

# San Francisco County public water systems

0 systems are Failing or At-Risk  
0% of all systems in the county profile

Status classification Share of listed systems, followed by the count, reported population, and funding in each status.

| Potentially At-Risk 20% |         | Not At-Risk 40% |                     | Not Assessed 40% |              |
|-------------------------|---------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------|
|                         | Failing | At-Risk         | Potentially At-Risk | Not At-Risk      | Not Assessed |
| Systems                 | 0       | 0               | 1                   | 2                | 2            |
| Population              | 0       | 0               | 3,864               | 3,910            | 848,619      |
| Funding since 2017      | \$0     | \$0             | \$0                 | \$0              | \$238M       |

## Key figures

5 public water systems

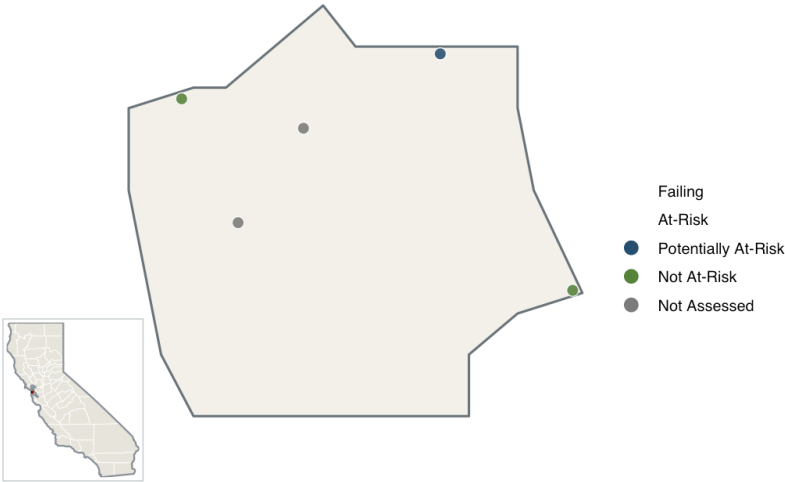
856,393 reported population

20% serve 500 people or fewer

\$238M reported funding since 2017

## System locations

Points show reported system locations. They do not represent service-area boundaries.



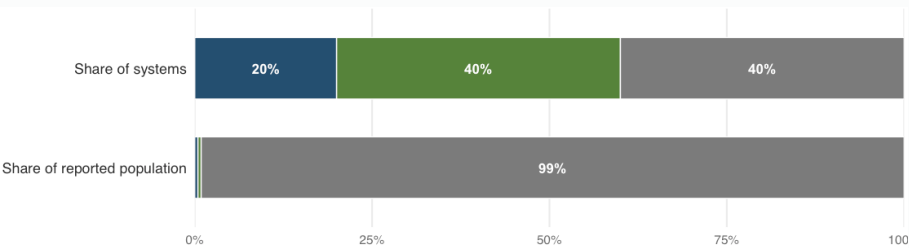
Each point represents one system record. Nearby or overlapping points can conceal multiple systems.

## Summary

San Francisco County has 5 public water systems in the SAFER dataset. Of these, 0 (0%) are classified as Failing or At-Risk. Those systems report serving 0 people. The county profile is also shaped by small systems: 1 system serve 500 people or fewer. 2 systems are listed as Not Assessed, serving 848,619 people, so Not Assessed should not be read as a low-risk classification. Reported funding since 2017 totals \$238M across 1 system. Technical assistance funding totals \$0.

## System counts and reported population

Not Assessed systems make up 40% of listed systems and 99% of reported population. That population sits in a few large systems outside the SAFER assessment's scope, which generally have more capacity, so this reflects scope rather than hidden risk.



