# California

## **Energy Efficiency Jobs in America**



#### What are EE Jobs?

Jobs that deliver goods and services that lower energy use by improving energy efficiency – with a focus on appliances, buildings, data systems, financing, new technologies, and more.

#### What do EE workers do?

- Manufacture and install high efficiency systems, controls, windows, insulation and ENERGY STAR-certified
  appliances and products in existing and new homes, commercial & industrial buildings.
- Design and construct high performance buildings such as those earning LEED certification.
- **Upgrade and repair** heating, air conditioning and ventilation (HVAC) and water heating equipment.
- **Educate** property owners and managers on building improvements to unlock savings for businesses, homeowners, schools, states, municipalities, military bases and more.
- Analyze building data using software to maximize energy savings through targeted performance improvements and behavioral changes.
- Review and approve loans to finance energy savings performance contracts to improve the comfort, health and operational costs of buildings.

#### How does EE compare in California?

Energy Efficiency is the largest energy sector in California.

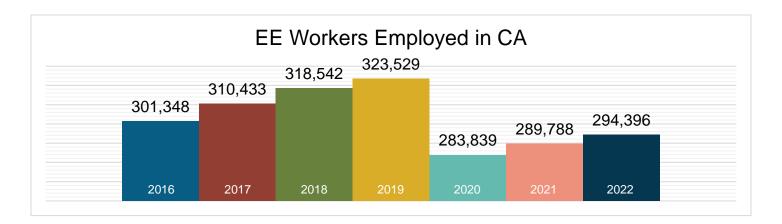


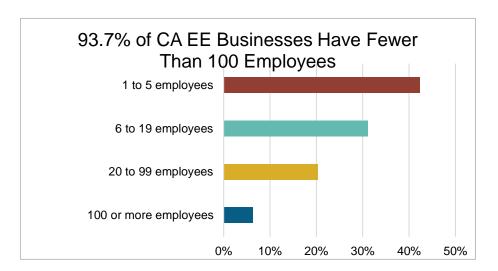
TDS = Transmission, Distribution & Storage EPG = Electric Power Generation Nuclear (EBG & Fuels) = 4,764

\*Includes other energy subsectors such as corn ethanol, woody biomass, large hydropower, and others.



### What does EE look like in California?

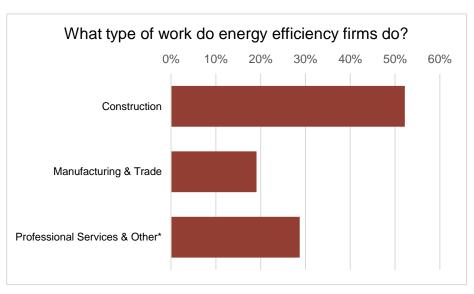




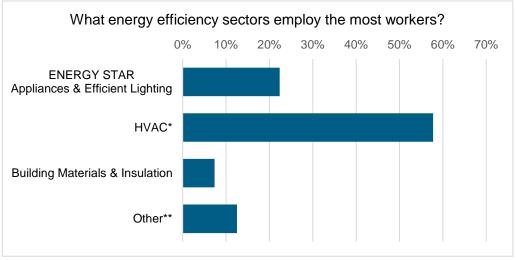


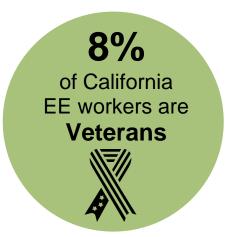
EE construction workers comprise

17% of California's construction workforce



<sup>\*</sup>Professional services include finance/accounting, architecture, engineering, R&D, etc. and other includes maintenance, and business and nonprofit organizations.

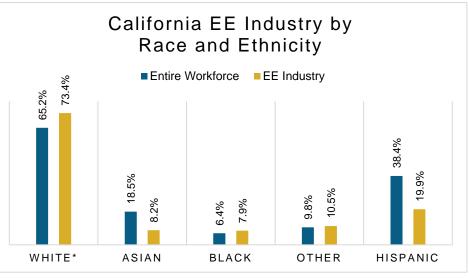




#### How is EE doing on diversity in California?

Demographic data is critical to measure progress in expanding the diversity of the EE industry. A more inclusive industry that reflects the communities it serves is a stronger one that better meets the needs of all U.S. residents. Promoting diversity in hiring is key to maintaining a future workforce of qualified professionals and ensuring all California communities are represented in the EE sector.

The EE industry needs to do more to prioritize minorities and women for training and support that enables access to employment at EE businesses.



<sup>\*</sup>Includes non-Hispanic and Hispanic whites.



