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Alameda	5,679	6.4 (34)	9.0 (34)	31,073	4.4 (22)	6.6 (32)	12.8 (26)	9,861	16.5 (36)	16.7 (30)	8,344	13.1 (22)
Alpine	20	* *	* *	91	* *	* *	* *	28	* *	* *	44	* *
Amador	80	* *	* *	757	4.8 (34)	6.9 (36)	14.1 (34)	217	20.3 (57)	12.4 (5)	219	13.7 (32)
Butte	2,386	5.6 (16)	8.4 (30)	8,883	4.3 (19)	6.0 (23)	11.6 (12)	2,945	16.6 (39)	12.9 (6)	5,338	12.5 (18)
Calaveras	205	5.4 (12)	10.7 (48)	1,535	3.9 (12)	6.0 (23)	16.5 (52)	542	16.1 (32)	19.6 (52)	864	12.3 (14)
City Of Be	32	* *	* *	92	* *	* *	* *	21	* *	* *	39	* *
Colusa	337	6.2 (28)	11.6 (53)	1,498	3.9 (12)	7.1 (38)	15.4 (45)	419	12.9 (2)	18.1 (44)	700	21.9 (57)
Contra Cos	3,794	6.3 (31)	10.2 (44)	16,275	3.9 (12)	8.5 (49)	12.1 (17)	4,131	16.3 (33)	15.9 (23)	3,283	16.2 (44)
Del Norte	125	7.2 (45)	15.2 (56)	798	5.8 (52)	4.0 (3)	15.2 (42)	307	19.2 (54)	16.0 (25)	539	6.7 (1)
El Dorado	743	5.2 (10)	6.5 (6)	3,006	3.9 (12)	11.4 (58)	9.2 (4)	896	13.6 (4)	12.9 (6)	1,369	13.3 (23)
Fresno	11,450	7.5 (46)	6.6 (8)	61,284	5.7 (48)	4.1 (4)	16.6 (53)	21,016	16.9 (43)	17.5 (40)	36,164	14.6 (36)

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Glenn	348	4.9 (6)	12.1 (54)	1,709	5.7 (48)	3.3 (1)	17.6 (55)	554	15.5 (18)	19.7 (53)	1,150	19.0 (53)
Humboldt	639	6.3 (31)	9.5 (39)	4,314	4.8 (34)	5.2 (17)	13.5 (29)	1,216	16.9 (43)	16.9 (34)	2,129	11.3 (8)
Imperial	2,761	7.5 (46)	8.4 (30)	9,109	3.0 (1)	6.2 (26)	14.1 (34)	3,312	14.2 (8)	15.6 (21)	5,772	7.0 (2)
Inyo	32	* *	* *	447	5.4 (47)	5.4 (19)	14.1 (34)	155	18.7 (53)	11.0 (3)	131	12.2 (13)
Kern	10,086	6.5 (35)	8.1 (28)	43,451	5.2 (41)	4.9 (13)	15.9 (49)	14,557	14.6 (11)	15.6 (21)	18,369	12.7 (21)
Kings	717	5.6 (16)	10.9 (51)	5,040	5.9 (54)	4.6 (9)	19.5 (62)	1,688	18.2 (52)	22.0 (57)	3,213	25.6 (58)
L.A. East	20,357	6.0 (25)	7.1 (15)	48,670	6.0 (56)	4.1 (4)	18.1 (57)	9,796	15.8 (24)	18.8 (49)	15,044	15.6 (42)
L.A. North	7,324	6.3 (31)	5.7 (4)	24,665	6.4 (58)	4.9 (13)	16.8 (54)	4,601	15.5 (18)	19.9 (55)	6,158	12.3 (14)
L.A. Other	18,776	7.1 (44)	6.5 (6)	155,742	4.6 (27)	4.3 (8)	18.7 (59)	61,601	16.0 (29)	18.9 (50)	87,655	13.3 (23)
L.A. South	19,713	6.9 (40)	6.6 (8)	47,688	6.8 (59)	4.1 (4)	18.4 (58)	9,749	16.9 (43)	18.4 (46)	14,288	13.6 (31)
L.A. West	1,845	6.8 (39)	5.7 (4)	5,422	8.3 (62)	4.6 (9)	19.1 (61)	1,255	16.8 (42)	16.3 (28)	1,619	12.4 (16)

