INDUSTRY INSIGHTS

AGRICULTURE, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Agriculture Technology

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The agricultural industry in the Greater Sacramento region has over 15,500 available jobs offered by more than 1,300 employers. The average annual wage in this sector is \$60,763.

- Communications
- Management Skills
- Spreadsheets

Average Salary for the Sector

\$41,500





Desired Skills

- Microsoft Office
- ArcGIS
- Ag or Forestry Knowldge

Industry Future

There is a growing demand for positions that combine life sciences and agriculture, with biological technicians and forestry and conservation technicians showing high numbers of job postings.

Industry Employers

Organizations with the highest number of job postings include the US Forest Service, Sierra Pacific Industries, and Ecofarm.

Where should I go next?

- Browse training programs at your local community college at Northstatecareers.org
- Find a Job Center near you to talk to a career coach at Careeronestop.org
- Talk to someone who works in the field or spend a day job shadowing



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