

Southern California: The Oil and Gas Industry Refining Capacity & Jobs Leader

Accounting for 53% of total oil refining capacity in the state and almost half of all industry employment, Southern California plays a central role in California's oil and gas industry.



65,844

Southern California residents directly employed by the oil and gas industry



1.2%

Share of Jobs in the region



\$7.9в

State & Local Tax Revenue



153,830

Total number of jobs in the Southern
California Region supported by the oil
and gas industry

That's enough people to fill LA Memorial Coliseum almost two times.*

*Source: Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum website



\$62.8B

Total Economic Contribution

That dollar amount is nearly three times more than the GDP of Iceland.*



\$9.7в

Total wages and benefits that are reinvested into the local economy for homes, transportation, food, etc.

Breakdown by County





Imperial
Total Jobs
800
Economic Contribution
\$142.5 Million
State & Local Tax Revenue
\$67.7 Million
Labor Income
\$24.5 Million
Share of Total Jobs in County
1.0%

Los Angeles
Total Jobs
77,550
Economic Contribution
\$46.7 Billion
State & Local Tax Revenue
\$3.9 Billion
Labor Income
\$5.3 Billion
Share of Total Jobs in County
1.2%

Orange
Total Jobs
18,790
Economic Contribution
\$4.2 Billion
State & Local Tax Revenue
\$1.04 Billion
Labor Income
\$1.1 Billion
Share of Total Jobs in County
0.8%

Orange

Riverside
Total Jobs 9,100
Economic Contribution \$1.5 Billion
State & Local Tax Revenue \$779 Million
Labor Income \$368 Million
Share of Total Jobs in County 0.9%

San Bernadino
Total Jobs 10,390
Economic Contribution \$1.9 Billion
State & Local Tax Revenue \$867.5 Million
Labor Income \$425.5 Million
Share of Total Jobs in County 1.0%

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Tot	al Jobs
20	,900
Eco	onomic Contribution
\$5	5.5 Billion
Sta	te & Local Tax Revenue
\$1.	3 Billion
Lab	oor Income
\$1.	.3 Billion
Sha	are of Total Jobs in County
1.0	0%

San Diego

South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD)						
The oil and gas industry is an important economic force and major employer in California's South Coast region, including Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside and San Bernardino counties (the four counties serviced by the South Coast Air Quality Management District). In these four counties:						
Total Jobs	Labor Income		Economic Contribution			
115,830	\$7.2 Billion		\$54 Billion			
State and Local	Tax Revenue	Share of Total Jobs in SCAQMD				
\$1.3 Billion		1.1%				

A report titled "2019 Report Oil & Gas in California: The Industry, Its Economic Contribution and User Industries at Risk" examined the economic contribution of the oil and gas industry in California for the year 2017, the most recent annual data available, as well as identified user industries of refined products most vulnerable to cost increases, supply restrictions and competitive pressures from outside the state. The study was conducted by the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation on behalf of the Western States Petroleum Association.