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The 2025 Energy Code, amending the California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 1, Chapter 10, and Part 6, was adopted by the California Energy Commission (CEC) on September 11, 2024. These standards were approved by the CBSC on December 17, 2024, with an effective date of January 1, 2026.

Table 140.10-B and Table 170.2-V include BESS capacity factors (Watt-hour/square foot, Wh/ft² of conditioned floor area) that are inconsistent with the adoption of recommendations from the *2025 California Energy Code Technical Measure Report – Photovoltaic and Battery Storage System Update and Expansion* (February 2024) available at

<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/GetDocument.aspx?tn=256201&DocumentContentId=91986> (pages 28, 35). These values will be updated, as summarized in the table below:

| Table | Building Type | Climate Zone | BESS Capacity Factor (Wh/ft ² of condition area), adopted | BESS Capacity Factor (Wh/ft ² of condition area), errata |
|----------|-----------------|--------------|--|---|
| 140.10-B | Retail, Grocery | 3 | 2.70 | 1.71 |
| 140.10-B | Warehouse | 1 | 0.37 | NR ¹ |
| 170.2-V | Warehouse | 1 | 0.37 | NR ¹ |

NR = Not Required

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