

Bottled and Vended Water Program Report



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California Health and Safety (H&S) Code, Division 104, Part 5, Chapter 5, Article 12, Section 111198 provides: The Department shall post annually on its Internet Web site, in connection to the entities it regulates under this article, all of the following information:

- (a) The total number of licenses, by type and county, issued in the prior calendar year.
- (b) The number of inspections performed by the Department in the previous calendar year, broken down by county and license type.
- (c) The number and type of major violations, and the actions taken to correct those violations.
- (d) The number and dollar value of fines levied under subdivision (c).

(A) Bottled and Vended Water Program Licenses Issued During 2021

County	Water Bottling Plant	Bottled Water Distributor	Water Hauler	Private Water Source	Retail Water	Vended Water Machines*
Alameda	3		1		17	6
Alpine						
Amador				1		
Butte	2	3	1		1	
Calaveras						
Colusa			1			
Contra Costa			1		9	2
Del Norte						
El Dorado	1		3	2	1	
Fresno	4	1			13	1
Glenn			1			
Humboldt	2		1	1	1	
Imperial	2		2		2	1
Inyo	1		1	2		
Kern	1	2	2		13	2
Kings			1		4	1
Lake	1		2	1		
Lassen						
Los Angeles	12	10	3	5	371	34
Madera	1		1			
Marin					2	
Mariposa			1			
Mendocino	1		2			
Merced					3	1
Modoc						
Mono						

County	Water Bottling Plant	Bottled Water Distributor	Water Hauler	Private Water Source	Retail Water	Vended Water Machines*
Monterey	1	2	1		14	1
Napa	1	1		2	1	
Nevada			1	2	2	
Orange	4	2	7	1	133	17
Placer	2		1			
Plumas						
Riverside	8	4	2	1	61	13
Sacramento	4	2			24	6
San Benito	1	1			1	
San Bernardino	8	2	2	6	61	10
San Diego	7	3	3	10	54	16
San Francisco		1			1	
San Joaquin	2	1	3		9	3
San Luis Obispo		1			4	3
San Mateo		1	1		3	
Santa Barbara	2	1	2		5	2
Santa Clara	2	2	1	1	79	16
Santa Cruz	1			1	6	1
Shasta	2	1	2			
Sierra	1			2		
Siskiyou	2	1	1	2		
Solano	1	1				
Sonoma	1	2	2	1	6	
Stanislaus	3		1	1	3	1
Sutter						
Tehama			2	1		
Trinity				1		
Tulare	1	1	1		3	
Tuolumne	1			4		
Ventura	2	2	1		10	1
Yolo		1		1	7	
Yuba					1	
Out of State	82		1			
Out of Country	40					
Total	210	49	59	49	925	138

* California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Licenses Water Vending Machine Operators and each operator may operate one or more vending machines in multiple counties throughout the State.

Water Vending Machine Locations

County	Number of Water Vending Machines
Alameda	187
Alpine	0
Amador	10
Butte	46
Calaveras	10
Colusa	19
Contra Costa	149
Del Norte	5
El Dorado	26
Fresno	332
Glenn	14
Humboldt	22
Imperial	96
Inyo	2
Kern	344
Kings	74
Lake	20
Lassen	2
Los Angeles	2007
Madera	51
Marin	21
Mariposa	2
Mendocino	26
Merced	90
Modoc	0
Mono	7
Monterey	181
Napa	34
Nevada	7
Orange	535
Placer	51
Plumas	2
Riverside	641
Sacramento	195
San Benito	29
San Bernardino	564
San Diego	1030
San Francisco	26
San Joaquin	129

County	Number of Water Vending Machines
San Luis Obispo	99
San Mateo	68
Santa Barbara	174
Santa Clara	327
Santa Cruz	99
Shasta	21
Sierra	0
Siskiyou	5
Solano	57
Sonoma	103
Stanislaus	162
Sutter	28
Tehama	13
Trinity	3
Tulare	268
Tuolumne	12
Ventura	267
Yolo	77
Yuba	22
Total	8791

(B) Bottled and Vended Water Program Inspections Completed in 2021

County	Water Bottling Plant Inspections	Bottled Water Distributor Inspections	Water Hauler Inspections	Private Water Source Inspections	Retail Water Inspections	Water Vending Machine Inspections
Alameda						
Alpine						
Amador						
Butte						
Calaveras						
Colusa						
Contra Costa						
Del Norte						
El Dorado						
Fresno						
Glenn						
Humboldt						
Imperial						
Inyo						
Kern						
Kings						
Lake						
Lassen						
Los Angeles	4		9		31	16
Madera						
Marin						
Mariposa						
Mendocino						
Merced						
Modoc						
Mono						
Monterey						
Napa						
Nevada						
Orange			1		3	1
Placer						
Plumas						
Riverside	2		2		9	7
Sacramento					4	1
San Benito						
San Bernardino			4		7	3
San Diego	1		3		3	
San Francisco						
San Joaquin						
San Luis Obispo						
San Mateo						

County	Water Bottling Plant Inspections	Bottled Water Distributor Inspections	Water Hauler Inspections	Private Water Source Inspections	Retail Water Inspections	Water Vending Machine Inspections
Santa Barbara						
Santa Clara					1	1
Santa Cruz						
Shasta						
Sierra						
Siskiyou						
Solano						
Sonoma	1					
Stanislaus			2		2	1
Sutter						
Tehama			1			
Trinity						
Tulare					1	
Tuolumne						
Ventura					1	
Yolo						
Yuba						
Out of State						
Out of Country						
Total	8	0	22	0	62	30

(C) Major Violations

Code Section	Number
H&S 111075 (b) Prior to bottling or vending water, the water shall be subjected to filtration and effective germicidal treatment by ozone, ultraviolet, carbon dioxide, or an equivalent disinfection process approved by the Department.	3
H&S 111115(b) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) The Department shall require that water-vending machines be cleaned, serviced, and sanitized in accordance with the manufacturer’s specifications, but at least once every 31 days. (2) Inspection records shall be kept for every visit made by either the operator or the maintenance personnel pursuant to this subdivision. These records shall show the date and time of the visit, any tests performed, any maintenance performed, and the signature or electronic signature of the operator or maintenance personnel. The records shall be kept by the owner of the water-vending machine for a minimum of two years and shall be made available to the Department upon request. 	7
H&S 111120 (b) No person shall own or operate a water-vending machine or a retail water facility or be a water hauler, except pursuant to a license issued by the Department or to a permit issued by a local health Department.	6
H&S 111145 (b) Each product dispensed by a water-vending machine or a retail water facility shall be sampled and analyzed for coliform bacteria at least once every six months. The analysis shall be submitted to the Department indicating whether the water is pure and wholesome.	7

Violations noted were corrected by the responsible firms.

(D) Fines Levied

No fines were levied.