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Lake	155	4.5 (5)	7.7 (25)	1,025	3.8 (10)	7.3 (42)	12.3 (19)	339	14.7 (12)	13.6 (10)	550	13.5 (29)
Lassen	170	7.6 (49)	4.7 (3)	691	4.8 (34)	12.2 (61)	9.6 (5)	221	14.0 (7)	11.8 (4)	267	12.4 (16)
Long Beach	3,547	8.0 (52)	7.6 (23)	11,914	5.9 (54)	4.1 (4)	18.8 (60)	3,797	19.2 (54)	20.5 (56)	4,510	14.6 (36)
Madera	2,642	5.9 (22)	7.6 (23)	9,933	5.3 (45)	5.1 (16)	15.0 (40)	3,586	16.0 (29)	15.2 (15)	7,044	17.2 (47)
Marin	111	3.6 (2)	10.8 (49)	2,461	3.2 (5)	7.0 (37)	11.8 (14)	710	15.8 (24)	14.8 (14)	1,258	10.7 (5)
Mariposa	29	* *	* *	146	6.8 (59)	8.9 (50)	12.3 (19)	43	* *	* *	67	* *
Mendocino	728	5.4 (12)	7.1 (15)	2,659	3.2 (5)	9.7 (54)	12.3 (19)	781	20.1 (56)	18.4 (46)	867	15.3 (41)
Merced	3,499	6.9 (40)	7.7 (25)	13,446	5.2 (41)	4.7 (11)	16.3 (50)	4,435	16.7 (41)	18.4 (46)	8,624	19.0 (53)
Modoc	71	* *	* *	288	3.1 (2)	13.9 (62)	11.5 (10)	94	* *	* *	97	* *
Mono	131	8.4 (54)	6.9 (13)	460	4.1 (17)	11.5 (60)	7.4 (2)	120	11.7 (1)	8.3 (1)	231	21.2 (56)
Monterey	3,015	6.2 (28)	9.4 (38)	10,679	5.8 (52)	3.4 (2)	15.6 (46)	2,048	17.5 (50)	19.2 (51)	5,310	14.1 (33)

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Napa	432	4.4 (4)	9.7 (41)	3,314	3.4 (8)	9.3 (53)	10.1 (8)	891	17.2 (49)	15.9 (23)	1,432	26.0 (59)
Nevada	542	3.1 (1)	7.4 (19)	1,666	3.8 (10)	11.4 (58)	6.9 (1)	427	16.6 (39)	10.3 (2)	630	13.5 (29)
Orange	12,967	5.4 (12)	7.0 (14)	24,141	4.7 (30)	6.3 (28)	14.1 (34)	6,909	15.9 (26)	16.6 (29)	27,787	12.5 (18)
Pasadena	337	6.5 (35)	3.3 (1)	1,752	5.0 (37)	9.2 (52)	11.6 (12)	515	15.7 (22)	17.3 (39)	787	13.3 (23)
Placer	871	5.7 (20)	7.9 (27)	4,493	4.3 (19)	8.0 (46)	11.1 (9)	1,255	14.4 (9)	13.5 (9)	1,919	13.4 (28)
Plumas	108	3.7 (3)	4.6 (2)	405	5.2 (41)	11.1 (57)	13.1 (28)	117	14.5 (10)	17.1 (37)	142	8.5 (3)
Riverside	15,370	6.1 (26)	6.8 (12)	36,704	6.1 (57)	5.7 (21)	15.2 (42)	8,654	13.8 (5)	14.7 (13)	12,930	14.6 (36)
Sacramento	5,003	5.1 (9)	9.1 (37)	45,014	4.7 (30)	8.1 (47)	12.0 (16)	14,061	15.1 (13)	15.2 (15)	18,059	17.9 (49)
San Benito	120	5.8 (21)	10.0 (43)	1,308	5.0 (37)	7.1 (38)	17.6 (55)	415	20.7 (58)	25.8 (58)	832	16.9 (46)
San Bernar	11,107	6.5 (35)	6.7 (11)	41,105	7.1 (61)	6.0 (23)	15.7 (48)	10,181	15.1 (13)	16.0 (25)	14,818	14.9 (40)
San Diego	18,685	9.5 (55)	9.0 (34)	65,951	5.0 (37)	6.5 (31)	13.6 (31)	19,334	15.9 (26)	16.2 (27)	38,974	13.3 (23)

