

Table 1
Number of Businesses, Number of Employees, and Fourth Quarter Payroll by Size of Business
State of California
2023 Quarter 4

	Size of Business Categories									
	Total	0 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 19	20 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 249	250 to 499	500 to 999	1000+
Number of Businesses	1,811,844	1,347,029	177,980	130,548	94,574	35,890	18,531	4,464	1,690	1,138
Percent	100.0%	74.3%	9.8%	7.2%	5.2%	2.0%	1.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%
Number of Employees	18,218,220	1,646,740	1,180,519	1,777,407	2,865,391	2,471,003	2,760,867	1,533,241	1,153,927	2,829,125
Percent	100.0%	9.0%	6.5%	9.8%	15.7%	13.6%	15.2%	8.4%	6.3%	15.5%
Quarterly Payroll (in thousands)	\$415,624,264	\$29,764,464	\$20,873,010	\$30,635,836	\$52,466,545	\$48,908,899	\$60,641,859	\$38,866,339	\$31,892,060	\$101,575,252
Percent	100.0%	7.2%	5.0%	7.4%	12.6%	11.8%	14.6%	9.4%	7.7%	24.4%

Definitions of Terms and Source Notes

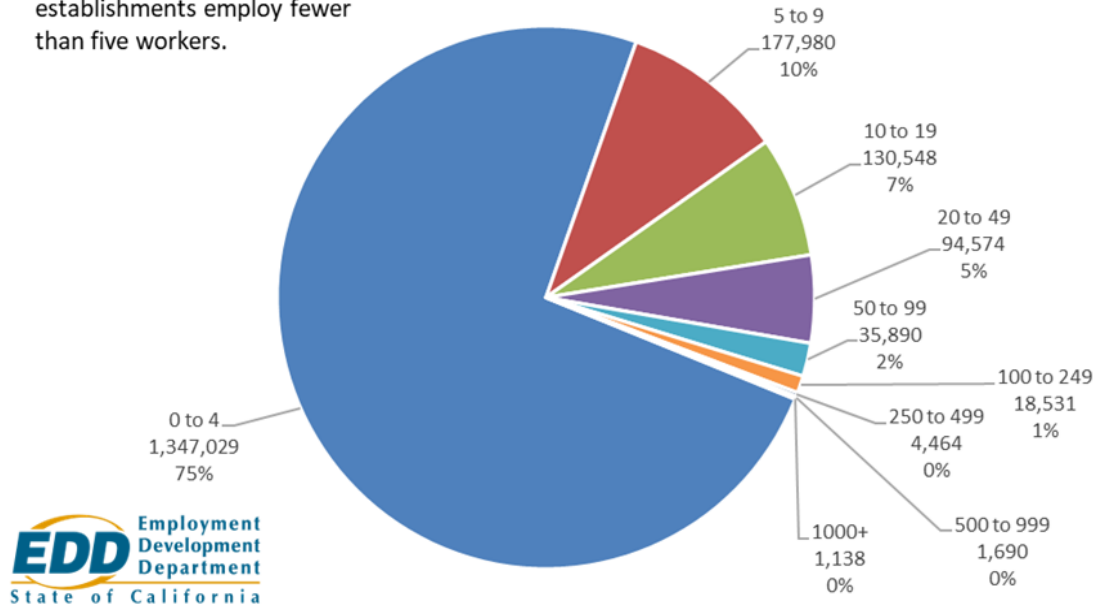
http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/LMID/Size_of_Business_Report_Terms.html

Beginning 2017/1, the Size of Business Report uses Average Monthly Employment (AME) instead of third-month employment. The industry standard was to report employment using third month, but average monthly employment is now California's data standard. The average value of the three months of the quarter results in a more complete employment picture.

Data may not add due to rounding.

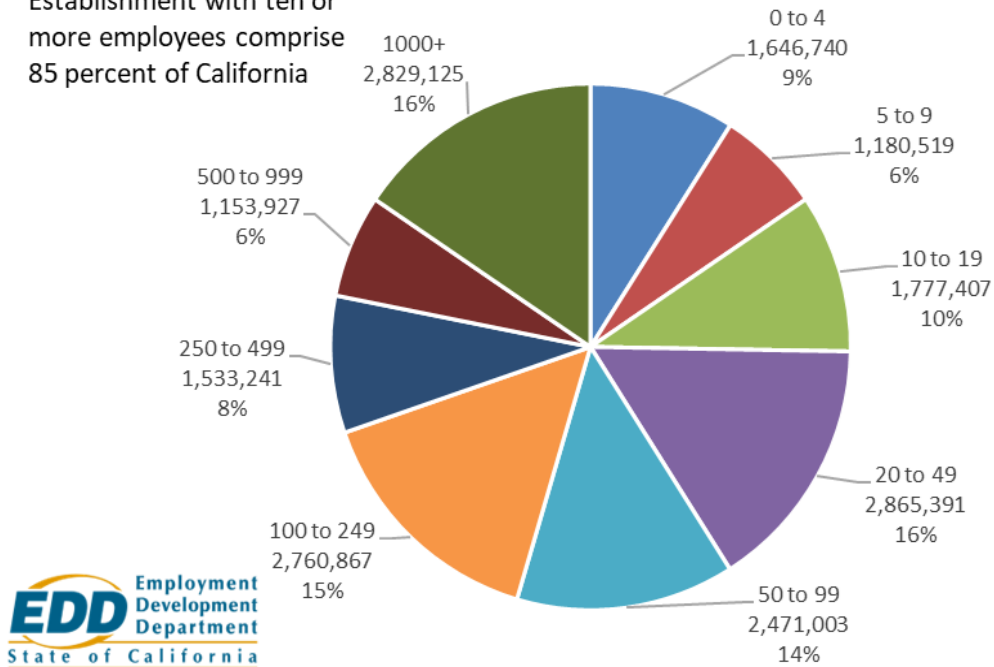
California Establishments by Size Class 4th Quarter 2023

75 percent of California establishments employ fewer than five workers.



California Employment by Size Class 4th Quarter 2023

Establishment with ten or more employees comprise 85 percent of California



California Wages (in thousands) by Size Class
4th Quarter 2023

