

OFFICE OF FOREIGN LABOR CERTIFICATION

LCA (H-1B, H-1B1, and E-3) Temporary Specialty Occupations Program –
Selected Statistics, Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 Q2

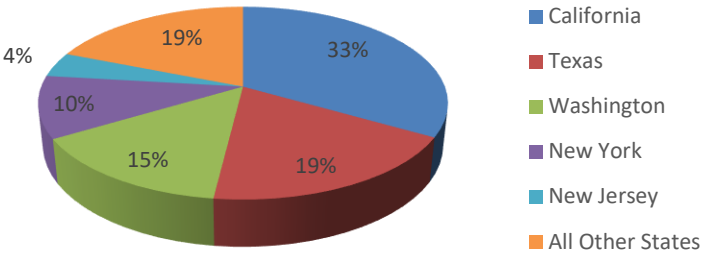
Applications Received¹

FY 25	Q1 (Oct-Dec)	Q2 (Jan-Mar)	Q3 (Apr-Jun)	Q4 (Jul-Sept)	% Change FY 2024
231,531	99,025	132,506	--	--	10.5%

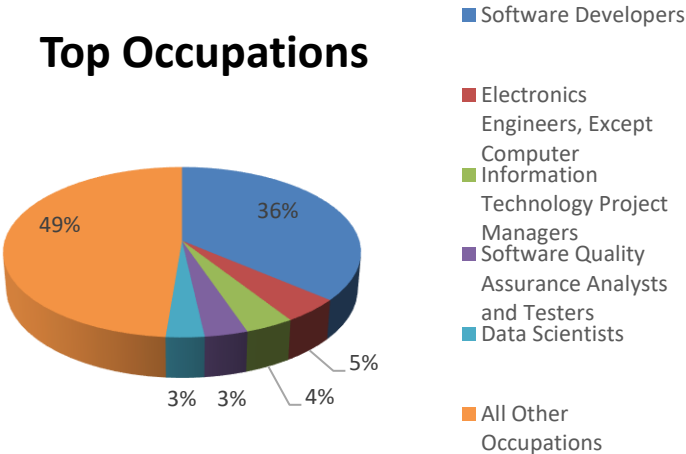
Applications Processed

Deter- minations	FY 25	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Total Processed	240,770	106,732	134,038	--	--
- Certified	225,437	99,092	126,345	--	--
- Denied	1,238	441	797	--	--
-Withdrawn	14,095	7,199	6,896	--	--
Positions Requested	410,885	170,000	240,885	--	--
Positions Certified	397,928	160,787	237,141	--	--
Processed Timely	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	--	--

Top States



Top Occupations



Review of Positions Certified FY 2025
(% of total certified FY 2025)

Top 10 States of Employment	California	102,909	25.9%
	Texas	57,659	14.5%
	Washington	44,801	11.3%
	New York	36,216	9.1%
	New Jersey	12,889	3.2%
	North Carolina	12,611	3.2%
	Georgia	11,587	2.9%
	Illinois	11,273	2.8%
	Massachusetts	10,815	2.7%
	Utah	9,599	2.4%
Top 10 Occupations (based on SOC Codes)	Software Developers	144,099	36.2%
	Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	18,542	4.7%
	Information Technology Project Managers	15,559	3.9%
	Software Quality Assurance Analysts and Testers	13,698	3.4%
	Data Scientists	12,153	3.1%
	Computer Systems Engineers/Architects	12,137	3.1%
	Computer and Information Systems Managers	11,144	2.8%
	Management Analysts	9,040	2.3%
	Business Intelligence Analysts	8,072	2.0%
	Computer Systems Analysts	6,652	1.7%
Top 10 Employers ² (based on unique FEINs)	Amazon.com Services LLC	31,817	8.0%
	NVIDIA Corporation	27,244	6.8%
	Microsoft Corporation	14,181	3.6%
	Cisco Systems, Inc.	9,686	2.4%
	Goldman Sachs & Co., LLC	9,064	2.3%
	Oracle America, Inc.	9,034	2.3%
	Amazon Web Services, Inc.	8,940	2.2%
	Goldman Sachs Services LLC	8,677	2.2%
	Goldman Sachs Bank USA	8,600	2.2%
	Apple, Inc.	8,393	2.1%

¹Includes all applications submitted for processing during the reporting period.
²All calculations are aggregated based on the unique FEIN submitted by the employer. Multiple appearances of the same employer name may occur when associated with multiple FEINs.