

A person wearing a white protective suit and clear safety goggles is holding a test tube containing a green liquid. The background is a blurred green field, suggesting an outdoor laboratory or field setting.

Environmental Health and Safety Occupations in San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA

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What is Emsi Data?

Emsi data is a hybrid dataset derived from official government sources such as the US Census Bureau, Bureau of Economic Analysis, and Bureau of Labor Statistics. Leveraging the unique strengths of each source, our data modeling team creates an authoritative dataset that captures more than 99% of all workers in the United States. This core offering is then enriched with data from online social profiles, resumés, and job postings to give you a complete view of the workforce.

Emsi data is frequently cited in major publications such as *The Atlantic*, *Forbes*, *Harvard Business Review*, *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, and *USA Today*.



Report Parameters

2 Occupations

19-4091 Environmental Science and Protection Te..

19-2041 Environmental Scientists and Specialists, .

1 MSA

41740 San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA

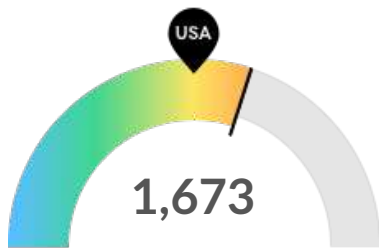
Class of Worker

QCEW Employees, Non-QCEW Employees, and Self-Employed

The information in this report pertains to the chosen occupations and geographical area.

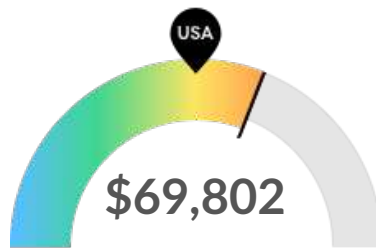
Executive Summary

Average Job Posting Demand Over a Deep Supply of Regional Jobs



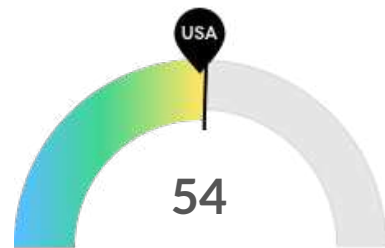
Jobs (2018)

San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA is a hotspot for this kind of job. The national average for an area this size is 1,266* employees, while there are 1,673 here.



Compensation

Earnings are high in San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA. The national median salary for your occupations is \$63,194, compared to \$69,802 here.



Job Posting Demand

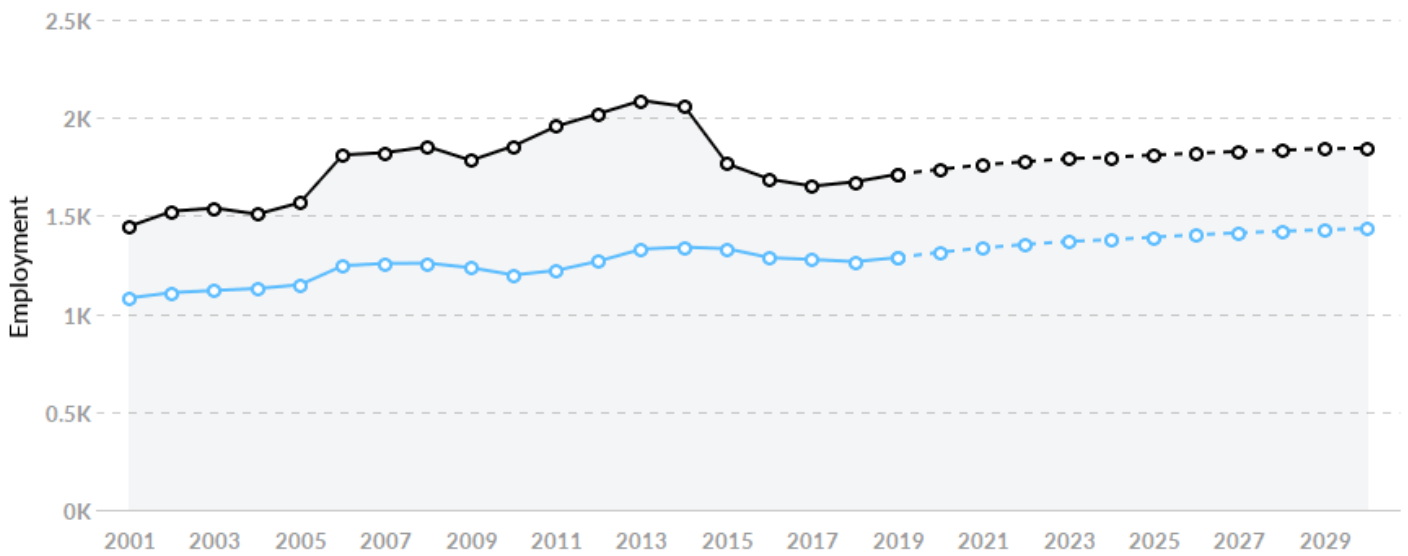
Job posting activity is about average in San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA. The national average for an area this size is 52* job postings/mo, while there are 54 here.