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San Franci	1,194	7.0 (42)	7.5 (20)	10,744	4.6 (27)	7.1 (38)	12.1 (17)	3,349	16.5 (36)	15.3 (18)	1,723	13.3 (23)
San Joaqui	7,296	7.6 (49)	8.1 (28)	33,097	5.2 (41)	6.4 (30)	15.2 (42)	11,034	15.5 (18)	17.5 (40)	10,561	14.8 (39)
San Luis O	796	5.4 (12)	9.8 (42)	5,615	4.1 (17)	7.8 (45)	11.5 (10)	1,590	15.2 (16)	15.3 (18)	2,298	18.4 (50)
San Mateo	1,068	5.6 (16)	9.0 (34)	11,742	3.1 (2)	7.7 (43)	11.8 (14)	3,432	16.9 (43)	16.9 (34)	4,822	11.2 (7)
Santa Barb	4,364	7.7 (51)	7.3 (18)	19,471	4.5 (26)	6.8 (35)	12.3 (19)	6,428	17.7 (51)	16.7 (30)	11,544	14.5 (34)
Santa Clar	3,975	5.6 (16)	7.2 (17)	32,533	4.6 (27)	6.2 (26)	12.6 (24)	8,710	15.7 (22)	16.9 (34)	10,666	11.7 (11)
Santa Cruz	1,447	8.1 (53)	6.6 (8)	4,834	5.7 (48)	5.3 (18)	15.0 (40)	866	17.0 (47)	16.7 (30)	1,490	16.4 (45)
Shasta	1,704	4.9 (6)	11.4 (52)	6,028	5.0 (37)	5.5 (20)	13.6 (31)	1,892	17.1 (48)	15.2 (15)	3,026	11.6 (10)
Sierra	16	* *	* *	51	* *	* *	* *	13	* *	* *	22	* *
Siskiyou	349	10.9 (56)	8.6 (33)	1,507	4.7 (30)	10.7 (56)	9.8 (6)	494	15.6 (21)	13.0 (8)	809	16.1 (43)
Solano	1,699	7.0 (42)	9.6 (40)	8,282	4.4 (22)	6.7 (34)	12.8 (26)	2,646	15.9 (26)	17.1 (37)	2,771	11.3 (8)

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Sonoma	2,632	6.1 (26)	10.8 (49)	9,722	3.9 (12)	7.7 (43)	12.6 (24)	2,614	16.0 (29)	15.5 (20)	1,880	18.4 (50)
Stanislaus	4,901	6.5 (35)	7.5 (20)	20,942	4.7 (30)	6.3 (28)	14.6 (38)	6,551	16.3 (33)	18.2 (45)	12,520	20.4 (55)
Sutter	826	7.5 (46)	10.3 (46)	3,964	3.7 (9)	6.6 (32)	13.8 (33)	1,182	13.8 (5)	17.6 (43)	1,995	11.8 (12)
Tehama	529	5.9 (22)	10.6 (47)	3,249	3.1 (2)	8.2 (48)	10.0 (7)	1,023	13.2 (3)	14.2 (12)	1,413	12.6 (20)
Trinity	66	* *	* *	245	5.7 (48)	9.0 (51)	14.7 (39)	79	* *	* *	129	9.3 (4)
Tulare	5,296	6.2 (28)	8.5 (32)	30,403	5.3 (45)	5.0 (15)	16.3 (50)	10,536	15.1 (13)	16.8 (33)	17,860	18.5 (52)
Tuolumne	30	* *	* *	181	3.3 (7)	9.9 (55)	8.8 (3)	38	* *	* *	37	* *
Ventura	6,544	5.9 (22)	7.5 (20)	26,901	4.4 (22)	4.7 (11)	15.6 (46)	8,490	16.4 (35)	19.8 (54)	17,179	11.1 (6)
Yolo	1,439	5.0 (8)	10.2 (44)	5,561	4.4 (22)	7.2 (41)	13.5 (29)	1,773	15.3 (17)	17.5 (40)	2,441	14.5 (34)
Yuba	630	5.2 (10)	14.8 (55)	3,411	4.3 (19)	5.8 (22)	12.4 (23)	1,100	16.5 (36)	13.7 (11)	1,776	17.3 (48)
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California	233,891	6.7	7.6	989,591	5.1	5.6	15.5	301,643	16.0	17.3	466,528	14.3
Nation (Prior Year)	1,953,242	9.1	6.4	7,526,585	6.2	4.5	13.9	3,058,130	16.4	14.9	4,759,588	15.0

