

CalHFA Board Meeting

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CA's Economic Outlook: January 2020



10+ years of expansion



12.7% → **4.2%** Unemployment



118 months of consecutive job growth



1 out of 7 new U.S. jobs in California



3.9% average GDP growth over 5 years

CA's Economic Outlook: May 2020



 $4.2\% \rightarrow 16.0\%$ Unemployment peak (May)



3.9% GDP Growth → Drops 31.5%



1 in 6 CA jobs lost from Feb to May

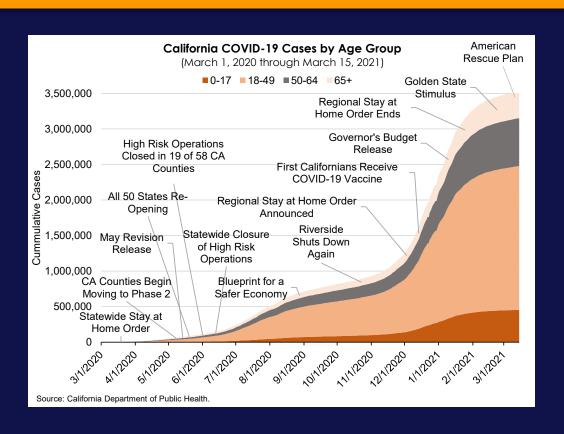


\$5.6B Surplus -> \$54.3B Projected Deficit

2020-2021 Budget Solutions

- ✓ Drew down reserves
- ✓ Committed to government efficiency
- √ Salaries
- Postponed supplemental payments
- ✓ Trigger cuts (absence of fed support)

COVID-19



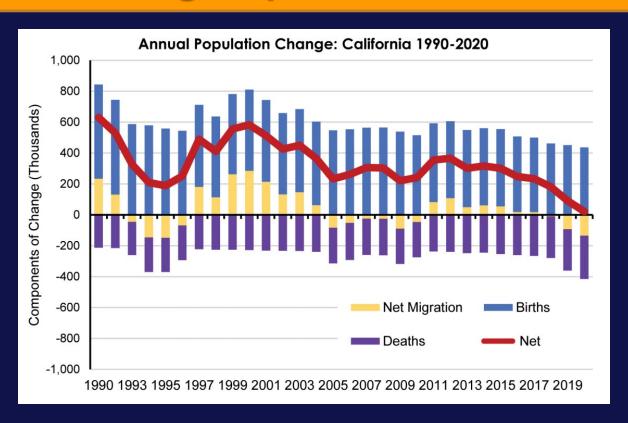
Demographic, Economic, and Revenue Outlook