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Jobs

Regional Employment Is Higher Than the National Average

An average area of this size typically has 1,266* jobs, while there are 1,673 here. This higher than average supply of jobs may make it easier for workers in this field to find employment in your area.



Region	2018 Jobs	2028 Jobs	Change	% Change
● San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA	1,673	1,835	163	9.7%
● National Average	1,266	1,421	155	12.3%

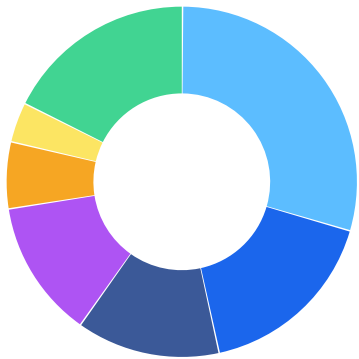
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Regional Breakdown



County	2018 Jobs
San Diego County, CA	1,673

Most Jobs are Found in the Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services Industry Sector

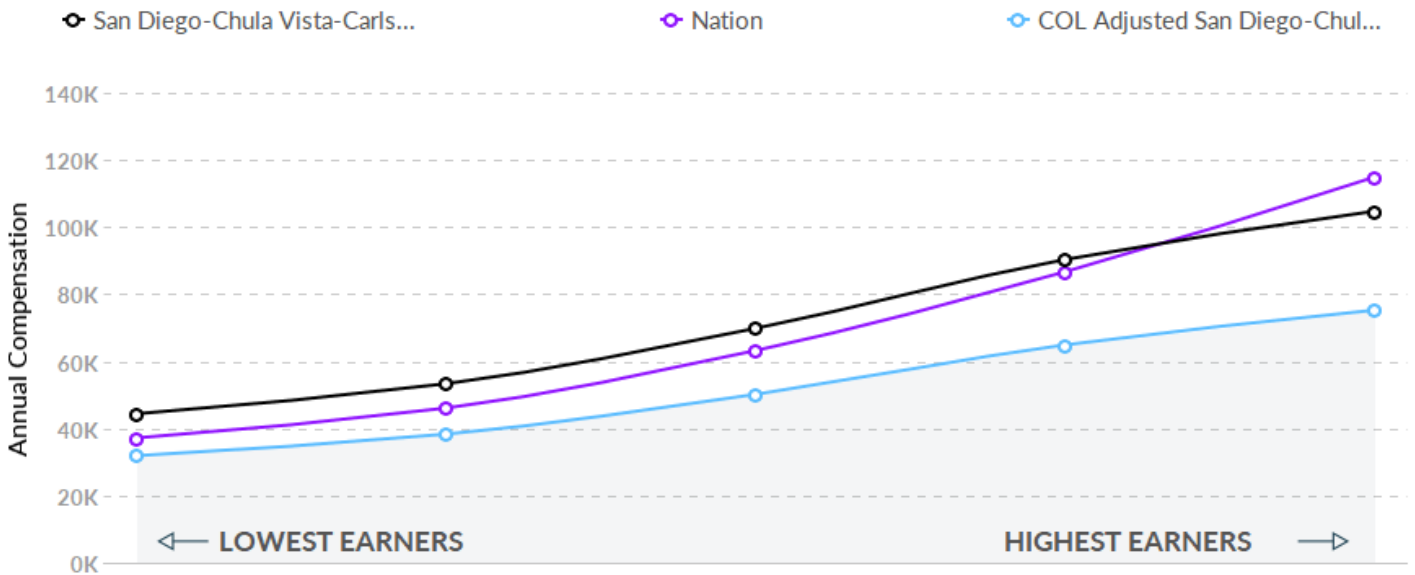


Industry	% of Occupation in Industry (2018)
