



SoCalREN Agriculture Program Program Overview



Innovative technologies can help reduce energy costs, improve crop yield, and enhance working conditions for your team. With expert guidance and tailored solutions for your operations, the Southern California Regional Energy Network (SoCalREN) Agriculture Program is here to support your operation's growth and sustainability.

Benefits

- Reduced overhead and operating costs
- Increased production and profits
- Improved employee and livestock comfort
- Reduced maintenance time and associated costs

Eligibility Requirements

Qualifying businesses must be listed under North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code 11 and have an active service account with Southern California Edison (SCE) or Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas). Processing and drying facilities must be co-located with growing operations to qualify for incentives. In addition, businesses must not have received an incentive from SCE, SoCalGas, or SoCalREN for the same equipment within the past five years.

Program Requirements

- All equipment must be new and electric or gas.
- Qualifying equipment must be purchased and installed between Jan. 1, 2026, and Dec. 31, 2026.
- All required efficiency levels must exceed California Titles 20 and 24 standards.[†]
- Equipment must meet the program's technical specifications. Your program support specialist will provide guidance on measure-specific information.

How to Participate

Our experts can help you select measures that best meet your needs.

- Contact us to confirm participation eligibility.
- Speak with a SoCalREN Agriculture Program support specialist in your area to determine the right equipment upgrades.
- Install your new equipment with the Contractor* of your choice.
- Work with us to submit your application and complete verification requirements.
- Receive your incentive and enjoy the benefits of your new, energy-efficient equipment.

Learn More

For questions and support, contact our team.

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*Contractor must hold a current Contractors State License Board (CSLB) license relevant and applicable to the work being performed.

[†]Title 20 refers to California Appliance Efficiency Regulations; Title 24 outlines California Building Energy Efficiency Standards. Please visit the California Energy Commission website at energy.ca.gov for more information.

Energy Efficiency Solutions and Incentives[§]

The incentives offered through the SoCalREN Agriculture Program can help reduce the cost of installation and expedite your return on investment. Our team is available to help you determine which measures are right for your facilities.

MEASURE	MEASURE OFFERINGS	INCENTIVE
Greenhouse Heat Curtain[¶]	Double-layer polyethylene greenhouse with IR film; single-layer polycarbonate greenhouse	\$0.63 per building area SF
Greenhouse Infrared Film[¶]	Double-layer polyethylene greenhouse	\$0.021–\$0.11 per SF
Process Boiler[¶]	≤ 20,000 kBtu/hr input	\$4.50–\$11.32 per kBtuh
Storage Water Heater, Gas	≤ 75 kBtu/hr input	\$0.39–\$2.67 per kBtuh
Efficient Agriculture (AG) Ventilation Fans[¶]	24–84 inch	\$145.87–\$867.04 per unit
	Variable speed drives (VSD) 1–5 HP	\$612.79 per HP for VSD
Variable Frequency Drive (VFD) on AG Well Pumps[¶]	Up to 600 HP	\$8.35–\$170.90 per HP
VFD on AG Booster Pumps[¶]	Up to 150 HP	\$15.51–\$176.65 per HP
Commercial Steam Trap Replacement	Commercial steam traps	\$109.30 per unit
Steam Boiler Economizer	Feedwater economizer; condensing economizer	\$2.12–\$3.92 per kBtuh
Hot Water Pipe Insulation	Pipe diameter, insulation thickness, temperature range, indoor/outdoor application	\$0.27–\$301.09 per linear foot/per fitting
Hot Water Tank Insulation	1–inch or 2–inch insulation; 120–170°F or 170–200°F; high or low usage; indoor or outdoor	\$8.89–\$20.08 per SF
LED, Indoor Horticulture	≥ 3.24 PPE (including ≥ 3.38 PPE tiers); < 300 W; ≥ 300 W; ≥ 600 W; ≥ 900 W; flowering or propagation; greenhouse or stacked or non-stacked	\$8.79–\$73.67 per fixture
Dust Collection Fan VSD	10–150 HP	\$300.19–\$15,793.07 per unit
Glycol Pump VFD	3–25 HP	\$513.88–\$4,193.48 per unit
Water Pump Upgrade	Clean water pumps; PEI tiers ≤ 0.41–≤ 0.93; constant or variable speed; 1–250 HP	\$4.95–\$133.39 per HP
Faucet Aerator	Private lavatory, 0.5 or 1.0 gpm	\$2.96–\$5.16 per unit

Custom pathway eligible with tailored incentives. Custom incentives: \$0.12/kWh, \$150/kW, \$1.50/therm

[¶]No-Cost Upgrades Offered

Some farms are eligible to receive equipment upgrades at no cost through the Hard-to-Reach Direct Install (HTR DI) Program.

Measures marked with “[¶]” above are offered through the HTR DI Program.

[§]Incentives vary by climate zone.