# Risk profile

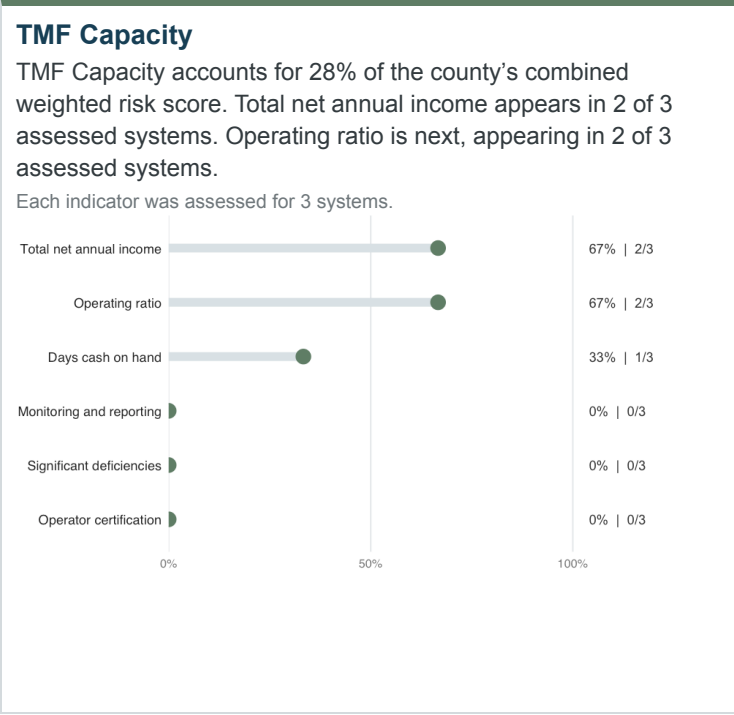
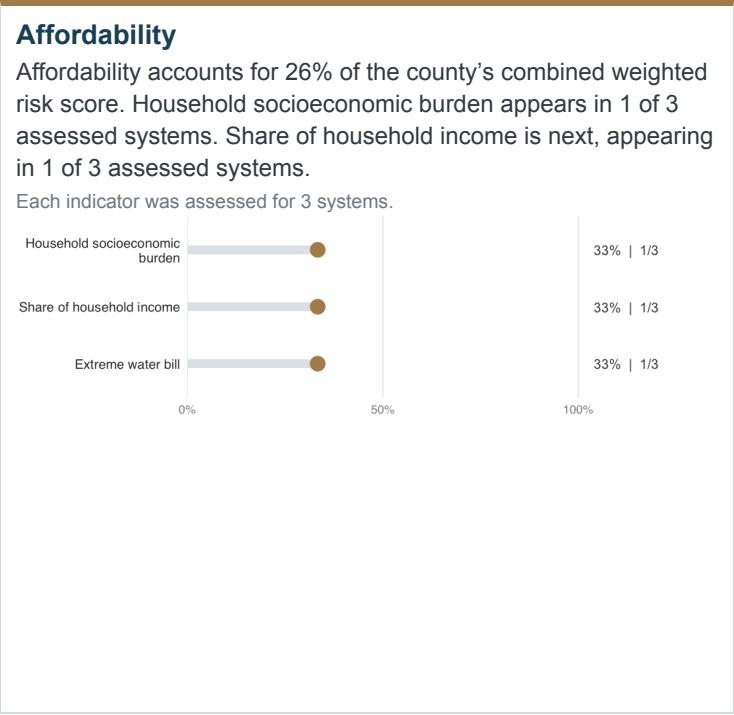
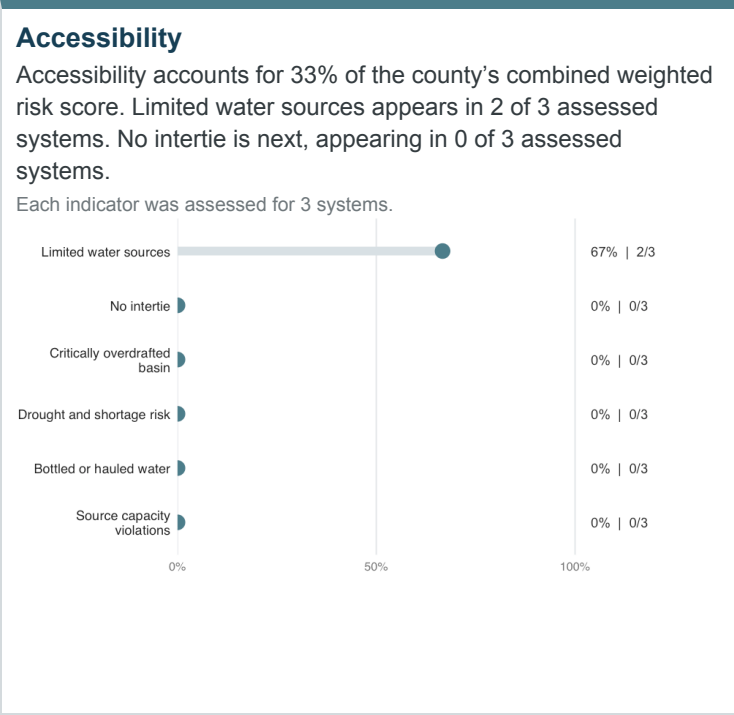
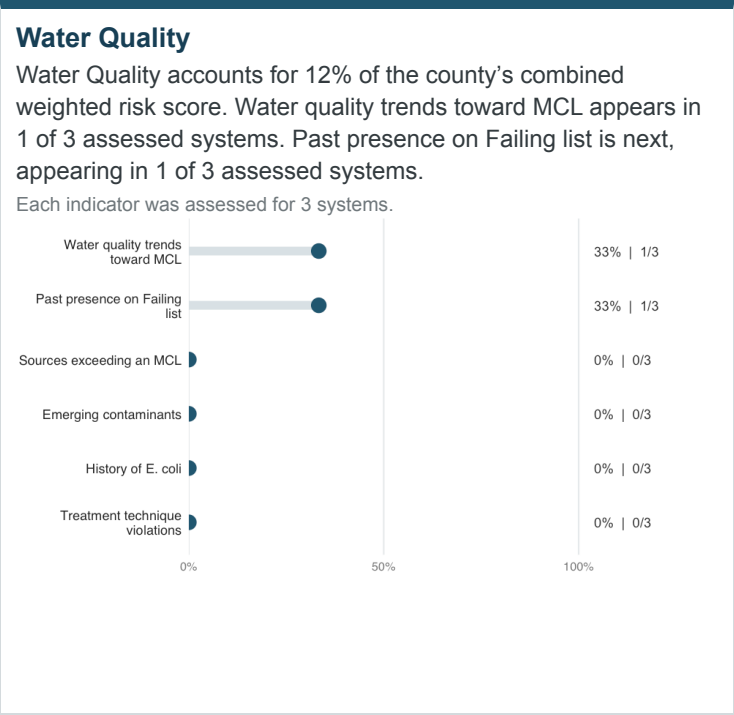
Risk in San Francisco County is distributed across four dimensions. Accessibility contributes the largest share of the combined weighted risk score at 33%. Across all individual indicators, Limited water sources appears most often, affecting 2 of 3 assessed systems.