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	29.4%
Architectural, Engineering, and Related Services	17.1%
Local Government, Excluding Education and Hospitals	13.2%
Scientific Research and Development Services	12.7%
Federal Government, Civilian	6.1%
State Government, Excluding Education and Hospitals	3.7%
Other	17.7%

Compensation

Regional Compensation Is 10% Higher Than National Compensation

For your occupations, the 2018 median wage in San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA is \$69,802, while the national median wage is \$63,194.



Job Posting Activity



1,563 Unique Job Postings

The number of unique postings for this job from Jan 2018 to May 2020.



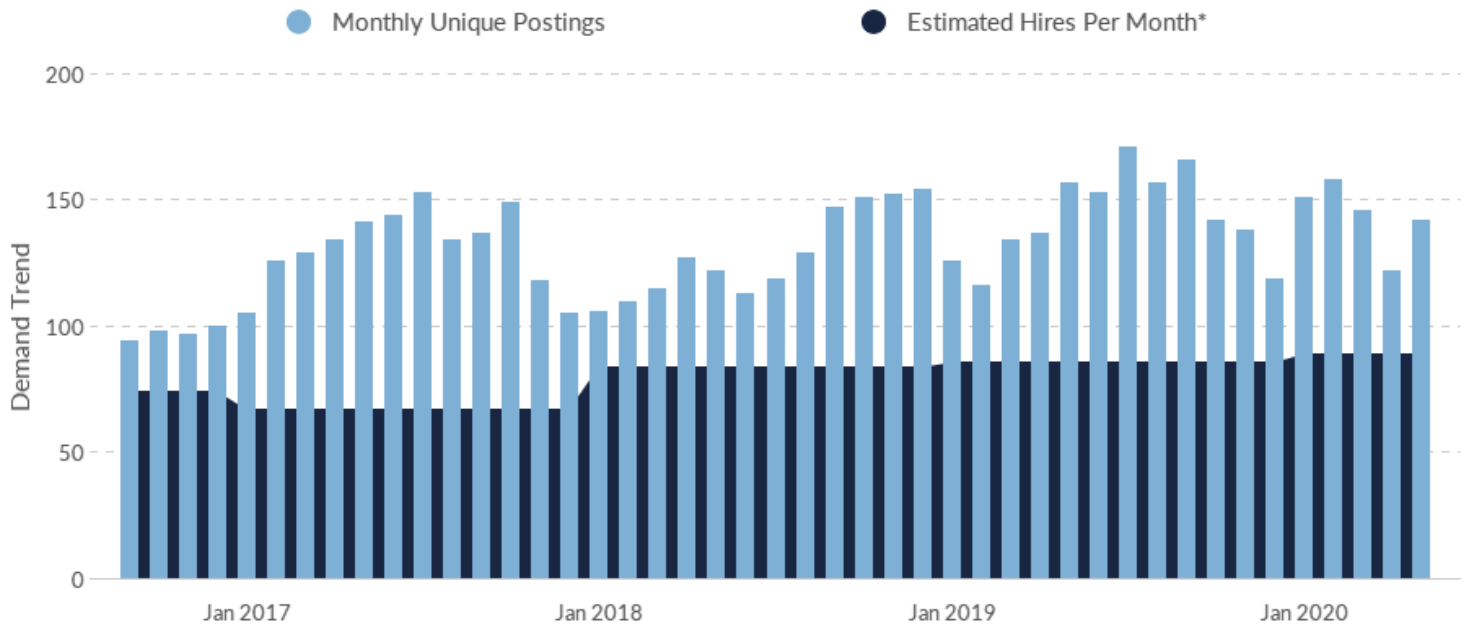
494 Employers Competing

All employers in the region who posted for this job from Jan 2018 to May 2020.













