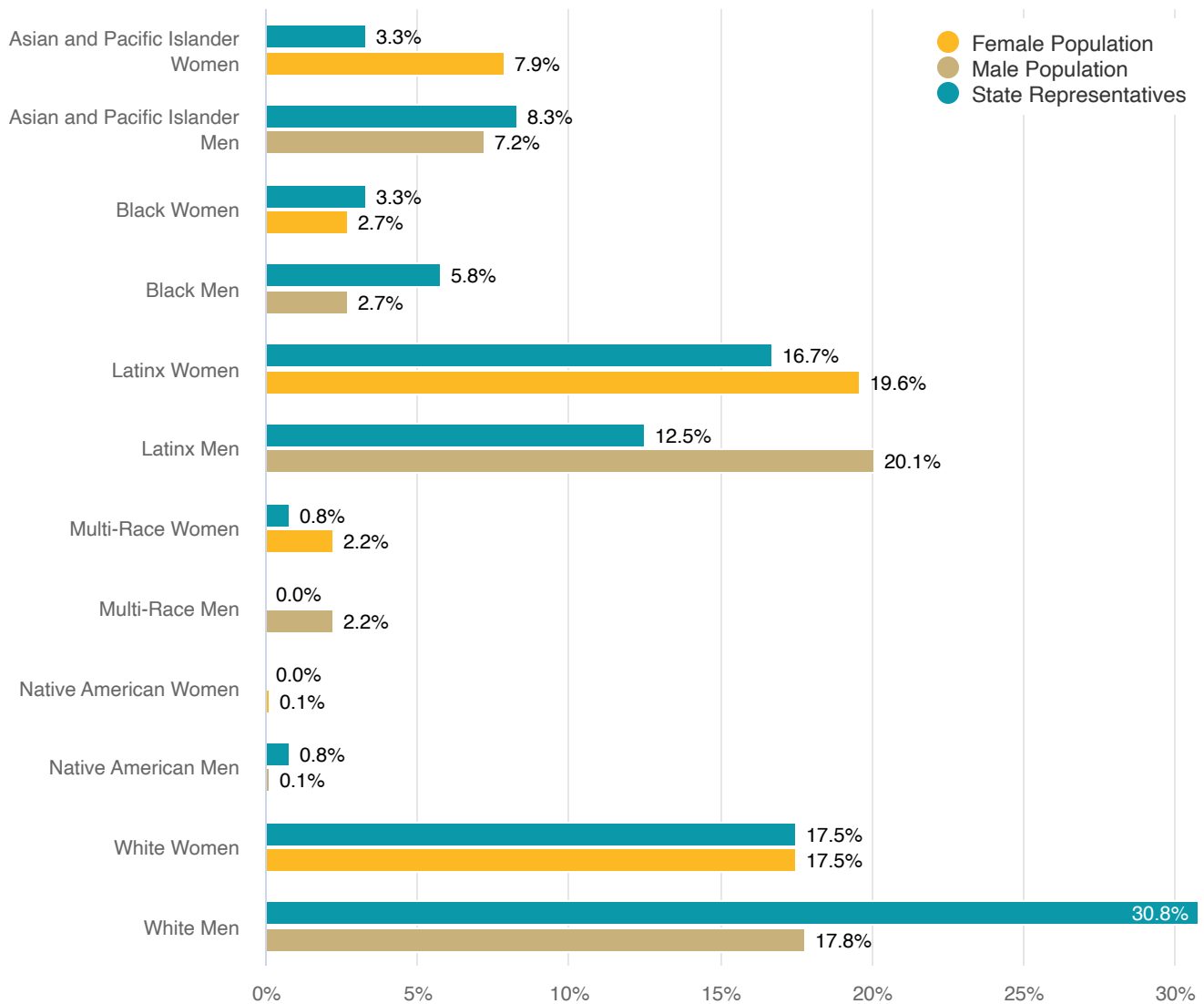




California Women's Well-Being Index State Legislature Fact Sheet

The California Women's Well-Being Index provides a comprehensive, composite measure of how women are faring in each of the state's 58 counties. The Index encompasses five "dimensions" – Health, Personal Safety, Employment & Earnings, Economic Security, and Political Empowerment – each of which is made up of six indicators. This fact sheet shows the value and rank for all 58 counties for the State Legislature Indicator (see reverse side).

California State Legislators by Gender Compared with Total Population, 2023



Note: Data are as of August 2023. The race category "Multiple Races" also includes "Other."

Source: Budget Center analysis of data from the California State Library, California Research Bureau and the US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

State Legislature: County Figures and Rankings

Percentage of State Legislators for the County Who Are Women, 2023

	VALUE	RANK 1=BEST		VALUE	RANK 1=BEST
California	41.7%		Orange	50.0%	34
Alameda	75.0%	1	Placer	33.3%	41
Alpine	66.7%	6	Plumas	50.0%	34
Amador	66.7%	6	Riverside	30.0%	42
Butte	0.0%	58	Sacramento	40.0%	37
Calaveras	33.3%	41	San Benito	50.0%	34
Colusa	50.0%	34	San Bernardino	26.3%	43
Contra Costa	57.1%	10	San Diego	50.0%	34
Del Norte	0.0%	58	San Francisco	20.0%	47
El Dorado	50.0%	34	San Joaquin	33.3%	41
Fresno	57.1%	10	San Luis Obispo	33.3%	41
Glenn	0.0%	58	San Mateo	20.0%	47
Humboldt	0.0%	58	Santa Barbara	50.0%	34
Imperial	0.0%	58	Santa Clara	20.0%	47
Inyo	50.0%	34	Santa Cruz	50.0%	34
Kern	60.0%	8	Shasta	50.0%	34
Kings	50.0%	34	Sierra	50.0%	34
Lake	50.0%	34	Siskiyou	50.0%	34
Lassen	50.0%	34	Solano	50.0%	34
Los Angeles	43.6%	35	Sonoma	20.0%	47
Madera	75.0%	1	Stanislaus	50.0%	34
Marin	0.0%	58	Sutter	0.0%	58
Mariposa	50.0%	34	Tehama	0.0%	58
Mendocino	0.0%	58	Trinity	0.0%	58
Merced	75.0%	1	Tulare	60.0%	8
Modoc	50.0%	34	Tuolumne	50.0%	34
Mono	50.0%	34	Ventura	40.0%	37
Monterey	50.0%	34	Yolo	50.0%	34
Napa	50.0%	34	Yuba	0.0%	58
Nevada	66.7%	6			

Note: Data are as of August 2023. Senate representation is based on the districts established by both the 2011 and 2021 California Citizens Redistricting Commission as part of a two-year implementation process. Senate representation for certain areas of the state are by assignment by the Senate Rules Committee until the implementation is complete.

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Details on the methodology used in creating the Index are available at <https://calbudgetcenter.org/wwwbi>.