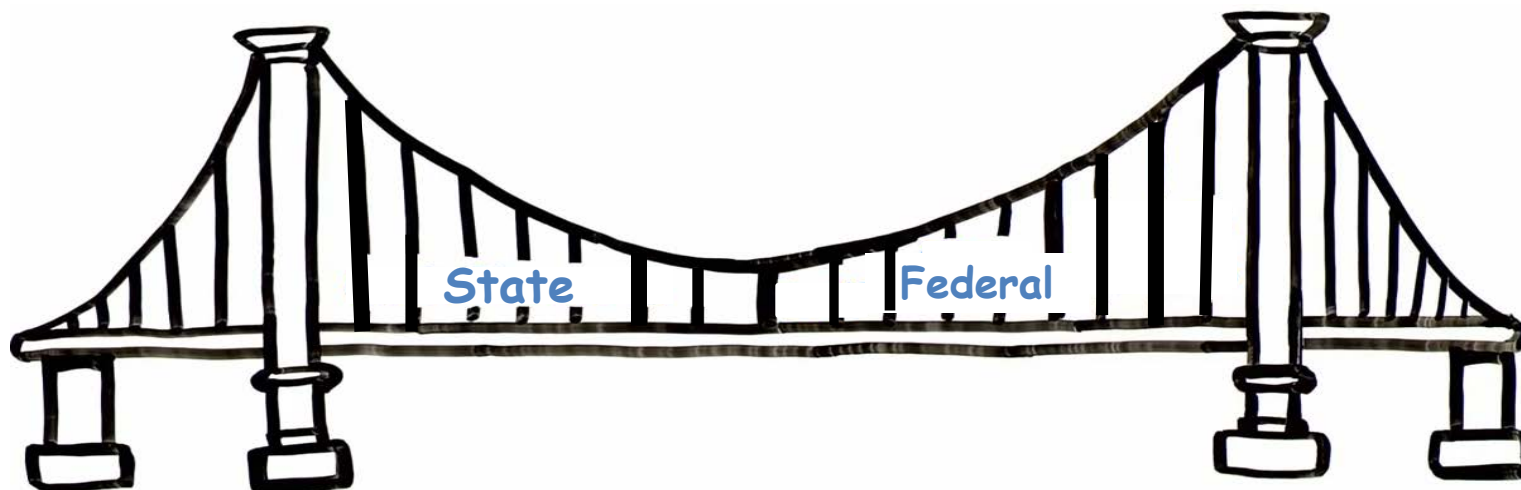




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- Best practice for ensuring the right NAICS code classification
- Top 5 things you need to know when applying for the program

Compliance

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- Communication

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State and Federal Partners

The Secretary and Deputy Secretary

- DOCR
- OSDBU
- General Counsel

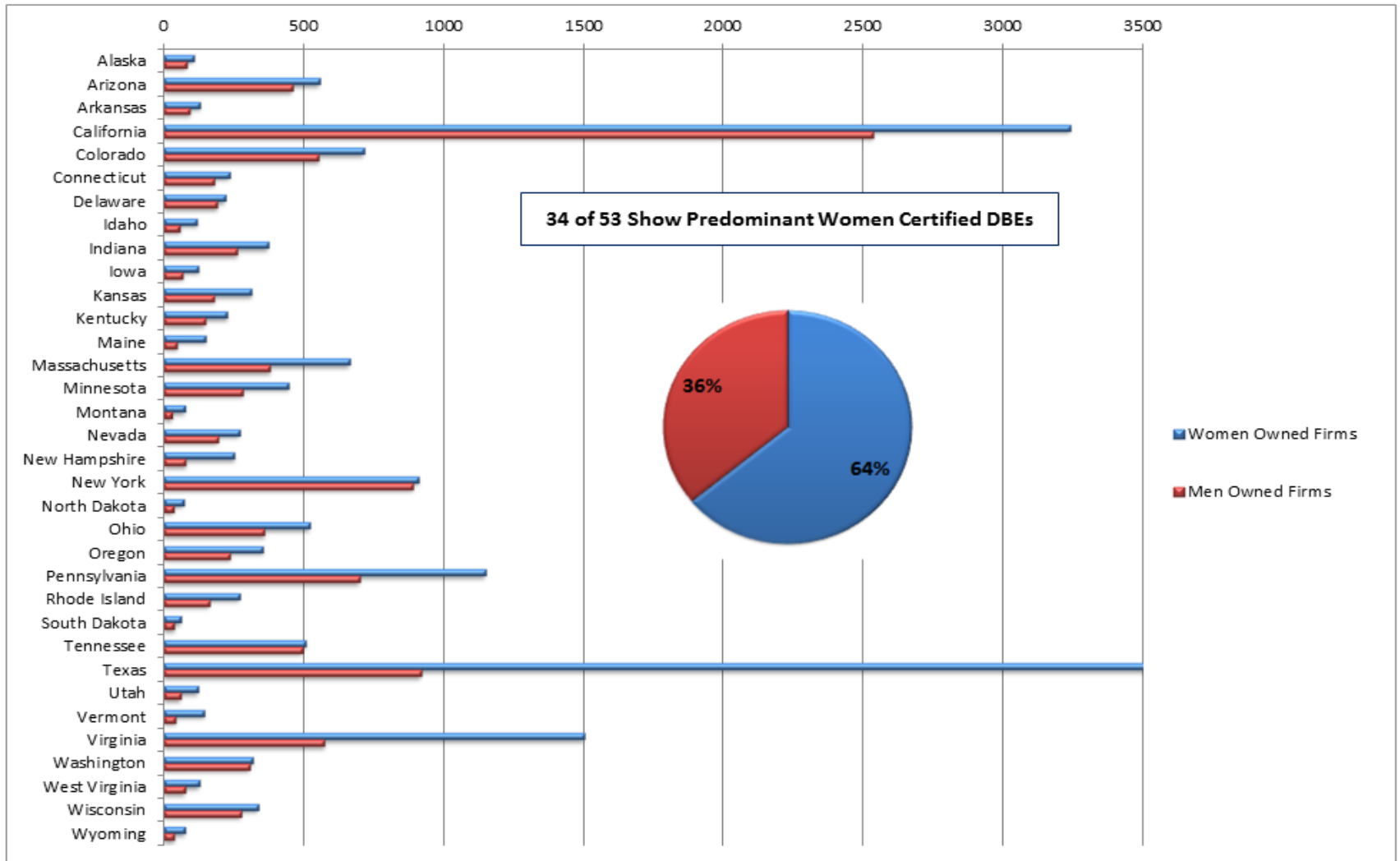
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- Headquarters and division/field offices