33 Day Median Duration











Posting duration is the same as what's typical in the region.



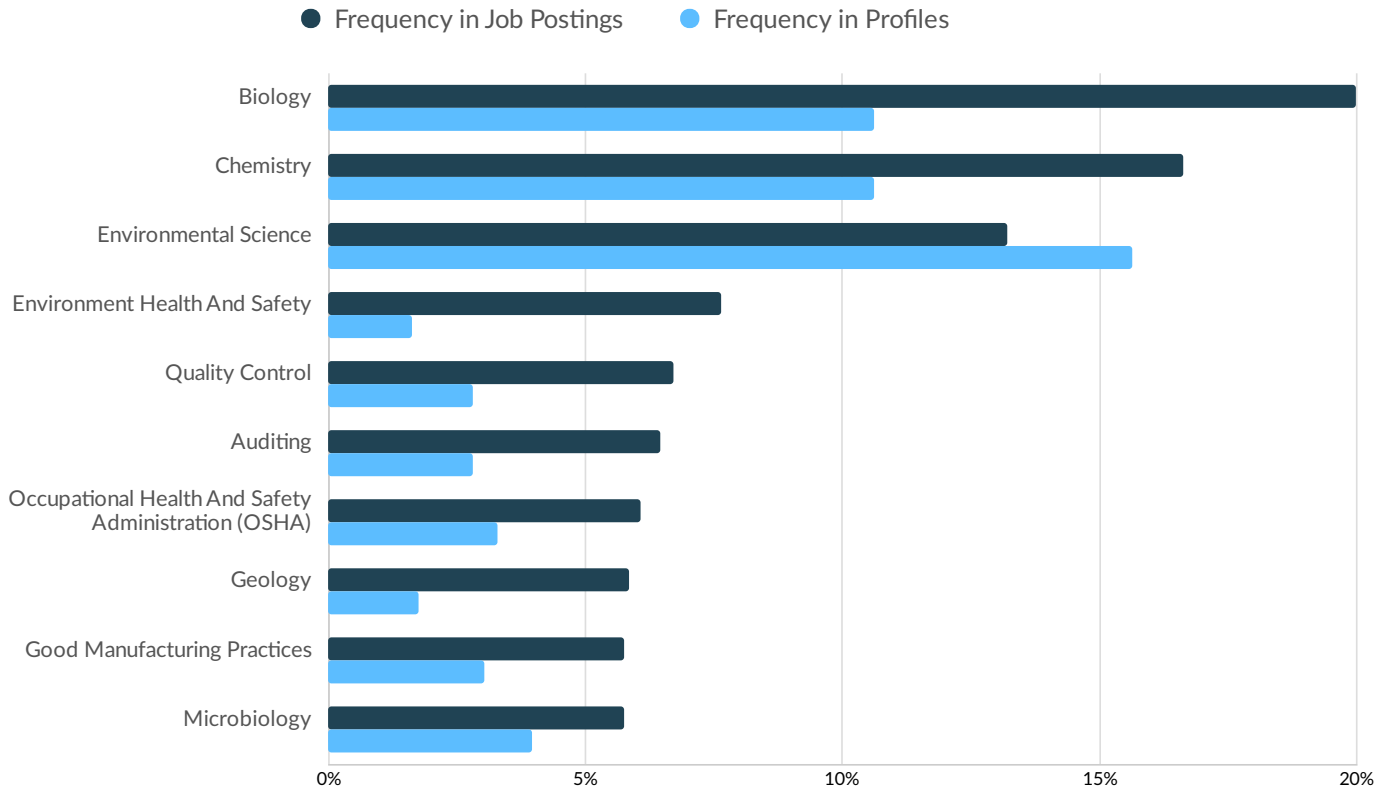
Occupation	Avg Monthly Postings (Jan 2018 - May 2020)	Avg Monthly Hires (Jan 2018 - May 2020)
Environmental Science and Protection Technicians, Including Health	82	29
Environmental Scientists and Specialists, Including Health	56	56

*A hire is reported by the Quarterly Workforce Indicators when an individual's Social Security Number appears on a company's payroll and was not there the quarter before. Emsi hires are calculated using a combination of Emsi jobs data, information on separation rates from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), and industry-based hires data from the Census Bureau.