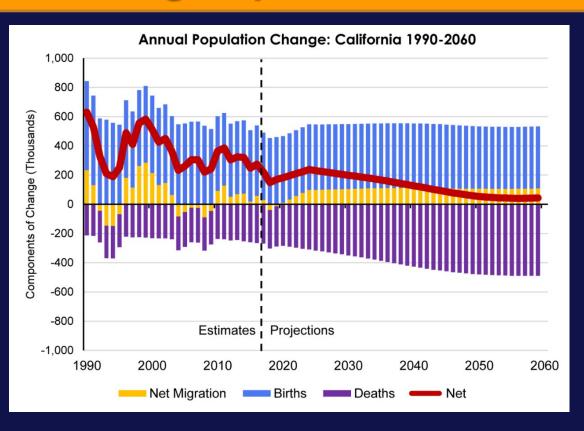


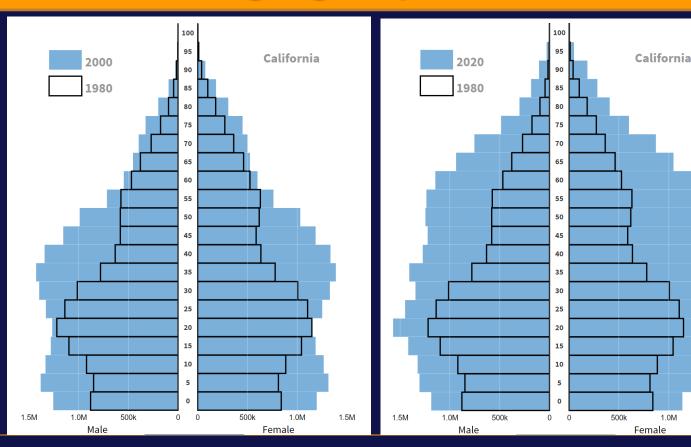


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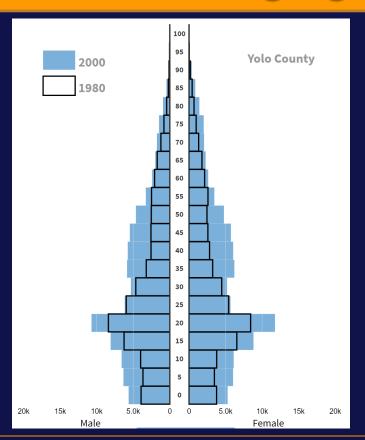


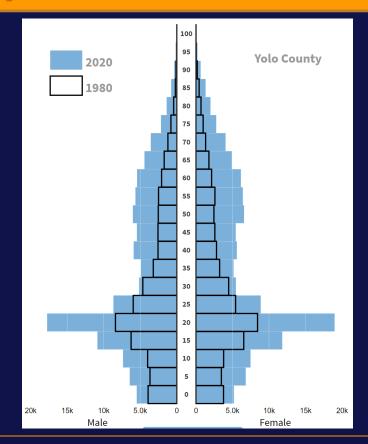
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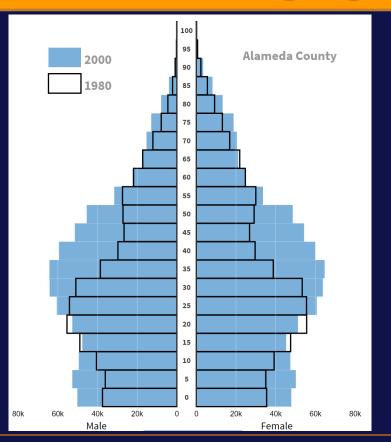


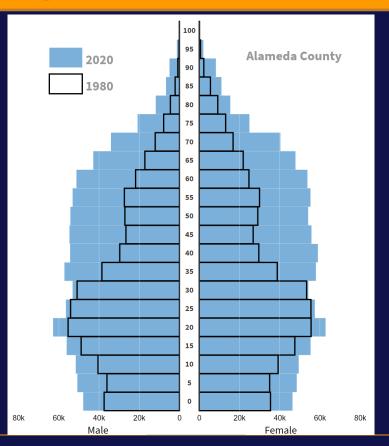


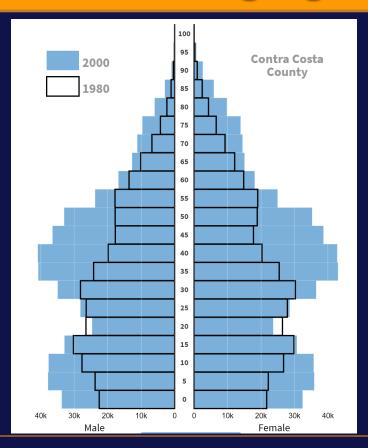
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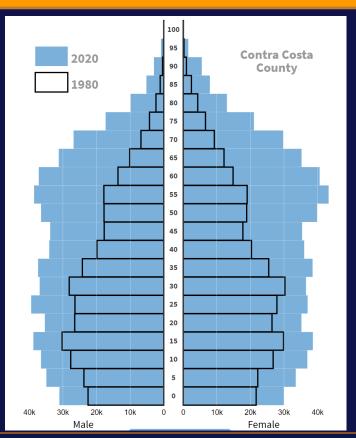