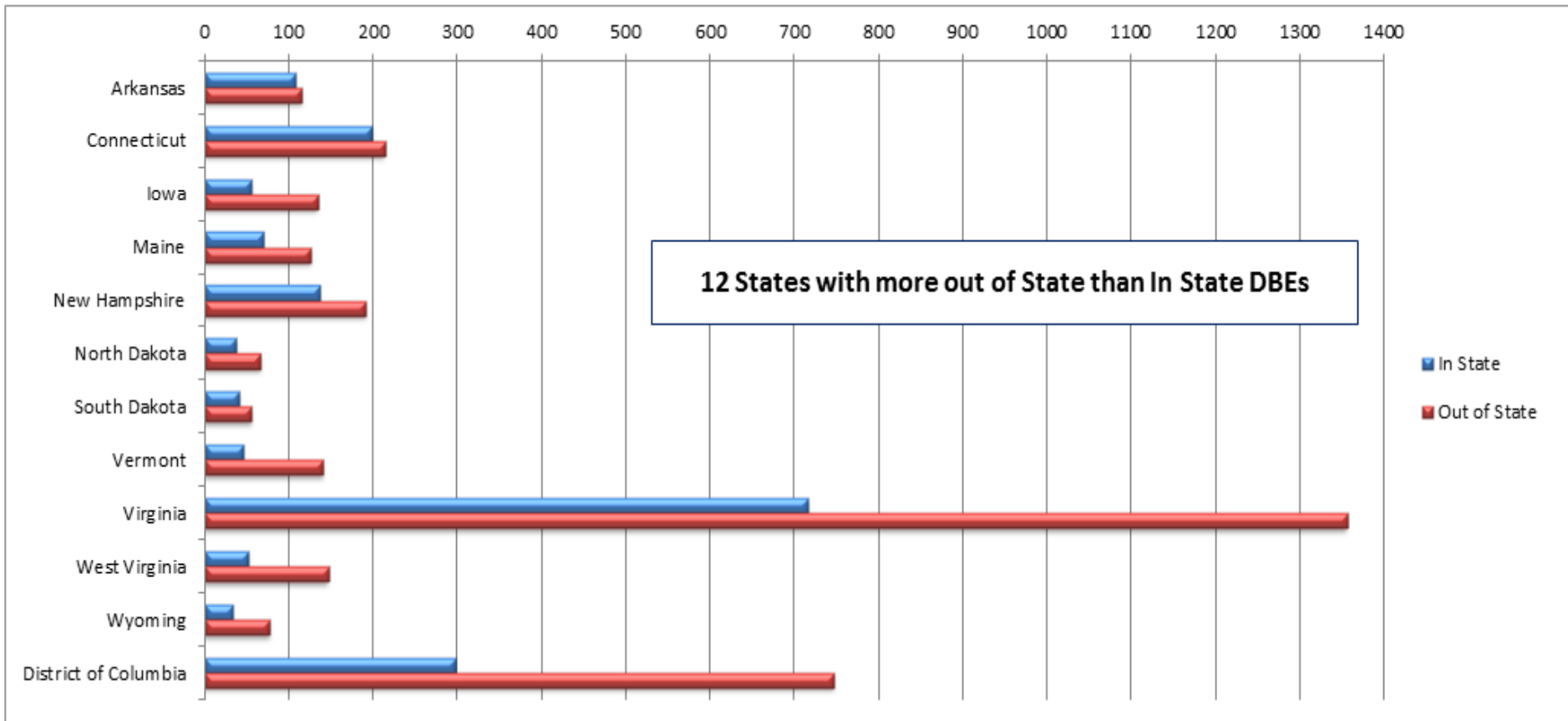
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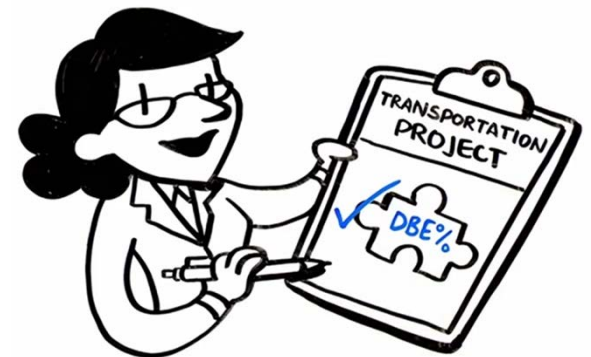
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