

Department of Conservation

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**Status of Confined Animal Agriculture Facilities
in Important Farmland GIS Data**

Confined Animal Agriculture facilities include dairies, feedlots, poultry facilities, and aquaculture (fish farms). These uses do not qualify for the major agricultural categories on the Important Farmland Maps, however, some counties include them in their Farmland of Local Importance definitions. In the eight counties mapped to Rural Land Use standards, Confined Animal Agriculture is shown as a separate category on the maps.

For real estate disclosure purposes, Confined Animal Agriculture facilities should be considered agricultural in the counties marked YES in both columns below.

County	Confined Animal Agriculture Data in GIS Files	Confined Animal Agriculture in County Local Definition
Alameda	No	No
Amador	No	No
Butte	No	No
Calaveras	No	No
Colusa	Yes	No
Contra Costa	No	No
El Dorado	No	No
Fresno	Yes	Yes
Glenn	No	No
Imperial	No	No
Kern	Yes	No
Kings	Yes	Yes
Lake	No	No
Los Angeles	No	No
Madera	Yes	No
Marin	No	No
Mariposa	No	No
Mendocino	Yes	No
Merced	Yes	No
Modoc	No	No
Monterey	No	No
Napa	No	No
Nevada	No	No

County	Confined Animal Agriculture Data in GIS Files	Confined Animal Agriculture in County Local Definition
Orange	No	No
Placer	Yes	Yes
Riverside	Yes	Yes (Does not include aquaculture)
Sacramento	Yes	Yes
San Benito	No	No
San Bernardino	No	No
San Diego	No	No
San Joaquin	Yes	Yes
San Luis Obispo	No	No
San Mateo	No	No
Santa Barbara	No	No
Santa Clara	No	No
Santa Cruz	No	No
Shasta	No	No
Sierra Valley	Yes	Yes (Plumas County section only)
Siskiyou	No	No
Solano	No	No
Sonoma	No	No
Stanislaus	Yes	No
Sutter	No	No
Tehama	No	No
Tulare	Yes	Yes
Tuolumne	No	No
Ventura	No	No
Yolo	No	No
Yuba	No	No

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