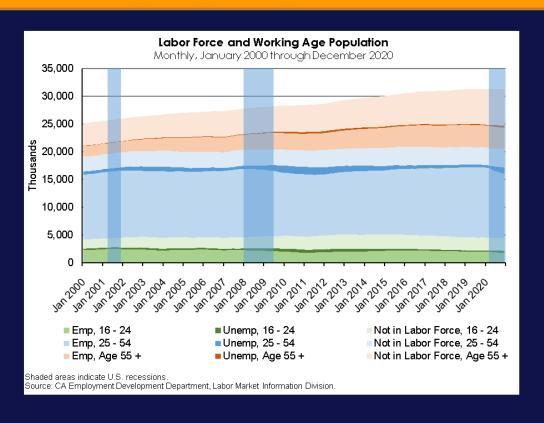


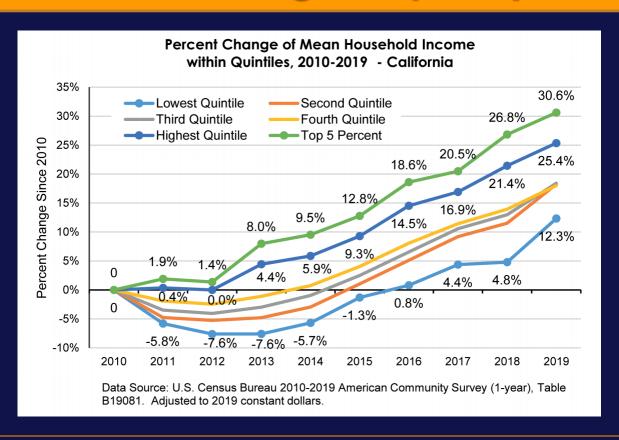


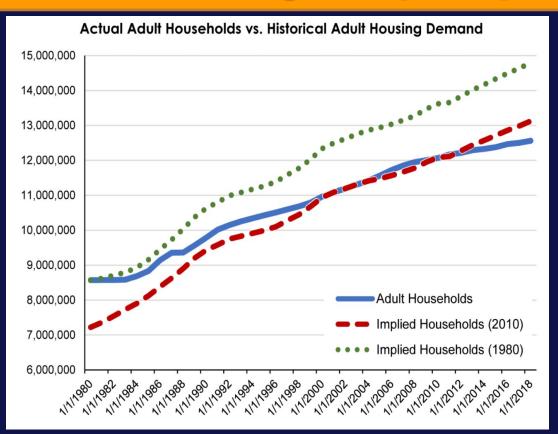


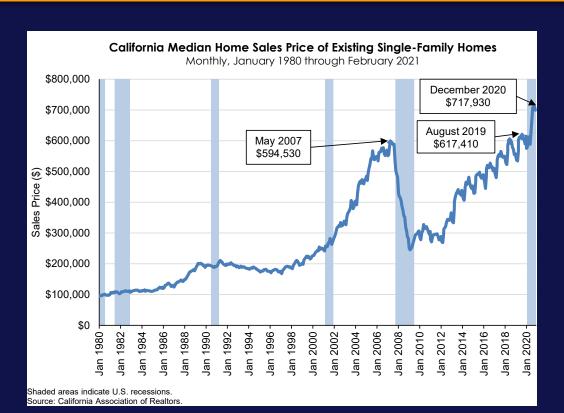


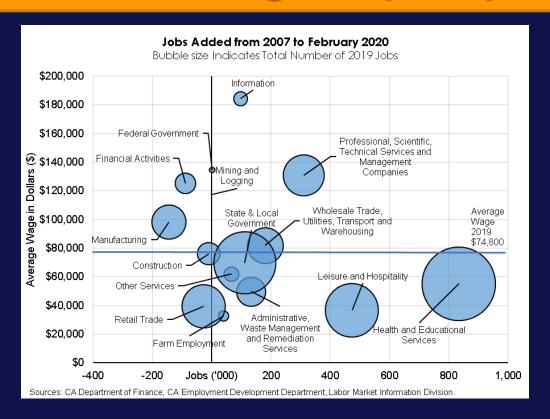




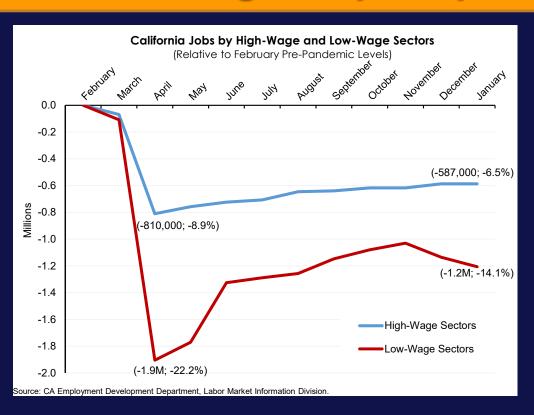




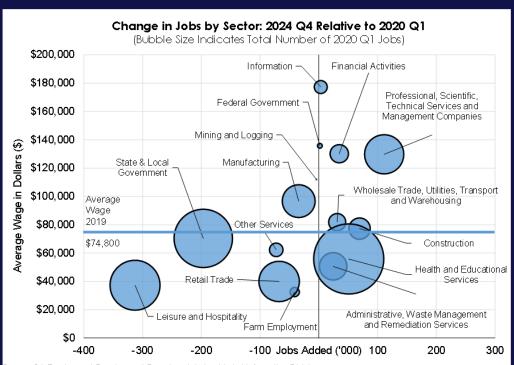




