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### Linked California and Québec Cap-and-Trade Programs Compliance Instrument Report - Aggregated by Type and Account

This report summarizes the number of compliance instruments (allowances and offset credits) held in all Compliance Instrument Tracking System Service (CITSS) accounts in the California (CA) and Québec (QC) Cap-and-Trade Programs as of 9:00 am Pacific Time/12:00 PM Eastern Time on July 2, 2024. The report includes all compliance instruments held in California and Québec jurisdiction accounts and by participants registered according to each program's registered according to each program's registered according to each program's registered according to each program participants, in the California and Québec, or allowances and by participants registered according to each program participants, the CITSS account types include General Accounts, sompliance Accounts, program participants, and the California and Québec, or Ontario. For program participants, the CITSS account types include General Accounts, Compliance Accounts, Invalidation to the overview of all compliance instruments provided on this page, subsequent pages of this report is provide more detailed information about holdings of DEBS and non-DEBS offset credits, and the holdings in the Price Containment Reserve Accounts and Price Ceiling Accounts (CA). This report is twoically released on the third business day of each calendar quarter.

		Entity Accounts		Jurisdiction Accounts						
Allowance Vintage	General	Compliance	Limited Use Holding Account (CA) <sup>(1)</sup>	Voluntary Renewable Electricity (CA)	Auction + Issuance + Allocation	Retirement <sup>(2,3)</sup>	Invalidation	Reserve + Price Ceiling (CA) <sup>(4)</sup>	Environmental Integrity (QC) + Forest Buffer (CA) <sup>(5)</sup>	Total
2013	319,308	571,682	0	0	0	183,244,164	0	0	4,846	184,140,000
2014	648,301	386,322	0	0	0	180,036,377	0	0	0	181,071,000
2015	1,679,899	139,609	0	0	0	439,588,492	0	0	0	441,408,000
2016	7,939,766	985,630	0	0	0	389,676,266	0	20,891,247	0	419,492,909
2017	11,101,282	1,560,406	0	0	0	394,054,748	0	16,185,675	0	422,902,111
2018	15,374,183	6,084,957	0	0	0	373,528,455	0	0	0	394,987,595
2019	39,081,253	14,064,549	0	74,062	75,465	321,574,348	0	0	0	374,869,677
2020	52,997,337	48,409,878	0	835,500	0	261,983,237	0	0	0	364,225,952
2021	140,526,218	182,084,652	0	0	16	41,857,537	0	0	0	364,468,423
2022	125,004,933	209,958,041	0	0	0	12,503,580	0	320,046	0	347,786,600
2023	150,937,511	175,978,445	0	0	4,889,639	2,600,205	0	0	0	334,405,800
2024	143,094,455	66,614,475	20,621,849	0	87,956,579	2,628,042	0	0	0	320,915,400
2025	30,907,250	0	0	0	275,583,671	1,134,079	0	0	0	307,625,000
2026	30,308,000	0	0	0	262,702,121	1,134,079	0	0	0	294,144,200
2027	14,422,000	0	0	0	265,197,721	1,134,079	0	0	0	280,753,800
2028	0	0	0	0	266,338,921	1,134,079	0	0	0	267,473,000
2029	0	0	0	0	252,848,521	1,134,079	0	0	0	253,982,600
2030	0	0	0	0	239,467,721	1,134,079	0	0	0	240,601,800
Non-Vintage Québec Early Reduction Credits (QC)	17,797	0	0	0	0	2,022,229	0	0	0	2,040,026
Non-Vintage Reserve Allowances	354,726	0	0	0	0	1,274,122	0	235,194,252	0	236,823,100
Price Ceiling Units (CA)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allowances Subtotal	764,714,219	706,838,646	20,621,849	909,562	1,655,060,375	2,613,376,276	0	272,591,220	4,846	6,034,116,993
California - Offset Credits										
U.S. Forest Project Offset Credits	43,654,779	1,734,248	0	0	664,921	138,203,211	0	0	27,600,058	211,857,217
Urban Forest Project Offset Credits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ozone Depleting Substances Offset Credits	5,027,089	227,059	0	0	0	20,617,871	88,955	0	0	25,960,974
Livestock Manure Digesters Offset Credits	1,954,095	55,643	0	0	7,859	7,174,104	37,269	0	0	9,228,970
Mine Methane Capture Offset Credits	6,324,885	948,798	0	0	290,713	7,139,688	0	0	0	14,704,084
Rice Cultivate Project Offset Credits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Québec - Offset Credits										0
Destruction of Ozone Depleting Substances Offset Cre	141.291	50.000	0	0	0	537.769	0	0	17.557	746.617
Landfill Site Methane Destruction Offset Credits	495,138	0	0	0	0	449,958	0	0	29.289	974.385
Offset Credits Subtotal	57,597,277	3,015,748	0	0	963,493	174,122,601	126,224	0	27,646,904	263,472,247
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### Footnotes

