

Appendix A  
2002 – 2004  
County Conversion Tables

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**TABLE A-1  
ALAMEDA COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I  
County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	6,329	5,384	1,015	70	1,085	-945	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	1,489	1,506	73	90	163	17	
Unique Farmland	2,099	2,378	186	465	651	279	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>9,917</b>	<b>9,268</b>	<b>1,274</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>1,899</b>	<b>-649</b>	
Grazing Land	245,730	244,975	1,546	791	2,337	-755	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>255,647</b>	<b>254,243</b>	<b>2,820</b>	<b>1,416</b>	<b>4,236</b>	<b>-1,404</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	143,592	144,326	686	1,420	2,106	734	
Other Land	73,580	73,027	1,911	1,358	3,269	-553	
Water Area	52,519	53,742	0	1,223	1,223	1,223	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>525,338</b>	<b>525,338</b>	<b>5,417</b>	<b>5,417</b>	<b>10,834</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II  
Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	161
Farmland of Statewide Importance	132
Unique Farmland	82
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>375</b>
Grazing Land	3,745
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>4,120</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	1,107
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>5,227</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	--	0	49	0	49	514	563	260	191	1	1,015
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	--	42	0	42	7	49	24	0	0	73
Unique Farmland	1	0	--	0	1	105	106	0	80	0	186
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1,274</b>
Grazing Land	52	68	330	0	450	--	450	487	609	0	1,546
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,820</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (1)	11	15	29	0	55	153	208	--	478	0	686
Other Land (2)	6	7	15	0	28	12	40	649	--	1,222	1,911
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>1,416</b>	<b>1,420</b>	<b>1,358</b>	<b>1,223</b>	<b>5,417</b>

(1) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land due to demolished structures and abandoned uses at Camp Parks and Fremont Airport.

(2) Conversion to Water due to the delineation of permanent water bodies in gravel pits between Livermore and Pleasanton, Shadow Cliffs Park, and Quarry Lakes Recreation Area.

**TABLE A-2**  
**AMADOR COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	3,964	3,832	251	119	370	-132	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	1,973	1,850	202	79	281	-123	
Unique Farmland	3,491	3,755	341	605	946	264	
Farmland of Local Importance	1,575	1,256	347	28	375	-319	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>11,003</b>	<b>10,693</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>1,972</b>	<b>-310</b>	
Grazing Land	191,110	188,219	4,041	1,150	5,191	-2,891	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>202,113</b>	<b>198,912</b>	<b>5,182</b>	<b>1,981</b>	<b>7,163</b>	<b>-3,201</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	7,370	7,926	362	918	1,280	556	
Other Land	85,570	88,215	795	3,440	4,235	2,645	
Water Area	5,323	5,323	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>300,376</b>	<b>300,376</b>	<b>6,339</b>	<b>6,339</b>	<b>12,678</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	1
Farmland of Statewide Importance	2
Unique Farmland	3
Farmland of Local Importance	9
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>
Grazing Land	8
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>23</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	10
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>33</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: --	0	3	0	3	212	215	27	9	0	251
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 1	--	0	0	1	195	196	6	0	0	202
Unique Farmland	to: 6	2	--	2	10	288	298	8	35	0	341
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 0	0	28	--	28	315	343	0	4	0	347
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,141</b>
Grazing Land (2)	to: 94	76	522	26	718	--	718	220	3,103	0	4,041
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>1,770</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>3,151</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,182</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (3)	to: 3	0	0	0	3	70	73	--	289	0	362
Other Land	to: 15	1	52	0	68	70	138	657	--	0	795
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 119</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>1,150</b>	<b>1,981</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>3,440</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,339</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of digital orthoquads to distinguish low-density housing (ranchettes) in the forested areas of the county.

