

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Hunting

Revenue Reported by License Year
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Licenses	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Resident Hunting (Annual)	\$11,679,491	\$11,263,541	\$11,174,550	\$12,067,045	\$3,824,357	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Hunting	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Junior Hunting (Annual)	\$239,150	\$220,701	\$206,448	\$217,127	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Junior Hunting	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	ı	-
Disabled Veteran Hunting	\$38,130	\$38,781	\$40,400	\$46,795	\$18,731	-	-	-	ı	-
Recovering Service Member	\$45	\$23	\$16	\$18	\$9	-	-	-	1	-
Non-Resident Hunting (Annual)	\$644,655	\$743,580	\$816,782	\$821,104	\$289,400	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident 1-Day Hunting	\$7,695	\$8,951	\$8,616	\$11,622	\$0	-	-	-	ı	-
Non-Resident 2-Day Hunting	\$124,882	\$140,741	\$151,650	\$218,248	\$401	-	-	-	1	-
Sub Total - Hunting Licenses	\$12,734,048	\$12,416,319	\$12,398,462	\$13,381,958	\$4,132,899	-	-	-	-	-
Resident First Deer Tag	\$4,460,621	\$4,529,760	\$4,549,303	\$4,909,083	\$2,587,008	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident First Deer Tag	\$359,822	\$413,854	\$466,000	\$531,744	\$327,713	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Second Deer Tag	\$1,697,483	\$1,752,400	\$1,841,228	\$1,945,051	\$729,064	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Second Deer Tag	\$17,267	\$26,978	\$33,896	\$44,445	\$12,150	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Deer Tag	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Duplicate/Exchange Deer Tag	\$903	\$1,312	\$1,419	\$1,116	\$51	-	-	-	1	-
Sub Total - Deer Tags	\$6,536,096	\$6,724,304	\$6,891,846	\$7,431,439	\$3,655,985	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Pronghorn Antelope Tag	\$29,396	\$20,027	\$29,189	\$31,659	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Pronghorn Antelope Tag (Junior)	\$308	\$319	\$326	\$376	\$0	-	-	-	1	-
Non-Resident Pronghorn Antelope Tag	\$468	\$482	\$495	\$537	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Bighorn Sheep Tag	\$10,894	\$11,674	\$11,993	\$11,506	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Bighorn Sheep Tag	\$3,267	\$5,050	\$5,188	\$5,627	\$0	-	-	-	ı	-
Resident Elk Tag	\$115,770	\$101,502	\$147,033	\$198,596	\$550	-	-	-	1	-
Resident Elk Tag (Junior)	\$246	\$340	\$305	\$376	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Elk Tag	\$2,808	\$2,894	\$2,973	\$8,061	\$3,403	-	-	-	ı	-
Sub Total - Antelope, Bighorn Sheep, Elk Tags	\$163,156	\$142,287	\$197,500	\$256,739	\$3,953	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Antelope Tag Drawing Application	\$223,808	\$223,905	\$227,933	\$227,003	\$165,458	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Antelope Tag Drawing Application	\$4,920	\$5,468	\$6,225	\$6,735	\$5,288	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Bighorn Sheep Tag Drawing Application	\$139,890	\$140,040	\$143,303	\$143,205	\$103,215	-	-	-	1	-
Non-Resident Bighorn Sheep Tag Drawing Application	\$7,613	\$8,130	\$8,895	\$9,360	\$7,890	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Elk Tag Drawing Application	\$332,048	\$333,773	\$332,730	\$333,315	\$244,583	-	-	-	-	-



