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# CHANGING HEAT PUMP DEMAND IN **CALIFORNIA**

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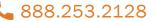


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To advocate on behalf of HVACR Wholesale-Distributors so that they may better operate their businesses, serve their partners and employees, and add value to the economy by remaining "The Channel of Choice for HVACR Manufacturers and Contractors."













#### DISTRIBUTOR ROLE IN SUPPLY CHAIN

#### **HVACR VALUE CHAIN**

**MANUFACTURERS** 

DISTRIBUTORS HARDI

CONTRACTORS

CONSUMERS

- Distributors play a critical role in the value chain:
  - Primary source of equipment and supplies
  - Knowledgebase
  - Warranties
  - Training













OUR TRADE ASSOCIATION HAS

# **NEARLY 1,000**

MEMBER COMPANIES





THESE SMALL BUSINESSES COLLECTIVELY EMPLOY



40,000
HARD-WORKING AMERICANS

# HOW DO CALIFORNIA HEAT PUMP SALES COMPARE TO NATIONWIDE **SALES?**



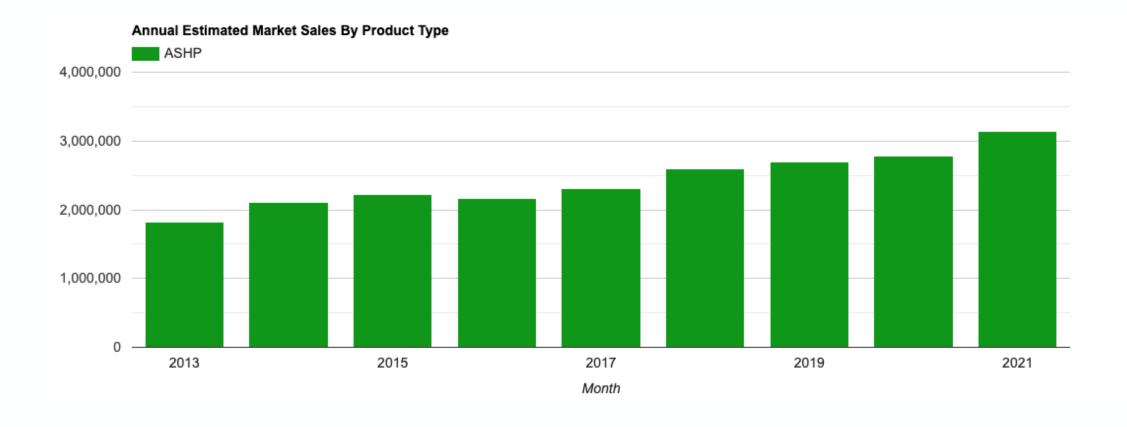








# RESIDENTIAL HEAT PUMP SALES GROWING **NATIONWIDE**







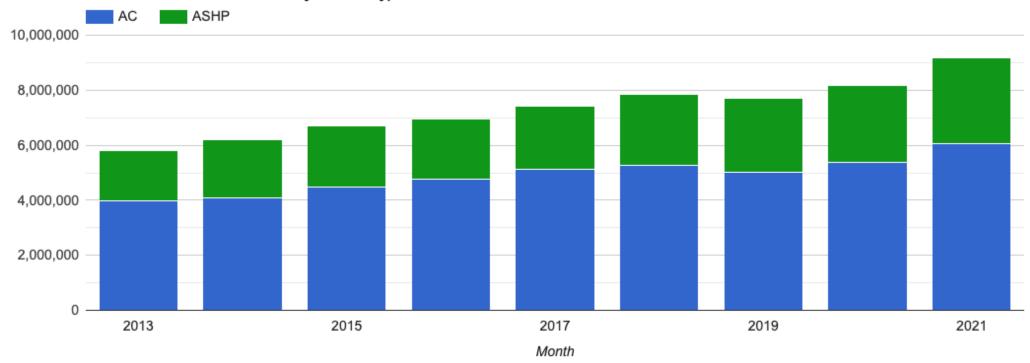






# NATIONWIDE HEAT PUMPS ARE GROWING FASTER THAN TRADITIONAL AC

#### Annual Estimated Market Sales By Product Type













# CALIFORNIA RESIDENTIAL HEAT PUMP **GROWTH IS SLOWER THAN NATIONWIDE**

#### Annual Estimated Market Sales By Product Type ASHP 200,000 150,000 100,000 50,000 2013 2015 2017 2019 2021 Month

Since 2013, 1.4 million heat pumps have been installed in California, HARDI estimates the installed base of heat pumps to be 1.75 million with a replacement rate of greater than 80,000 expected in 2022, the remaining growth in sales will be for new construction.