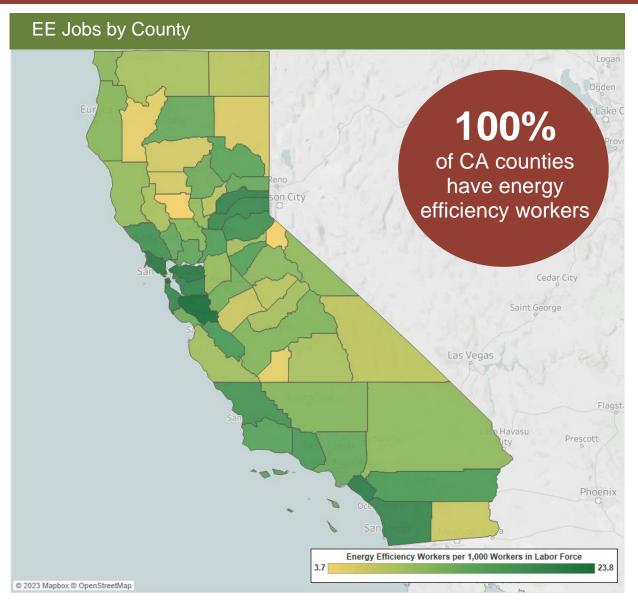
Note: The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) only includes two genders in their survey. Non-binary gender data is missing from this document due to this limitation.



<sup>\*</sup>Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning of higher than standard efficiency/renewable heating & cooling

<sup>\*\*</sup>Other such as energy audits, building certifications, and software services

## Energy Efficiency Jobs are Everywhere



Metropolitan Areas						
Area	Jobs Area		Jobs			
Bakersfield	3,855	Salinas	1,658			
Chico	1,019	San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos	30,160			
El Centro	415	San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont	52,068			
Fresno	4,773	San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	27,312			
Hanford-Corcoran	240	San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles	2,010			
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana	96,517	Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta	1,321			
Madera	499	Santa Cruz-Watsonville	3,117			
Merced	541	Santa Rosa-Petaluma	3,722			
Modesto	2,456	Stockton	2,845			
Napa	1,043	Vallejo-Fairfield	1,951			
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura	5,438	Visalia-Porterville	1,507			
Redding	921	Yuba City	478			
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	22,204	Rural	9,658			
Sacramento-Arden-Arcade-Roseville	16,668		•			

CA State Senate										
District	Jobs		District	Jobs		District	Jobs		District	Jobs
1	11,558		11	18,601		21	3,542		31	3,651
2	9,981		12	3,685		22	5,923		32	3,629
3	10,915		13	8,541		23	4,294		33	5,376
4	4,975		14	5,336		24	7,697		34	8,185
5	5,344		15	5,073		25	4,332		35	3,557
6	5,926		16	3,935		26	10,661		36	11,394
7	7,244		17	9,813		27	6,908		37	9,039
8	7,278		18	7,406		28	6,493		38	9,182
9	10,803		19	7,384		29	7,173		39	12,130
10	13,375		20	6,835		30	4,773		40	2,449

State Assembly							
District	Jobs		District	Jobs		District	Jobs
1	5,921		28	2,689		55	3,599
2	4,568		29	4,484		56	853
3	1,844		30	1,551		57	2,718
4	6,565		31	1,017		58	733
5	3,258		32	1,778		59	425
6	5,961		33	2,576		60	1,766
7	6,997		34	1,851		61	2,747
8	1,123		35	6,670		62	2,233
9	942		36	2,165		63	2,825
10	4,526		37	6,627		64	2,016
11	1,966		38	4,200		65	3,518
12	3,516		39	2,362		66	1,784
13	1,685		40	2,688		67	2,597
14	7,120		41	4,688		68	7,979
15	5,915		42	4,228		69	2,634
16	2,476		43	3,263		70	2,193
17	17,969		44	1,946		71	4,291
18	5,007		45	5,190		72	2,251
19	1,704		46	1,828		73	3,599
20	4,824		47	1,165		74	4,838
21	1,094		48	2,299		75	3,894
22	4,680		49	1,741		76	3,285
23	4,855		50	8,371		77	12,136
24	5,767		51	2,532		78	7,209
25	8,577		52	4,072		79	1,500
26	2,695		53	3,056		80	73
27	1,494		54	2,611			

Congressional					
District	Jobs	District	Jobs		
1	7,507	28	7,353		
2	11,072	29	2,253		
3	6,015	30	5,176		
4	7,027	31	2,244		
5	4,080	32	3,502		
6	5,741	33	10,233		
7	3,202	34	4,743		
8	4,010	35	4,615		
9	4,264	36	5,033		
10	3,443	37	3,501		
11	10,176	38	3,845		
12	17,886	39	6,477		
13	7,986	40	2,522		
14	6,116	41	5,286		
15	5,596	42	3,253		
16	4,564	43	3,141		
17	9,710	44	1,612		
18	6,204	45	12,439		
19	2,724	46	2,600		
20	3,220	47	4,399		
21	3,577	48	4,957		
22	2,448	49	10,645		
23	3,394	50	4,283		
24	10,327	51	5,056		
25	4,210	52	9,313		
26	3,152	53	1,496		
27	6,769				



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Data Source: Except for county data on page 4, all data are from the U.S. Energy and Employment Report, June 2023, by the U.S. Department of Energy (see Appendix B for methodology details). This methodology -- adopted by the U.S. Dept. of Energy for its 2017 U.S. Energy and Employment Report, approved by the Office of Management and Budget and grounded on data collected by the Bureau of Labor Statistics -- provides the broadly accepted best accounting of all U.S. energy workers.

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