Widening Inequality

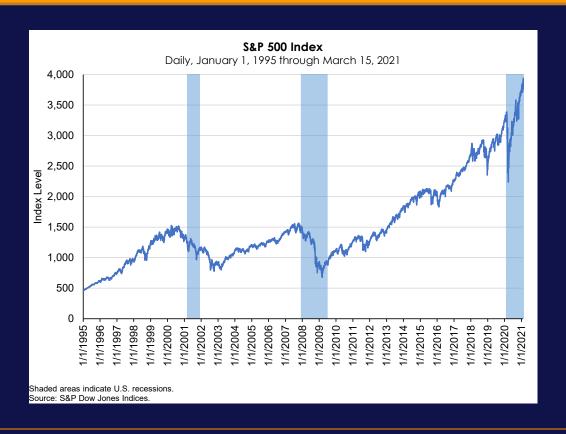


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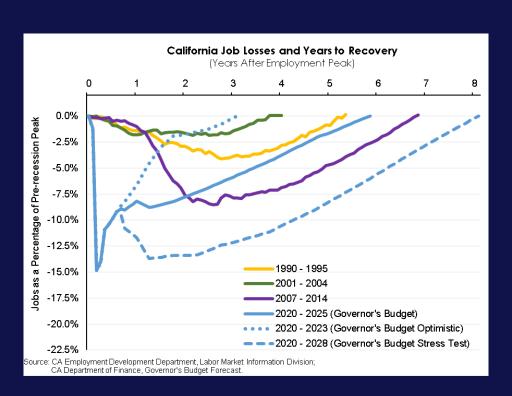


Source: CA Employment Development Department, Labor Market Information Division; CA Department of Finance, Governor's Budget Forecast.