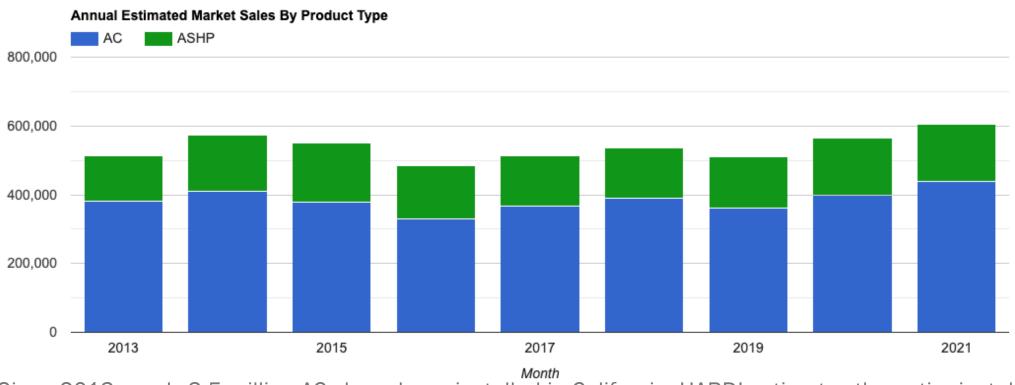








# TOTAL CALIFORNIA COOLING GROWTH ALSO LOWER



Since 2013 nearly 3.5 million ACs have been installed in California, HARDI estimates the entire installed based to be 4.4 million with 200,000-300,000 replacements sold this year.

