

Chemists

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Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA MSA	2,922	\$83,200	0.85	85	12,872,322	4.2%	110+	\$640,179	31	3108
San Francisco-Oakland-Berkeley, CA MSA	2,619	\$104,800	1.96	36	4,579,599	3.1%	110+	\$898,319	34	4186
San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA MSA	1,673	\$86,600	2.00	46	3,276,208	3.3%	110+	\$595,600	26	4174
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA MSA	944	\$107,200	1.53	17	1,938,524	3.0%	110+	\$1,046,540	29	4194
Phoenix-Mesa-Chandler, AZ MSA	501	\$80,000	0.41	12	5,015,678	2.9%	100-105	\$270,670	27	3806
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA MSA	453	\$80,900	0.49	4	4,667,558	4.1%	110+	\$359,550	33	4014
Sacramento-Roseville-Folsom, CA MSA	428	\$91,500	0.74	13	2,416,702	3.8%	110+	\$416,217	28	4090
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA MSA	204	\$86,100	1.10	11	832,605	3.6%	110+	\$609,200	27	3710
Vallejo, CA MSA	127	\$90,600	1.64	3	448,747	4.2%	110+	\$437,900	33	4670
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, NV MSA	122	\$93,400	0.21	6	2,322,985	5.5%	100-105	\$285,100	25	2982
Bakersfield, CA MSA	114	\$103,000	0.61	4	916,108	8.3%	105-110	\$226,600	24	1254
Fresno, CA MSA	113	\$70,600	0.50	3	1,015,190	7.4%	110+	\$271,000	23	2342
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara, CA MSA	95	\$80,300	0.79	3	443,837	3.7%	110+	\$610,300	21	4220
Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA MSA	81	\$86,700	0.69	8	482,650	3.2%	110+	\$640,000	26	4222
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA MSA	79	\$88,000	1.34	0	264,370	6.0%	110+	\$787,000	28	4210

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Reno, NV MSA	71	\$75,000	0.52	1	500,915	4.0%	105-110	\$359,050	22	3990
Stockton, CA MSA	63	\$82,800	0.41	2	793,229	5.8%	110+	\$367,900	35	4470
Modesto, CA MSA	53	\$66,300	0.49	1	551,275	6.2%	110+	\$314,100	31	3370
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA MSA	48	\$79,100	0.71	0	282,013	3.0%	110+	\$605,200	22	4202
Yuma, AZ MSA	43	\$77,400	1.10	1	207,842	9.2%	95-100	\$139,200	21	4974
Salinas, CA MSA	43	\$94,100	0.40	0	432,858	7.3%	110+	\$559,400	24	4150
Visalia, CA MSA	35	\$80,100	0.37	4	477,544	9.7%	105-110	\$223,600	22	4730
Medford, OR MSA	35	\$72,400	0.69	0	221,644	3.4%	110+	\$294,500	19	3278
El Centro, CA MSA	17	\$91,800	0.48	0	178,713	14.1%	105-110	\$206,700	22	2094
Napa, CA MSA	17	\$80,400	0.41	0	134,300	3.2%	110+	\$666,900	25	3490
Redding, CA MSA	15	\$82,900	0.39	0	180,930	5.0%	95-100	\$261,000	21	3982
Yuba City, CA MSA	13	\$86,800	0.43	0	182,813	7.4%	110+	\$291,256	29	4970
Grants Pass, OR MSA	13	\$79,100	0.75	0	87,730	3.9%	110+	\$281,500	19	2442
Merced, CA MSA	12	\$87,000	0.27	1	290,014	9.7%	110+	\$268,800	29	3290
Chico, CA MSA	12	\$85,600	0.27	0	207,303	4.9%	110+	\$304,700	21	1702
Hanford-Corcoran, CA MSA	11	\$90,900	0.40	1	152,981	8.3%	105-110	\$227,400	23	2526
Prescott Valley-Prescott, AZ MSA	9	\$78,900	0.22	2	246,191	3.2%	110+	\$273,300	23	3915
Madera, CA MSA	8	\$85,700	0.26	1	160,256	7.4%	110+	\$268,500	28	3146
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ MSA	5	\$72,800	0.17	2	220,816	4.0%	110+	\$172,100	22	2942
Carson City, NV MSA	5	\$79,000	0.30	0	58,130	4.6%	100-105	\$299,900	20	1618

Source: [JobsEQ®](#)

Data as of 2022Q4 unless noted otherwise

1. Data represent found online ads active within the last thirty days in the selected region. Due to alternative county-assignment algorithms, ad counts in this analytic may not match that shown in RTI (nor in the popup window ad list). Ad counts for ZCTA-based regions are estimates.

2. Source: Census Population Estimate for 2020, annual growth rate since 2010

3. Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics, data as of Apr 2023 and represent the average rate across all occupations

4. Cost of Living per [COLI](#), data as of 2022Q4, imputed by Chmura where necessary.

5. Source: American Community Survey 2016-2020. Median values for certain aggregate regions (such as MSAs) may be estimated as the weighted averages of the median values from the composing counties.