Top Companies	Unique Postings
Target Corporation	71 
Clean Harbors, Inc.	45 
Kelly Services, Inc.	36 
Spectrum	33 
County of San Diego	31 
Aecom	25 
Aerotek, Inc.	25 
University of California	24 
Illumina, Inc.	23 
United States Department of th...	19 

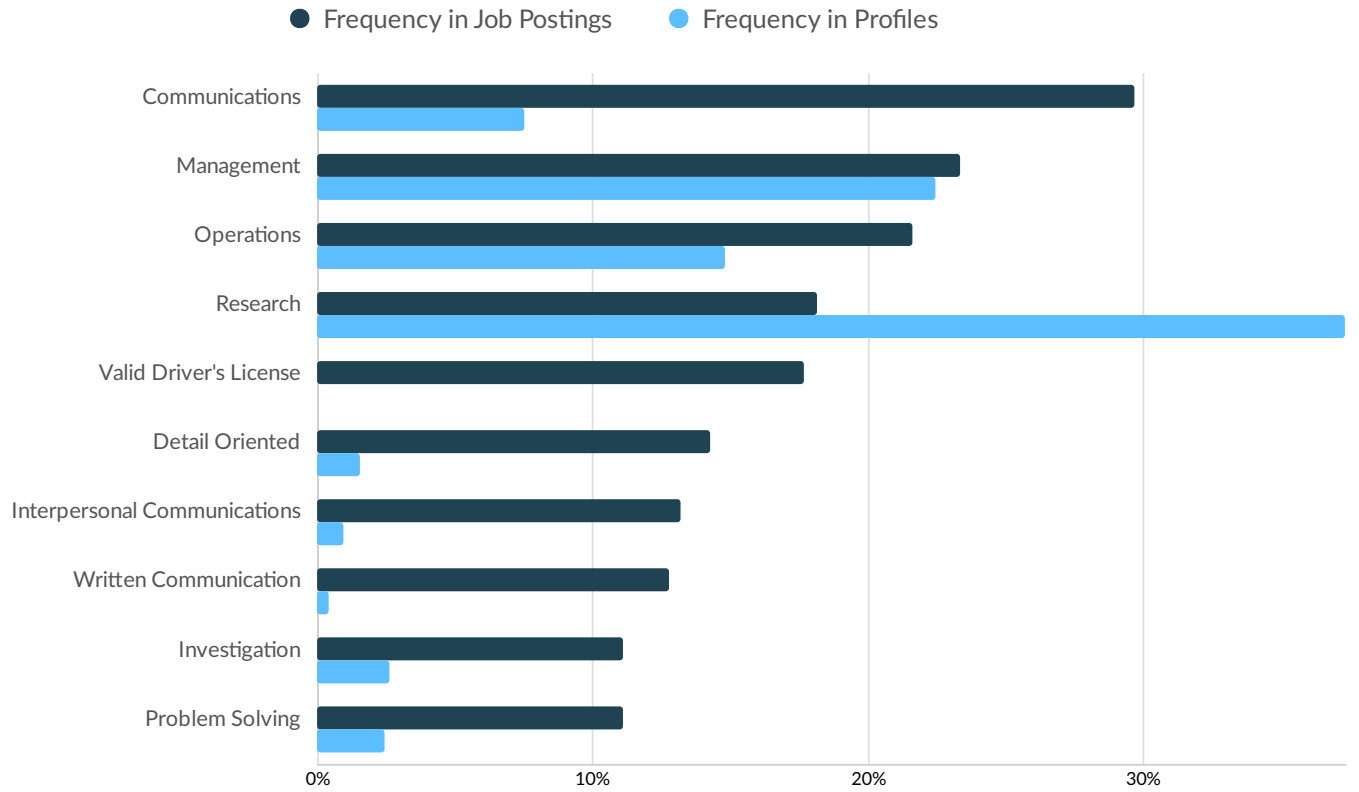
Top Job Titles	Unique Postings
Field Technicians (Life, Physical,...	152 
Environmental Technicians	83 
Laboratory Technicians (Life, Ph...	83 
Environmental Scientists	76 
Environmental Specialists (Life, ...	74 
Bankers	51 
Environmental Protection Speci...	40 
Hazardous Waste Technicians	39 
Senior Scientists	27 
Chemists	21 

