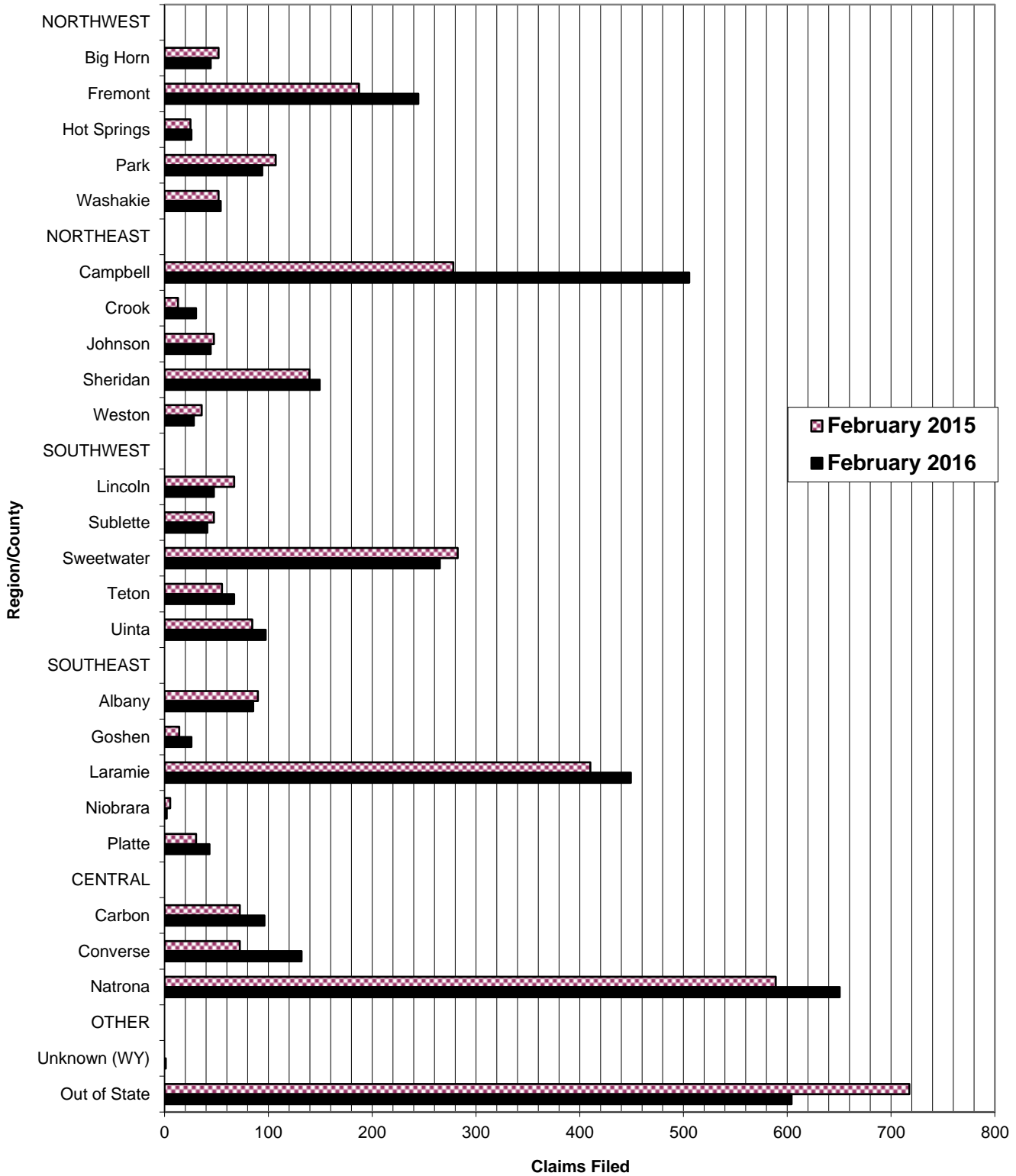
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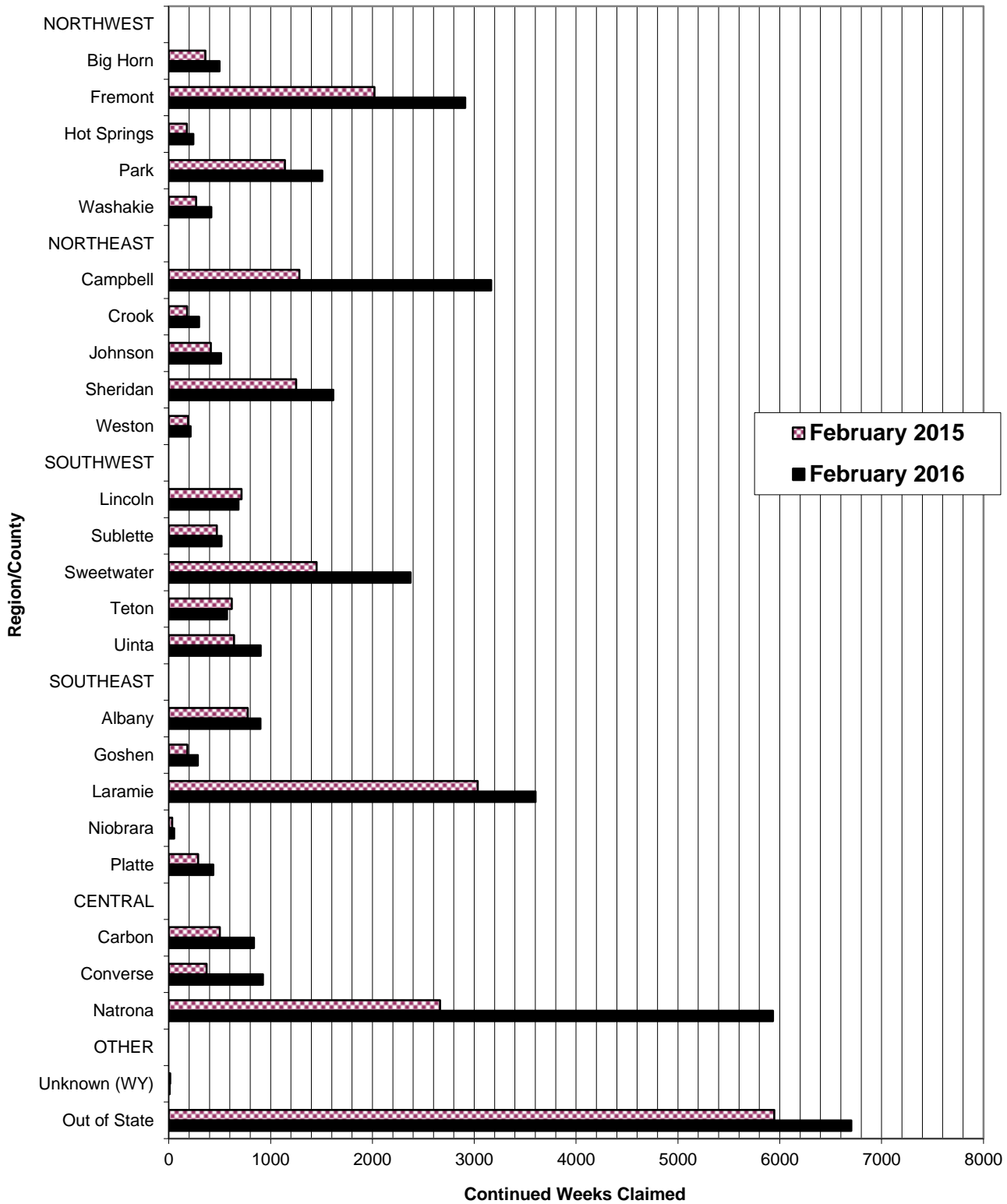
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### Initial Unemployment Insurance Claims by Region and County (Place of Residence)



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