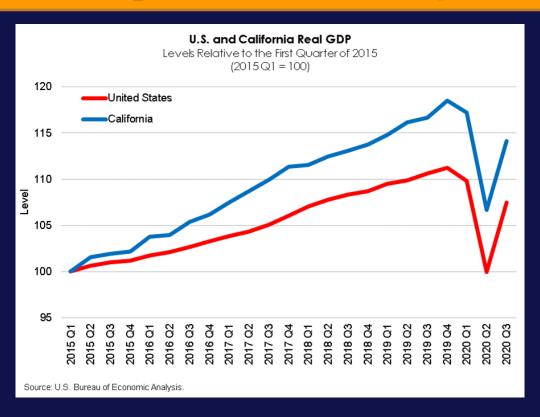
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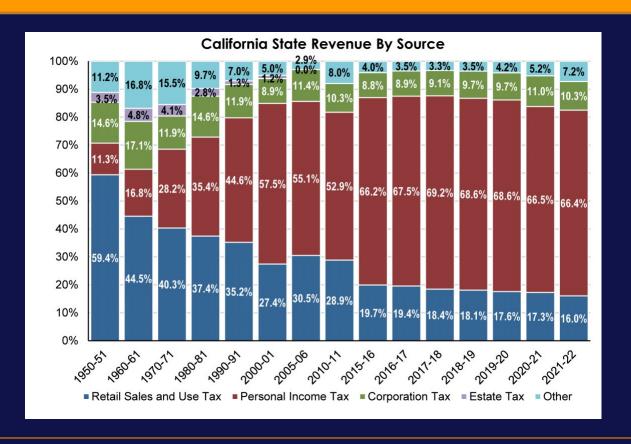


Years to Recovery



Signs of Recovery

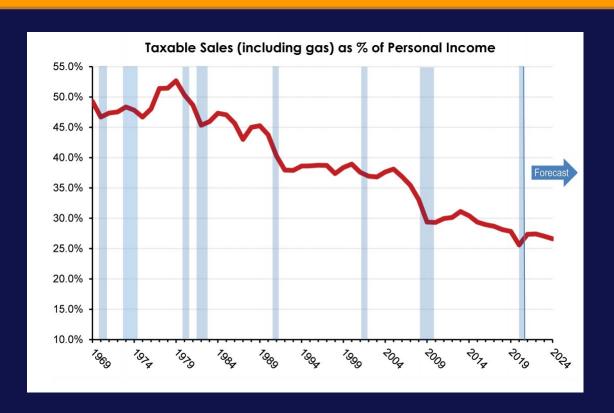


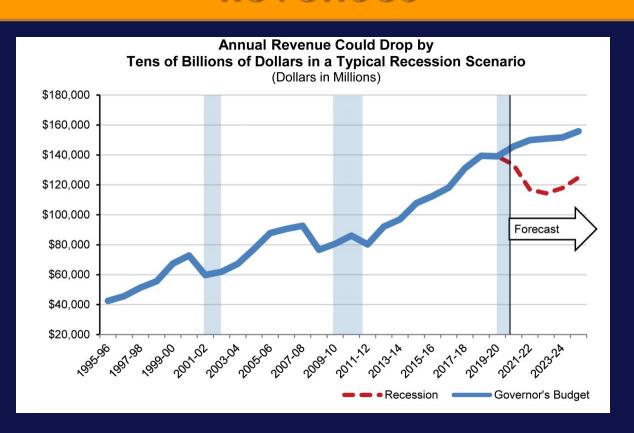


Long-Term Revenue Forecast - Three Largest Sources

(General Fund Revenue - Dollars in Billions)

	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	Average Year-Over- Year Growth
Personal Income Tax	\$99.5	\$102.2	\$107.4	\$108.4	\$109.3	\$112.4	2.1%
Sales and Use Tax	25.5	26.5	25.9	26.7	27.4	28.2	1.3%
Corporation Tax	14.0	16.9	16.6	15.8	14.9	15.2	1.6%
Total	\$139.0	\$145.7	\$149.9	\$150.9	\$151.6	\$155.8	1.9%
Note: Numbers may not add due to rounding.							





Review

Things were going relatively well before COVID-19

Inequality exacerbated by the COVID-19 recession

Path to recovery within sight

Risks to our economic outlook