Top Hard Skills



Skills	Postings	% of Total Postings	Profiles	% of Total Profiles
Biology	440	20%	200	11%
Chemistry	366	17%	200	11%
Environmental Science	291	13%	295	16%
Environment Health And Safety	168	8%	31	2%
Quality Control	148	7%	53	3%
Auditing	142	6%	53	3%
Occupational Health And Safety Administration (OSHA)	134	6%	62	3%
Geology	129	6%	33	2%
Good Manufacturing Practices	127	6%	57	3%
Microbiology	127	6%	75	4%

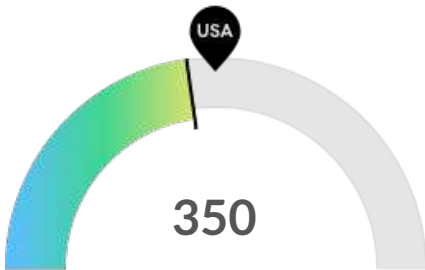
Top Common Skills



Skills	Postings	% of Total Postings	Profiles	% of Total Profiles
Communications	653	30%	142	8%
Management	514	23%	424	23%
Operations	476	22%	279	15%
Research	400	18%	704	37%
Valid Driver's License	389	18%	0	0%
Detail Oriented	314	14%	29	2%
Interpersonal Communications	290	13%	18	1%
Written Communication	281	13%	8	0%
Investigation	244	11%	50	3%
Problem Solving	244	11%	46	2%

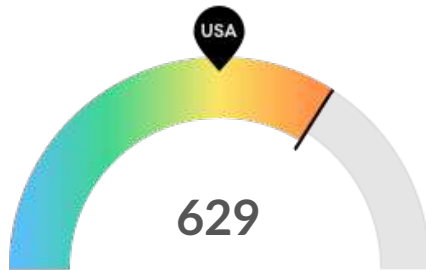
Demographics

Retirement Risk Is Low, While Overall Diversity Is High



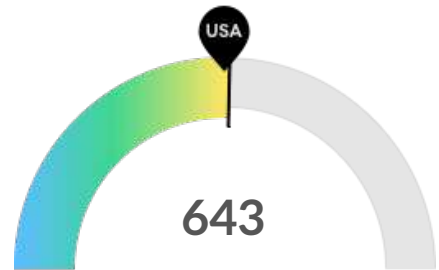
Retiring Soon

Retirement risk is low in San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA. The national average for an area this size is 399* employees 55 or older, while there are 350 here.



Racial Diversity

Racial diversity is high in San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA. The national average for an area this size is 383* racially diverse employees, while there are 629 here.