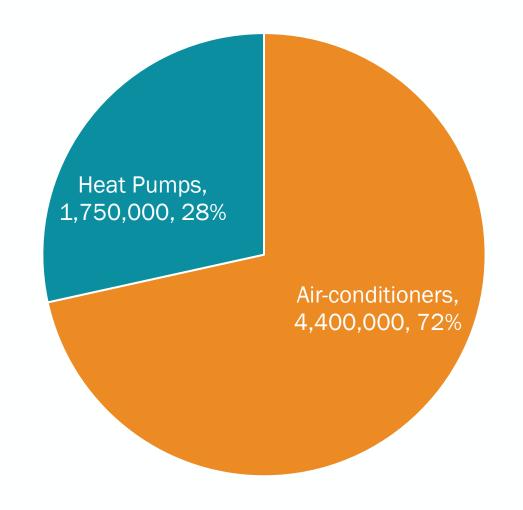








#### INSTALLED BASE IN CALIFORNIA















### TRENDS IN HOME HEATING







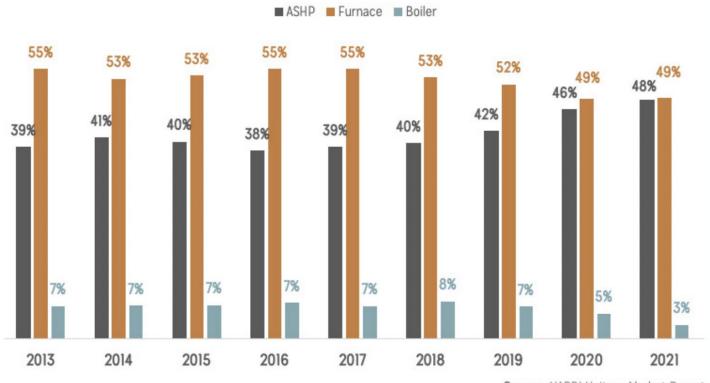






# HEAT PUMP SHIPMENTS ALMOST MATCH FURNACE SHIPMENTS NATIONWIDE

Heating Product Mix: Share of Shipments by Year



Source: HARDI Unitary Market Report



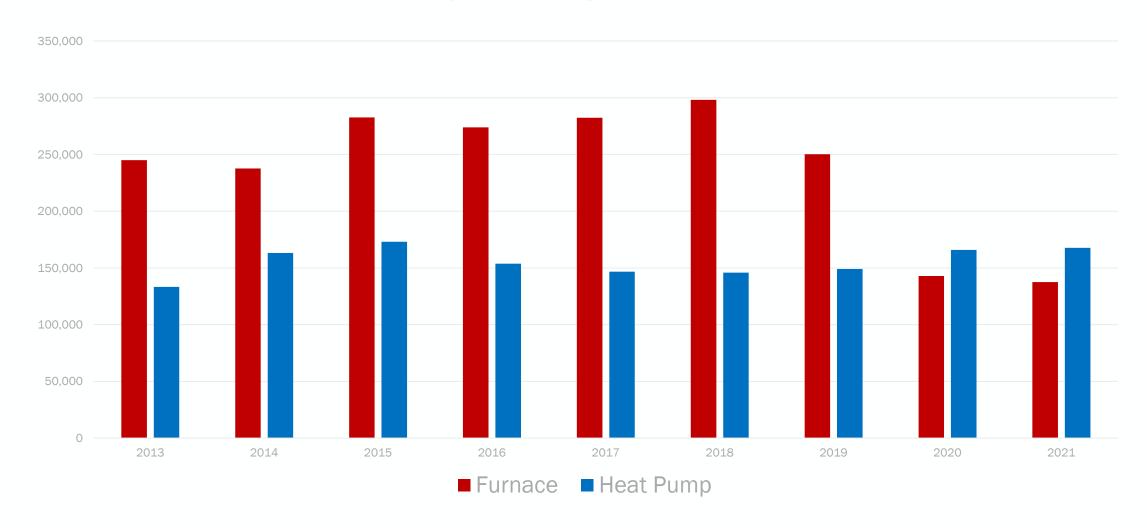








# **HEAT PUMP VS FURNACE SALES IN CALIFORNIA**







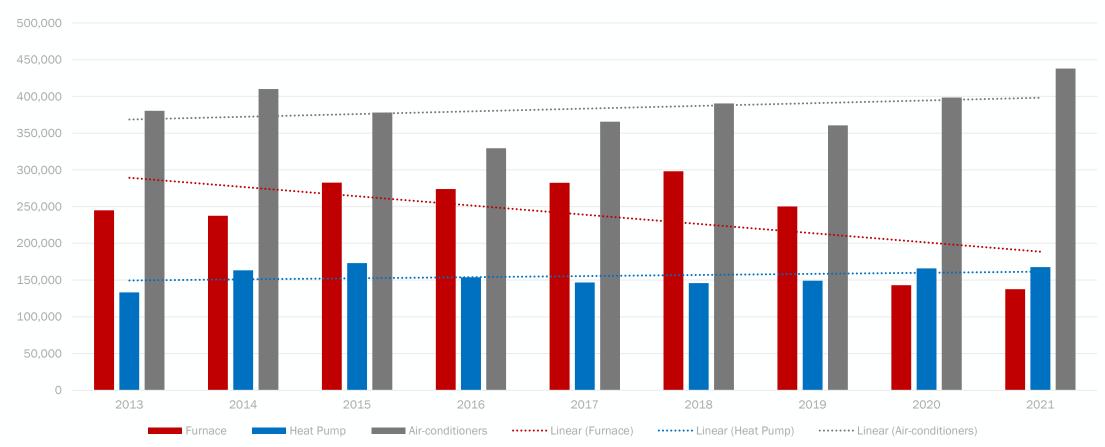








### **FURNACE REPAIR?**



Ultra-low NOx Rules in South Coast and San Juaquin Valley Air Quality Districts likely led to either increased repair rates of existing furnaces or AC with blower only (no heat) in those areas of the state.