- (1) CARB transfers allowances to eligible electrical distribution utilities and natural gas suppliers (consigning entities) each year. A Limited Use Holding Account (LUHA) is created for each consigning entity. Every consigning entity must offer for sale at auction by the end of each year all the allocated allowances that have been placed in their LUHA.
- (2) Ontario joined the linked Cap-and-Trade Program with Québec and California on January 1, 2018. On July 3, 2018, the Government of Ontario filed a regulation that revoked the Ontario cap-and-trade regulation. As of that date, there were 13,186,967 more allowances held in California and Québec accounts than the total number of allowances issued by those two jurisdictions alone. To maintain the environmental stringency of the linked market, California and Québec retired 11,340,792 and 1,846,175 allowances, respectively, to account for the remaining Ontario allowances. California retired vintage 2021-2030 allowances in equal number for each vintage, and Québec retired solely vintage 2017 allowances.
- (3) The Retirement Account includes allowances and offset credits surrendered for a compliance obligation as well as those surrendered voluntarily, which are not used to meet a compliance obligation.
- (4) The number of allowances available in each Tier or Category of the jurisdiction's Reserve Account is shown in the table on the Reserve and Price Ceiling Tab (i.e. Page 2 of 3 in the PDF).
- (5) California offset credits are disaggregated by those that provide Direct Environmental Benefits to the State (DEBs) and those that do not (non-DEBs) in the table on the CA Offset Credits Tab (i.e. Page 3 of 3 in the PDF).



# Allowances in Each Jurisdiction's Reserve and Price Ceiling Accounts Disaggregated by Category or Tier

	Jurisdiction Accounts								
Allowance Vintage		Reserve (QC) <sup>(1)</sup>		Reserve	e (CA) <sup>(1)</sup>	Price Ceiling (CA)	Total		
	Category A	Category B	Category C	Tier 1	Tier 2	Frice Ceiling (CA)			
2013	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2014	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2015	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2016	0	0	0	0	0	20,891,247	20,891,247		
2017	0	0	0	0	0	16,185,675	16,185,675		
2018	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2019	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2020	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2022	0	0	320,046	0	0	0	320,046		
2023	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2025	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2026	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2027	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2028	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2029	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2030	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Non-Vintage Reserve Allowances	13,288,033	13,288,033	11,659,186	66,811,000	89,537,000	40,611,000	235,194,252		
Price Ceiling Units (CA)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
TOTAL	13,288,033	13,288,033	11,979,232	66,811,000	89,537,000	77,687,922	272,591,220		

## Footnote:

(1) While there is a separate Reserve Account in CITSS assigned to each jurisdiction, this table depicts the number of instruments available in each Category (QC) or Tier (CA) of the jurisdiction's Reserve Account according to each jurisdiction's regulation.



	Entity Accounts				All Accounts					
Offset Credit Type <sup>(1)</sup>	General	Compliance	Limited Use Holding Account (CA)	Voluntary Renewable Electricity (CA)	Auction + Issuance + Allocation	Retirement	Invalidation	Reserve + Price Ceiling (CA)	Forest Buffer (CA)	Total
California - Offset Credits (non-DEBS)										
U.S. Forest Project Offset Credits	26,737,712	1,567,299	0	0	518,953	108,092,384	0	0	22,227,172	159,143,520
Urban Forest Project Offset Credits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ozone Depleting Substances Offset Credits	292,356	13,106	0	0	0	15,870,648	88,955	0	0	16,265,065
Livestock Manure Digesters Offset Credits	1,199,385	55,643	0	0	7,859	6,663,583	37,269	0	0	7,963,739
Mine Methane Capture Offset Credits	6,324,885	948,798	0	0	290,713	7,139,688	0	0	0	14,704,084
Rice Cultivate Project Offset Credits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
California - Offset Credits from projects that provide Direct Environmental Benefits (DEBS)										
U.S. Forest Project Offset Credits	16,917,067	166,949	0	0	145,968	30,110,827	0	0	5,372,886	52,713,697
Urban Forest Project Offset Credits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ozone Depleting Substances Offset Credits	4,734,733	213,953	0	0	0	4,747,223	0	0	0	9,695,909
Livestock Manure Digesters Offset Credits	754,710	0	0	0	0	510,521	0	0	0	1,265,231
Mine Methane Capture Offset Credits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rice Cultivate Project Offset Credits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	56,960,848	2,965,748	0	0	963,493	173,134,874	126,224	0	27,600,058	261,751,245

#### Footnote

(1) For more information on the Direct Environmental Benefits provisions of the California Cap-and-Trade Regulation, please see https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/our-work/programs/compliance-offset-program/direct-environmental-benefits.