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Alameda	16,628	6.7 (34)	2.9 (49)	17.8 (16)	21.9 (25)	8,557	17.5 (48)
Alpine	40	* *	* *	* *	* *	32	* *
Amador	243	7.4 (42)	4.1 (58)	19.8 (47)	21.4 (20)	115	11.3 (13)
Butte	2,627	6.8 (35)	1.9 (18)	19.1 (43)	22.6 (32)	2,519	14.2 (33)
Calaveras	644	4.7 (7)	2.0 (22)	18.9 (38)	22.7 (33)	570	11.4 (14)
City Of Be	62	* *	* *	* *	* *	60	* *
Colusa	575	6.3 (24)	2.6 (39)	16.2 (4)	25.7 (54)	478	17.8 (50)
Contra Cos	6,511	5.9 (16)	2.2 (26)	18.8 (37)	25.6 (53)	2,250	20.4 (56)
Del Norte	249	4.0 (2)	1.2 (3)	22.1 (57)	24.1 (41)	217	8.8 (6)
El Dorado	904	7.4 (42)	3.3 (57)	18.0 (17)	16.6 (2)	634	11.8 (17)
Fresno	36,710	8.0 (52)	2.1 (24)	18.3 (26)	25.0 (49)	31,760	14.5 (35)
Glenn	506	8.5 (55)	2.6 (39)	18.4 (28)	30.2 (60)	495	16.2 (44)

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Humboldt	940	5.3 (10)	1.8 (12)	22.1 (57)	19.7 (9)	732	12.6 (23)
Imperial	3,419	4.2 (4)	2.9 (49)	18.5 (30)	24.7 (45)	3,272	9.7 (9)
Inyo	224	4.5 (5)	2.7 (43)	18.3 (26)	24.1 (41)	123	8.1 (3)
Kern	19,145	5.2 (9)	2.7 (43)	17.4 (8)	23.9 (39)	12,866	12.8 (27)
Kings	1,687	6.0 (21)	2.8 (48)	18.6 (34)	24.4 (44)	1,641	20.5 (57)
L.A. East	23,953	5.9 (16)	2.1 (24)	16.5 (6)	19.2 (8)	32,643	8.7 (5)
L.A. North	14,120	9.7 (60)	2.4 (31)	19.0 (41)	20.9 (15)	13,109	9.2 (8)
L.A. Other	92,725	5.1 (8)	2.4 (31)	18.9 (38)	25.7 (54)	74,786	11.8 (17)
L.A. South	31,109	9.5 (58)	1.9 (18)	18.0 (17)	17.9 (3)	29,508	8.8 (6)
L.A. West	2,590	5.9 (16)	2.5 (36)	16.9 (7)	22.5 (31)	2,215	13.5 (30)
Lake	398	5.8 (13)	1.8 (12)	18.1 (22)	20.4 (13)	299	12.4 (21)
Lassen	338	9.5 (58)	1.5 (6)	18.0 (17)	21.9 (25)	224	6.3 (2)

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Long Beach	6,124	5.8 (13)	2.2 (26)	18.5 (30)	24.7 (45)	4,658	15.4 (42)
Madera	4,673	6.4 (28)	1.8 (12)	18.6 (34)	22.9 (34)	4,608	12.8 (27)
Marin	629	6.4 (28)	1.7 (11)	20.7 (53)	21.5 (22)	298	14.8 (36)
Mariposa	68	* *	* *	* *	* *	49	* *
Mendocino	757	7.3 (41)	1.5 (6)	19.9 (49)	25.9 (56)	535	13.5 (30)
Merced	5,055	7.8 (51)	2.5 (36)	17.7 (13)	22.1 (27)	4,777	18.8 (54)
Modoc	110	3.6 (1)	1.8 (12)	22.7 (59)	26.4 (58)	95	* *
Mono	155	7.1 (40)	5.8 (60)	20.0 (50)	15.5 (1)	141	21.3 (58)
Monterey	2,513	6.6 (32)	1.2 (3)	21.7 (56)	24.8 (48)	2,566	11.1 (11)
Napa	1,017	6.2 (22)	1.9 (18)	20.6 (52)	25.5 (52)	678	17.8 (50)
Nevada	436	8.3 (53)	2.3 (29)	23.2 (60)	19.0 (7)	361	11.9 (19)
Orange	15,439	7.4 (42)	2.7 (43)	18.5 (30)	21.2 (16)	29,163	11.6 (16)

