



+252
5-year Job Demand
Increase in
MDCP Region

**Average Hourly
Wage**

\$34.81
MDCP Region

\$35.34
SB County

\$35.56
California

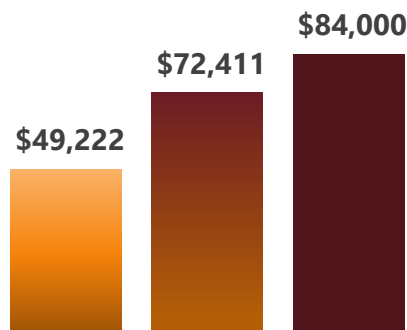
**MDCP
Regional Labor Market
Snapshot**

**Occupations
Associated
Agriculture
Sciences**



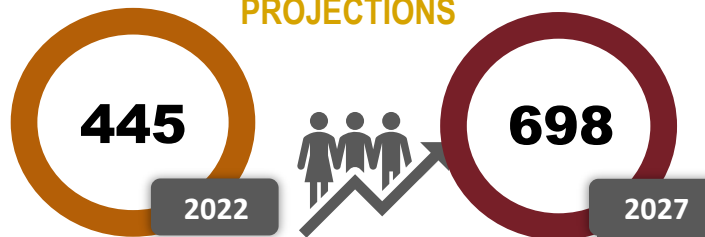
Salary Guide

AVERAGE BY EXPERIENCE



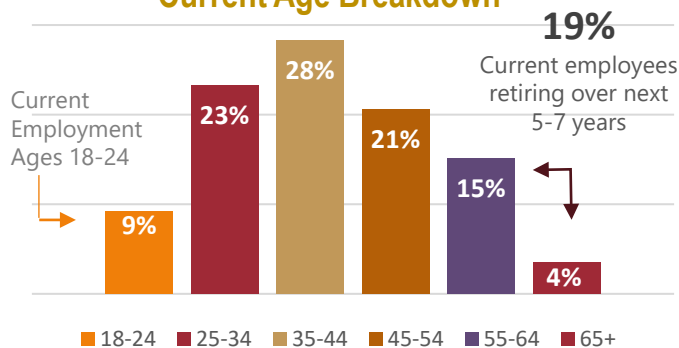
■ Starting ■ Average ■ Experienced

**EMPLOYMENT
PROJECTIONS**



5-year demand includes new jobs, transfers, and retirements

Current Age Breakdown



AVERAGE WAGE INFORMATION PER JOBS IN REGION

Occupation	Average Hourly Wage			
	HD	SBC	California	HD Average Salary
Water & Wastewater Treatment System Operator (HS)	\$34.18	\$34.16	\$35.15	\$71,000
Agricultural Technicians (A)	\$22.15	\$20.18	\$24.49	\$46,100
Environmental Science and Protection Technicians (A)	\$24.18	\$24.37	\$25.30	\$50,300
Forest & Conservation Technicians (A)	\$22.55	\$22.91	\$21.29	\$46,900
Hydrologic Technicians (A)	\$32.80	\$32.05	\$33.65	\$68,200
Biological Technicians (B)	\$22.62	\$22.09	\$26.52	\$47,000
Environmental Engineers (B)	\$51.13	\$50.71	\$55.37	\$106,400
Landscape Architects (B)	\$40.67	\$40.43	\$43.12	\$84,600
Hydrologists (B)	\$63.02	\$71.19	\$55.16	\$131,100

Average hourly wage based on listed occupations
(HS = High School Diploma; PSC = Postsecondary Certificate; A = Associates Degree; B = Bachelor's Degree; M = Master's Degree; D = Professional or Doctorate Degree)

HD Average wages based on listed occupations
^High Demand Occupation



CONTINUING EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Program	College
AS Agricultural Plant Sciences	Victor Valley CC
BS Environmental Biology	Cal Poly, Pomona
BS Plant Biology	UC Riverside
BA Environmental Studies	Cal State San Bernardino
MS Ecology	Cal State San Diego
BS Environmental Science	UC Los Angeles

For information on VVC's agriculture certificate:
<https://catalog.vvc.edu/degrees-certificates/agriculture-natural-resources/ecological-restoration-ca/>

LOCAL EMPLOYERS

Employer	Website
Epps Urban Homestead	https://eppsurbanhomestead.weebly.com/
Neil's Landscape & Seed	https://porch.com/apple-valley
Oak Hills Nursery	http://www.oakhillsnursery.com/
Tractor Supply Co	https://tractorsupply.jobs/
US Dept of Agriculture	http://cms.sbcounty.gov/awm/Home.aspx
Victor Valley College	http://www.vvc.edu/academic/agriculture/

**Current Gender
Breakdown**

