

Table 25. Number of customers eligible and participating in a customer choice program in the residential sector, 2023

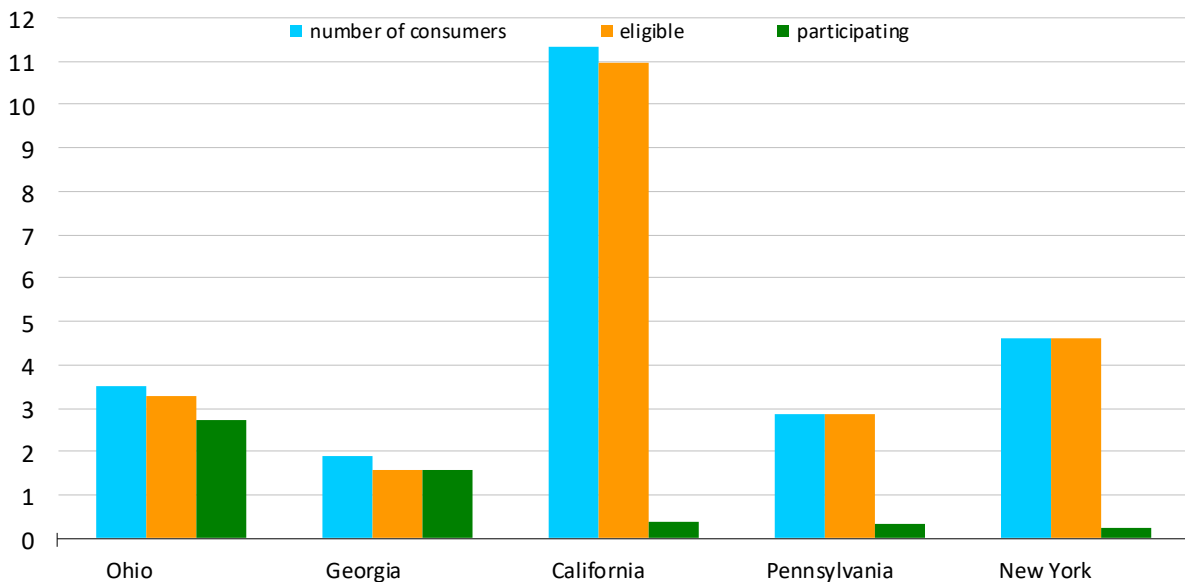
State or district	Number of consumers	Eligible	Participating
California	11,355,756	10,962,799	380,177
Colorado	1,914,414	1,379,000	0
Connecticut	592,577	3,212	637
District of Columbia	154,339	154,580	17,803
Florida	896,693	71,367	20,411
Georgia	1,904,912	1,579,430	1,579,430
Illinois	3,989,782	3,071,471	196,747
Indiana	1,847,625	791,552	56,706
Kentucky	792,405	124,145	11,447
Maryland	1,205,798	1,145,106	170,018
Massachusetts	1,603,218	1,569,775	16,723
Michigan	3,421,932	3,392,732	244,902
Montana	292,800	212,399	481
Nebraska	545,680	68,636	68,636
New Jersey	2,959,424	2,964,170	89,058
New Mexico	615,084	504,102	95
New York	4,601,595	4,598,012	249,985
Ohio	3,505,394	3,259,112	2,738,397
Pennsylvania	2,886,236	2,849,203	335,640
Rhode Island	249,454	249,454	0
Virginia	1,298,297	791,167	75,000
Wisconsin	1,861,281	1,172,399	0
Wyoming	173,185	75,311	75,311
Subtotal	48,667,881	40,989,134	6,327,604
Other States ^a	24,558,522	0	0
U.S. Total	73,226,403	40,989,134	6,327,604

^a Other states is the total for all states not shown in this table.

Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-176, *Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition*.

Note: The number of eligible customers represents those residential customers, regardless of size, who were allowed to purchase fuel from an alternative supplier at the end of the report year. The number of participating customers represents those who were actively participating in such a program at the end of the year.

Figure 24. Top five states with participants in a residential customer choice program, 2023



Source: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-176, *Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition*.