Starting in July 2020, Veloz aligned with a new partner for electric car sales data. Veloz is now receiving quarterly sales numbers and related data from the California Energy Commission and the California Air Resources Board. Electric cars include battery-electric, plug-in hybrid-electric and fuel cell electric cars. An archive of historical sales data back to 2010 can be found at www.veloz.org/sales-dashboard/

**National Electric Car Sales:**
Veloz calculates the number of electric cars sold nationally using California quarterly sales from the California Energy Commission and estimates from the California Air Resources Board to determine the percentage of national electric car sales that occur in California. Veloz works with the California Air Resources Board staff to update the California sales percentages on a rolling basis.

**California Electric Car Sales:**
Veloz receives quarterly updates of electric car sales in California from the California Energy Commission.

**Charging Plugs:**
Veloz obtains the number of electric car charging plugs from the United States Department of Energy (DOE) Alt Fuel Data Center. This number includes all public Level 1, Level 2 and DC Fast Charger plugs/outlets in the state that are available at the time of publishing and includes J1772, CHAdeMO, SAE CCS and Tesla connectors. Veloz uses the term ‘plug’ as a consumer-friendly term that correlates directly with the DOE’s use of ‘outlet’ and is indicative of how many cars can be charged. When workplaces and multifamily dwellings — considered private shared charging plugs — are included in this number, the total number of plugs would be higher per the Governor’s Office of Business and Economic Development [The Plug and The Nozzle](https://theplugandthenozzle.com) newsletter.

**Hydrogen Fueling Stations:**
Veloz obtains the number of open, retail hydrogen fueling stations from the California Fuel Cell Partnership and can be found at “By the Numbers.”

**Makes and Models:**
The number of makes and models provided on the dashboard includes what had sales in that quarter.

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