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Non-Resident Elk Tag Drawing Application	\$7,485	\$8,190	\$9,353	\$9,975	\$8,303	-	-	-	-	-
Elk, Antelope, Bighorn Sheep Tag Return Fee	\$2,910	\$4,402	\$857	\$621	\$0	ı	1	-	-	-
Sub Total - Antelope, Bighorn Sheep, Elk Drawing	\$718,673	\$723,907	\$729,295	\$730,214	\$534,735	-	-	-	-	-
Fundraising Deer Tag Random Drawing	\$171,706	\$401,395	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Fundraising Bighorn Sheep Tag Random Drawing	\$103,481	\$101,680	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Fundraising Antelope Tag Random Drawing	\$62,569	\$59,865	\$0	\$0	\$0	ı	1	-	1	-
Fundraising Elk Tag Random Drawing	\$130,663	\$151,665	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total - Fundraising Drawing	\$468,419	\$714,604	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Bear Tags	\$1,304,836	\$1,395,718	\$1,514,655	\$1,615,469	\$525,723	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Bear Tags (Junior)	\$42,793	\$45,269	\$47,224	\$46,826	\$15,030	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Bear Tags	\$40,538	\$45,413	\$68,731	\$62,775	\$17,088	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total – Bear Tags	\$1,388,166	\$1,486,399	\$1,630,610	\$1,725,069	\$557,841	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Wild Pig Tag/Validations**	\$1,004,040	\$955,738	\$935,736	\$967,486	\$214,075	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Wild Pig Tag/Validations**	\$76,000	\$73,633	\$85,572	\$87,861	\$4,950	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Wild Pig Tags/Validations**	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total - Wild Pig Tags/Validations**	\$1,080,040	\$1,029,371	\$1,021,308	\$1,055,347	\$219,025	-	-	-	-	-
Duck Validation *	\$1,444,843	\$1,433,749	\$1,991,296	\$2,191,095	\$427,315	-	-	-	-	-
Collector Duck Stamp	\$5,789	\$6,773	\$1,298	\$950	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Duck Validation	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	ı	1	-	1	-
Waterfowl Reservation Application	\$1,547,673	\$1,550,978	\$1,331,435	\$1,416,400	\$0	ı	1	-	1	-
1-Day Type A Wildlife Area Permit	\$214,668	\$214,632	\$228,533	\$283,539	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
2-Day Type A Wildlife Area Pass	\$652,120	\$485,886	\$486,693	\$515,745	\$0	ı	1	-	1	-
Type A Wildlife Area Season Pass	\$930,091	\$979,106	\$881,682	\$981,500	\$109,893	ı	1	-	1	-
Type B Wildlife Area Season Pass	\$49,988	\$37,629	\$36,081	\$41,434	\$5,481	ı	1	-	1	-
Upland Game Bird Validation *	\$1,547,655	\$1,477,847	\$2,767,440	\$2,937,803	\$710,078	ı	ı	-	ı	-
Collector Upland Game Bird Stamp	\$732	\$956	\$370	\$333	\$0	-	1	-	-	-
Lifetime Upland Game Bird Validation	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Harvest Information Program Validation	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-	-	-	-	-
Sub Total - Game Bird Hunting	\$6,393,557	\$6,187,554	\$7,724,827	\$8,368,799	\$1,252,766	-	-	-	-	-



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Lifetime Hunting Package - Age 0 to 9	\$143,126	\$129,216	\$126,259	\$145,873	\$56,469	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Hunting Package - Age 10 to 39	\$173,185	\$213,210	\$198,790	\$203,070	\$91,674	ı	1	-	-	-
Lifetime Hunting Package - Age 40 to 61	\$117,332	\$142,890	\$130,275	\$131,915	\$45,736	ı	1	-	-	-
Lifetime Hunting Package - Age 62 and Over	\$27,183	\$33,733	\$38,171	\$32,487	\$15,462	ı	1	-	-	-
Lifetime Hunting Privilege Package - Big Game	\$154,242	\$155,487	\$161,156	\$151,515	\$67,240	ı	1	-	-	-
Lifetime Hunting Privilege Package - Game Bird	\$81,090	\$91,462	\$98,358	\$99,023	\$33,282	ı	1	-	-	-
Sub Total – Lifetime Packages	\$696,156	\$765,997	\$753,009	\$763,882	\$309,862	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL HUNTING	\$30,178,310	\$30,190,741	\$31,346,855	\$33,713,445	\$10,667,064	-	-	-	-	-

^{*} A \$10 fee increase occurred in 2022 (AB-614).

^{**} Effective July 1, 2024, Wild Pig Tags changed to Validations (T14, CCR §378)