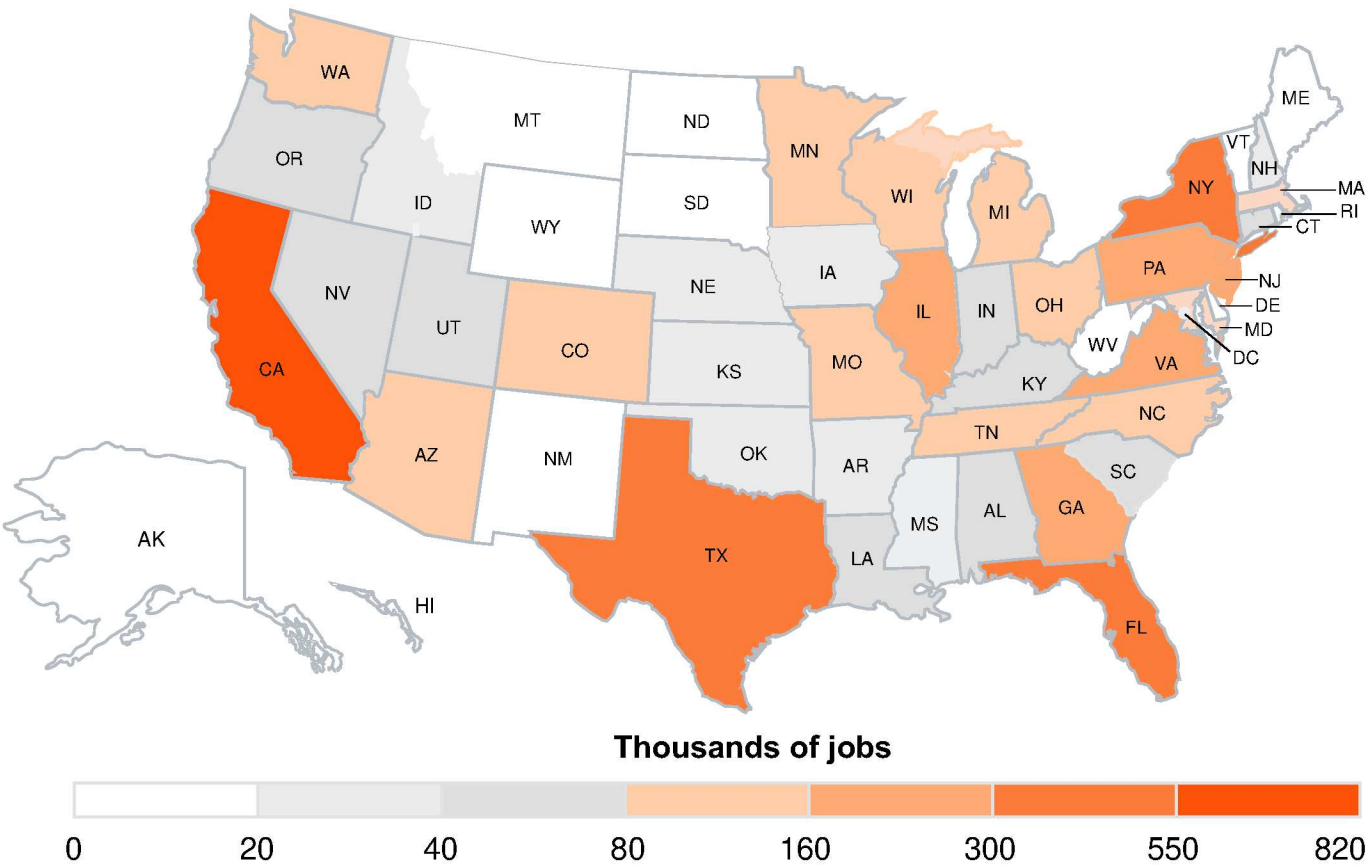




State-level contribution

The data center industry operates in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. The latest data show that in 49 states and the District of Columbia, the data center industry directly provided at least 1,000 jobs in each jurisdiction in 2024 (see Appendix **Table A-2a**). Including direct, indirect, induced, and cross-state spillover effects, the data center industry supported at least 10,000 total jobs in all but four states in 2024. The top 10 states with total jobs (including the cross-state spillover effects) supported by the data center industry in 2024 were: California (818,160 jobs), Texas (548,110), Florida (400,100), New York (312,380), Georgia (230,140), Virginia (201,100), Illinois (200,040), Pennsylvania (182,580), New Jersey (172,020), and North Carolina (159,710). These states tend to have large and diversified economies, substantial data center activity, or strong supply-chain linkages, which are factors that help explain the magnitude of their total estimated employment effects.

Figure E-1. Total employment supported by the data center industry by state, 2024
(With cross-state spillover effects)



Source: PwC calculations using the IMPLAN modeling system and public data.