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Pasadena	920	4.5 (5)	2.6 (39)	18.4 (28)	21.7 (23)	768	5.7 (1)
Placer	1,167	7.4 (42)	3.1 (55)	18.1 (22)	18.3 (4)	723	13.3 (29)
Plumas	157	8.9 (56)	5.1 (59)	14.6 (2)	22.3 (30)	87	* *
Riverside	13,392	5.4 (11)	3.0 (53)	17.7 (13)	21.4 (20)	12,642	12.6 (23)
Sacramento	22,185	7.6 (50)	2.7 (43)	17.4 (8)	21.2 (16)	14,178	19.4 (55)
San Benito	579	7.4 (42)	1.4 (5)	20.9 (54)	28.3 (59)	532	16.9 (47)
San Bernar	18,639	6.4 (28)	3.1 (55)	17.5 (10)	21.3 (18)	17,841	12.6 (23)
San Diego	28,417	7.0 (38)	2.4 (31)	18.9 (38)	23.0 (35)	29,016	11.2 (12)
San Franci	6,405	7.4 (42)	2.9 (49)	17.5 (10)	18.7 (5)	2,152	16.5 (45)
San Joaqui	17,718	6.9 (36)	2.7 (43)	17.6 (12)	22.1 (27)	7,872	15.7 (43)
San Luis O	1,618	7.4 (42)	2.6 (39)	19.3 (44)	21.3 (18)	1,363	15.0 (37)
San Mateo	4,256	6.6 (32)	1.8 (12)	19.8 (47)	25.4 (51)	1,790	11.5 (15)

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Santa Barb	5,388	8.3 (53)	1.5 (6)	19.6 (46)	25.3 (50)	4,861	12.7 (26)
Santa Clar	14,508	7.4 (42)	3.0 (53)	18.0 (17)	22.2 (29)	6,980	12.5 (22)
Santa Cruz	1,088	6.3 (24)	1.0 (2)	21.2 (55)	25.9 (56)	913	11.9 (19)
Shasta	1,621	7.0 (38)	1.8 (12)	17.7 (13)	20.5 (14)	1,247	14.0 (32)
Sierra	35	* *	* *	* *	* *	29	* *
Siskiyou	598	4.0 (2)	1.5 (6)	18.1 (22)	19.7 (9)	520	15.2 (40)
Solano	2,979	6.2 (22)	1.9 (18)	18.1 (22)	24.7 (45)	1,243	15.0 (37)
Sonoma	2,557	5.9 (16)	2.0 (22)	20.1 (51)	23.3 (37)	830	16.5 (45)
Stanislaus	8,605	5.9 (16)	2.2 (26)	18.6 (34)	23.5 (38)	8,539	18.2 (52)
Sutter	886	5.8 (13)	2.9 (49)	15.2 (3)	18.7 (5)	770	18.3 (53)
Tehama	923	6.9 (36)	1.6 (10)	16.3 (5)	21.7 (23)	781	10.5 (10)
Trinity	132	9.1 (57)	0.8 (1)	13.6 (1)	19.7 (9)	118	15.3 (41)

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Tulare	13,295	5.7 (12)	2.5 (36)	18.0 (17)	24.3 (43)	12,316	15.0 (37)
Tuolumne	41	* *	* *	* *	* *	22	* *
Ventura	7,165	6.3 (24)	2.4 (31)	19.4 (45)	23.2 (36)	6,934	8.6 (4)
Yolo	1,928	6.3 (24)	2.4 (31)	18.5 (30)	24.0 (40)	1,008	17.5 (48)
Yuba	926	6.4 (28)	2.3 (29)	19.0 (41)	20.1 (12)	773	14.2 (33)
Unknown Counties	4	* *	* *	* *	* *	1	* *
California	471,455	6.6	2.4	18.3	22.8	403,883	12.5

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