**Water Quality**  
**12%**  
of combined weighted risk  
State 32% · ▼ 19 pts  
MOST COMMON FLAG  
Water quality trends toward MCL

**Accessibility**  
**33%**  
of combined weighted risk  
State 36% · ▼ 3 pts  
MOST COMMON FLAG  
Limited water sources

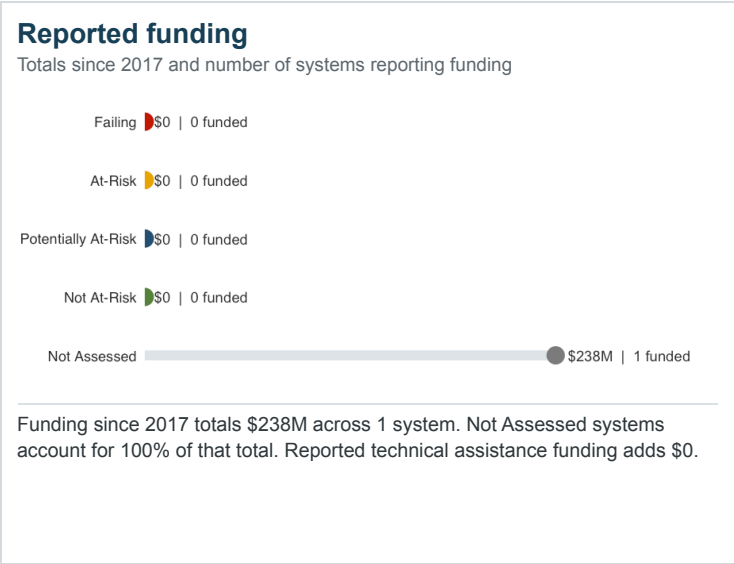
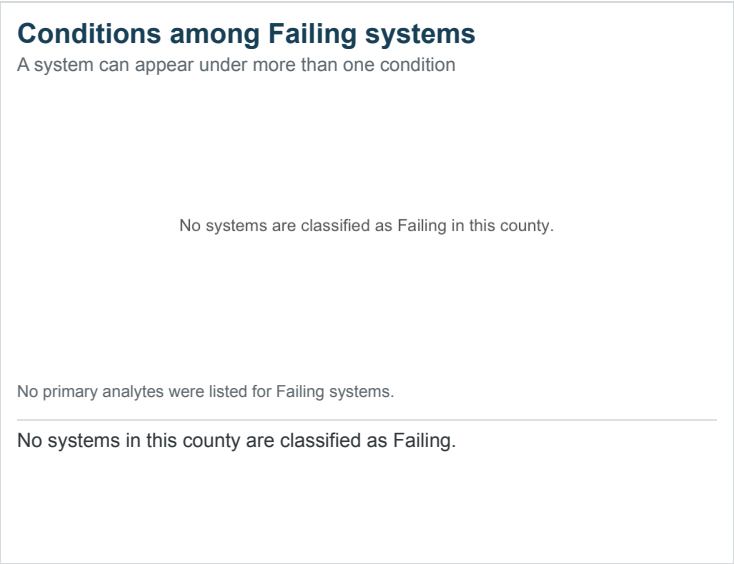
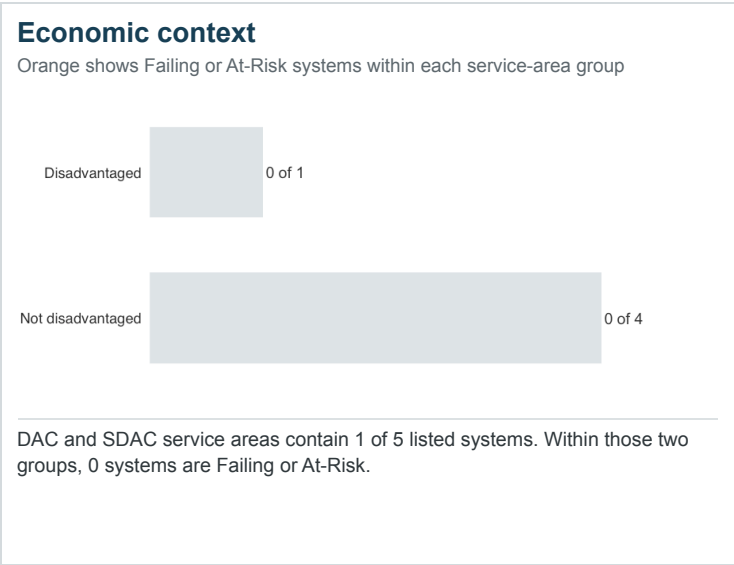
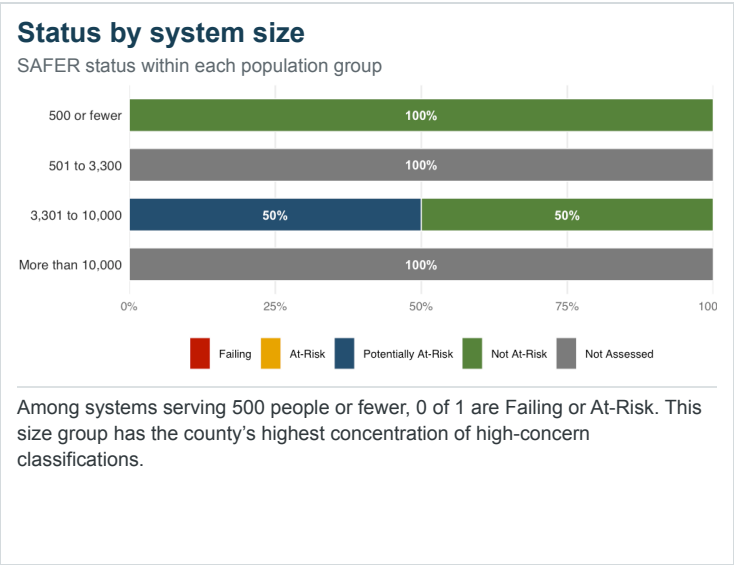
**Affordability**  
**26%**  
of combined weighted risk  
State 17% · ▲ 9 pts  
MOST COMMON FLAG  
Household socioeconomic burden

**TMF Capacity**  
**28%**  
of combined weighted risk  
State 15% · ▲ 13 pts  
MOST COMMON FLAG  
Total net annual income



# Patterns and context

The countywide totals hide important differences among systems. The panels below show how SAFER status varies by system size and service-area economic status, what conditions appear among Failing systems, and how reported funding is distributed across the 5 systems in San Francisco County.



## Key takeaways

**0%**  
of systems are Failing or At-Risk

That represents 0 systems reporting service to 0 people. That is below the statewide average of 33%.

**33%**  
of weighted risk comes from Accessibility

The most widespread individual flag is limited water sources, found in 2 of 3 assessed systems. Statewide, Accessibility accounts for 36% of weighted risk.

**20%**  
of systems serve 500 people or fewer

Small systems account for 1 of the county's 5 listed systems. That is below the statewide average of 61%.



**Interactive SAFER dashboard**  
For system-level data and current maps, see the State Water Board's SAFER dashboard. Scan the code or visit [waterboards.ca.gov/drinking\\_water/certlic/drinkingwater/saferdashboard.html](https://waterboards.ca.gov/drinking_water/certlic/drinkingwater/saferdashboard.html).