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Energy Equity Indicators

Overview



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Energy Equity Indicators:

Purpose

- Build on SB 350 Low-Income Barriers Study
- Highlight opportunities to expand clean energy access, investment, and resilience in lowincome and disadvantaged communities
- Point to key data gaps, e.g., Census has limited data about tribes



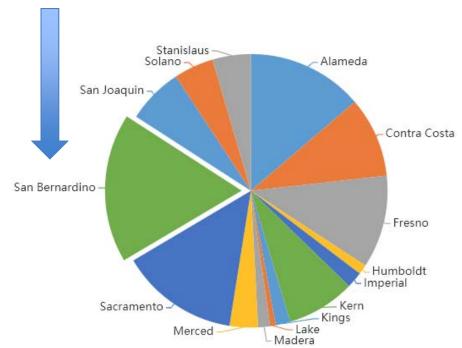
Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau 2010 census tract boundaries; 2011-2015 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-year estimates; Bureau of Indian Affairs Pacific Regional Office 2017; CalEnviroScreen 3.0, 2017

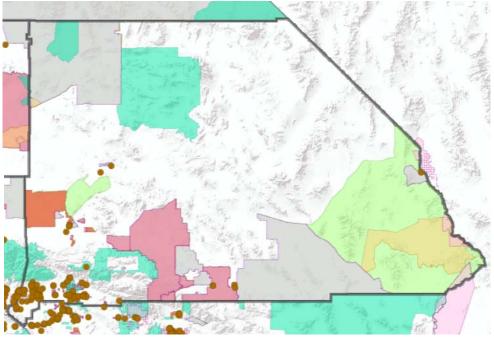


Data Show Opportunities for Outreach and Investment

Emergency
Department
Rates Due to Asthma
(2015)
Per County

Low-income Areas with Older Homes, Low Efficiency, Low Solar, and Low EV Rebates

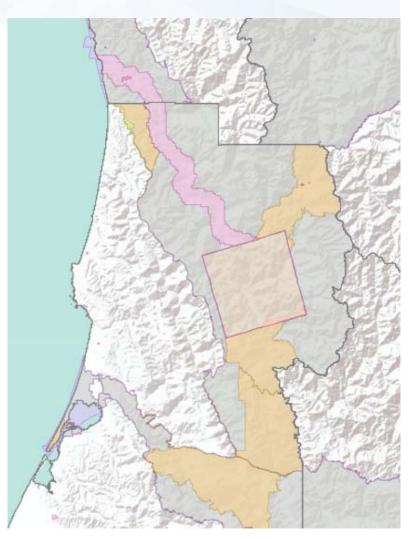




Data Sources: CPUC – California Energy Data and Reporting System (CEDARS), May 18, 2018; California Distributed Generation Statistics; California Clean Vehicle Rebate Project; Energy Commission analysis based on CPUC historical data; California Environmental Health Tracking Program; U.S. Census Bureau 2010 census tract boundaries; 2011-2015 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-year estimates; Bureau of Indian Affairs Pacific Regional Office 2017; Electric Alternative Fuel Station (public); Esri zip codes.



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- Tribal Land (Federally Recognized)
- CEDARS (2016-2017) residential kWh/yr by zip code is than 655 (lowest 20%) and intersects lowincome (less than 60% of statewide median income) census tracts
 - 70% of structures built before 1989 within low-income (less than 60% of statewide median income census tracts



More Information

- Energy Equity Indicators
 http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/barriers_report/equity-indicators.html
- Energy Commission Low-Income Barriers Study, Part A http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/barriers_report/
- California Air Resources Board Clean Transportation Access Guidance Document (Barriers Study, Part B)
 https://www.arb.ca.gov/msprog/transoptions/transoptions.htm
- SB 350 Disadvantaged Communities Advisory Group <u>http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/DCAG/</u>
- Energy Commission Project Map and Project Equity Dashboard
 https://www.energy.ca.gov/efficiency/financing/map equity dashboard.html