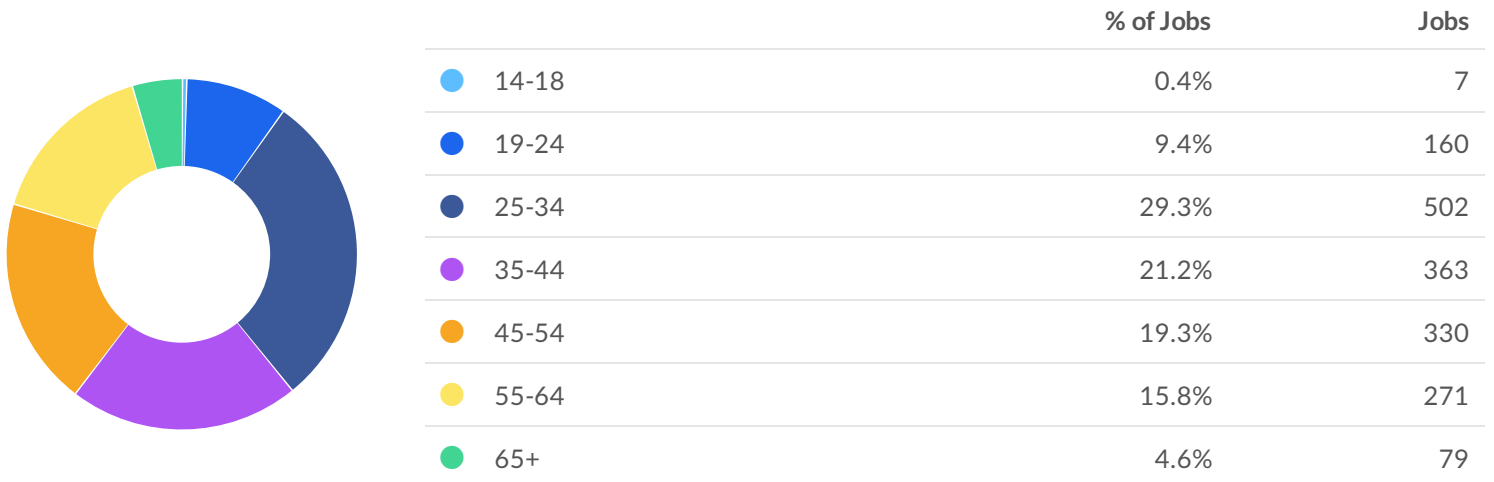


Gender Diversity

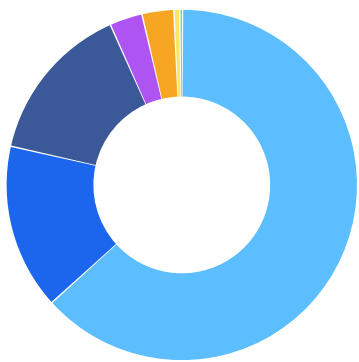
Gender diversity is about average in San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA. The national average for an area this size is 628* female employees, while there are 643 here.

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Occupation Age Breakdown



Occupation Race/Ethnicity Breakdown



	% of Jobs	Jobs
● White	63.2%	1,082
● Hispanic or Latino	15.3%	261
● Asian	14.8%	253
● Two or More Races	3.0%	52
● Black or African American	2.9%	50
● American Indian or Alaska Native	0.5%	9
● Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.2%	4

Occupation Gender Breakdown



	% of Jobs	Jobs
● Males	62.4%	1,069
● Females	37.6%	643

Occupational Programs



2 Programs

Of the programs that can train for this job, 2 have produced completions in the last 5 years.



249 Completions (2018)

The completions from all regional institutions for all degree types.



226 Openings (2018)

The average number of openings for an occupation in the region is 288.

CIP Code	Top Programs	Completions (2018)
03.0103	Environmental Studies	206
03.0104	Environmental Science	43

Top Schools	Completions (2018)
Ashford University	72
San Diego State University	67
University of California-San Diego	49
California State University-San Marcos	28
University of San Diego	26
Point Loma Nazarene University	4
Palomar College	2
National University	1

Appendix A - Data Sources and Calculations

Location Quotient

Location quotient (LQ) is a way of quantifying how concentrated a particular industry, cluster, occupation, or demographic group is in a region as compared to the nation. It can reveal what makes a particular region unique in comparison to the national average.

Occupation Data

Emsi occupation employment data are based on final Emsi industry data and final Emsi staffing patterns. Wage estimates are based on Occupational Employment Statistics (QCEW and Non-QCEW Employees classes of worker) and the American Community Survey (Self-Employed and Extended Proprietors). Occupational wage estimates also affected by county-level Emsi earnings by industry.

Staffing Patterns Data

The staffing pattern data in this report are compiled from several sources using a specialized process. For QCEW and Non-QCEW Employees classes of worker, sources include Occupational Employment Statistics, the National Industry-Occupation Employment Matrix, and the American Community Survey. For the Self-Employed and Extended Proprietors classes of worker, the primary source is the American Community Survey, with a small amount of information from Occupational Employment Statistics.

Cost of Living Data

Emsi cost of living data is based on the Cost of Living Index published quarterly by the Council for Community and Economic Research (C2ER).

Emsi Job Postings

Job postings are collected from various sources and processed/enriched to provide information such as standardized company name, occupation, skills, and geography.

Institution Data

The institution data in this report is taken directly from the national IPEDS database published by the U.S. Department of Education's National Center for Education Statistics.