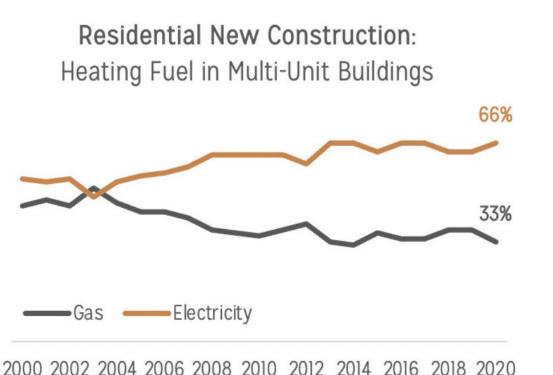


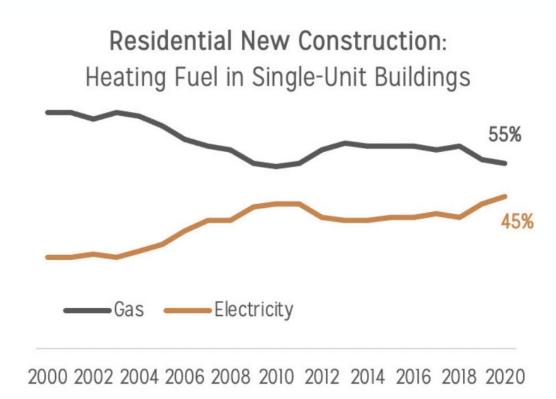






#### MULTI-FAMILY DRIVES HEAT PUMP DEMAND















# ROLE OF DISTRIBUTION IN HVACR **SALES**











## SOURCES OF RESIDENTIAL HVAC DEMAND



80% of the HVAC residential market comes from add-on/replacement services.













# ANNUAL INVENTORY CYCLE RESPONDS TO DEMAND

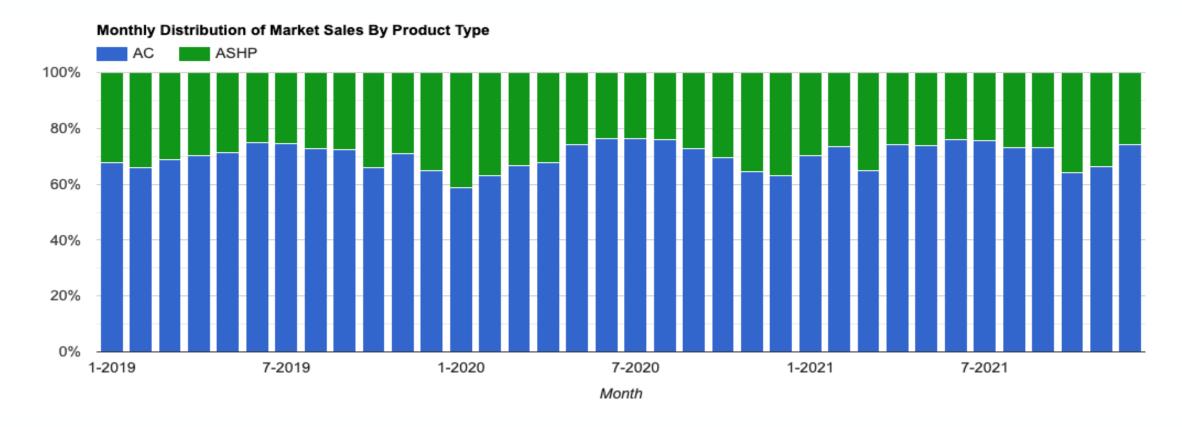






# 2019-2021 SALES AS PERCENTAGE OF WHOLE

Heat pump sales increase in off-season months



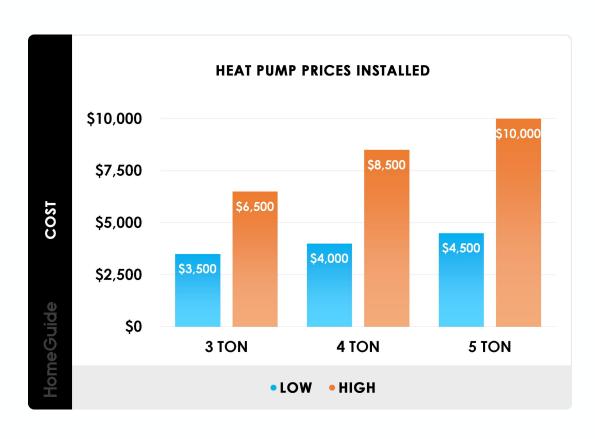








#### REPLACEMENT VS NEW CONSTRUCTION



- Price likely plays large part in replacement market, especially in AC only vs whole system replacement
- Higher cost drives down demand for emergency replacement
- Multi-family new construction is driven by economy of scale where it is easier for heat pumps to compete