(3) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of highly detailed digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

**TABLE A-3**  
**COLUSA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
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**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES			NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	201,346	201,642	1,190	1,486	2,676	296
Farmland of Statewide Importance	1,826	2,152	3	329	332	326
Unique Farmland	126,916	124,796	2,704	584	3,288	-2,120
Farmland of Local Importance	234,186	232,758	2,338	910	3,248	-1,428
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>564,274</b>	<b>561,348</b>	<b>6,235</b>	<b>3,309</b>	<b>9,544</b>	<b>-2,926</b>
Grazing Land	9,408	9,151	258	1	259	-257
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>573,682</b>	<b>570,499</b>	<b>6,493</b>	<b>3,310</b>	<b>9,803</b>	<b>-3,183</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	4,431	4,624	0	193	193	193
Other Land	160,439	163,429	201	3,191	3,392	2,990
Water Area	1,838	1,838	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>740,390</b>	<b>740,390</b>	<b>6,694</b>	<b>6,694</b>	<b>13,388</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	0
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	0	0	1	675	676	0	676	97	417	0	1,190
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	--	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	3
Unique Farmland (2)	13	13	--	232	258	0	258	6	2,440	0	2,704
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	1,340	316	548	--	2,204	1	2,205	46	87	0	2,338
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>3,141</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3,142</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>2,944</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,235</b>
Grazing Land	0	0	0	0	0	--	0	11	247	0	258
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>3,141</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3,142</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>3,191</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,493</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0
Other Land	133	0	35	0	168	0	168	33	--	0	201
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1,486</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>3,309</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3,310</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>3,191</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,694</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversions from Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to delineation of new orchards and irrigated agricultural land in the central portion of the county.

(3) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to identification of ranchettes and wetland restoration activities in the FWS refuge system along the eastern portion of the county, from Sanborn Slough to Dunnigan.

**TABLE A-4**  
**CONTRA COSTA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

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**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	33,731	32,025	1,793	87	1,880	-1,706	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	9,733	8,547	1,394	208	1,602	-1,186	
Unique Farmland	4,450	3,929	582	61	643	-521	
Farmland of Local Importance	53,136	52,256	2,906	2,026	4,932	-880	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>101,050</b>	<b>96,757</b>	<b>6,675</b>	<b>2,382</b>	<b>9,057</b>	<b>-4,293</b>	
Grazing Land	171,924	168,781	3,421	278	3,699	-3,143	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>272,974</b>	<b>265,538</b>	<b>10,096</b>	<b>2,660</b>	<b>12,756</b>	<b>-7,436</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	142,454	147,441	47	5,034	5,081	4,987	
Other Land	45,351	47,800	1,024	3,473	4,497	2,449	
Water Area	53,240	53,240	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>514,019</b>	<b>514,019</b>	<b>11,167</b>	<b>11,167</b>	<b>22,334</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	419
Farmland of Statewide Importance	25
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	780
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,224</b>
Grazing Land	564
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,788</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	847
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>2,635</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: --	0	0	747	747	0	747	711	335	0	1,793
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 2	--	0	909	911	6	917	306	171	0	1,394
Unique Farmland	to: 1	0	--	359	360	193	553	18	11	0	582
Farmland of Local Importance (2)	to: 2	207	17	--	226	19	245	1,444	1,217	0	2,906
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2,015</b>	<b>2,244</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>2,462</b>	<b>2,479</b>	<b>1,734</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,675</b>
Grazing Land (3)	to: 62	0	0	0	62	--	62	1,626	1,733	0	3,421
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2,015</b>	<b>2,306</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>2,524</b>	<b>4,105</b>	<b>3,467</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10,096</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 7	1	17	10	35	6	41	--	6	0	47
Other Land	to: 13	0	27	1	41	54	95	929	--	0	1,024
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 87</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>2,026</b>	<b>2,382</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>2,660</b>	<b>5,034</b>	<b>3,473</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11,167</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion from Farmland of Local Importance is due to additions of rural residential developments and land left idle for four update cycles.

(3) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to distinguish low-density housing (ranchettes) in the eastern half of the county.

**TABLE A-5**  
**EL DORADO COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
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LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	950	886	65	1	66	-64	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	930	926	33	29	62	-4	
Unique Farmland	4,415	4,338	330	253	583	-77	
Farmland of Local Importance	61,213	60,530	1,313	630	1,943	-683	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>67,508</b>	<b>66,680</b>	<b>1,741</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>2,654</b>	<b>-828</b>	
Grazing Land	201,740	196,901	5,003	164	5,167	-4,839	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>269,248</b>	<b>263,581</b>	<b>6,744</b>	<b>1,077</b>	<b>7,821</b>	<b>-5,667</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	28,555	30,670	17	2,132	2,149	2,115	
Other Land	231,782	235,334	914	4,466	5,380	3,552	
Water Area	6,819	6,819	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>536,404</b>	<b>536,404</b>	<b>7,675</b>	<b>7,675</b>	<b>15,350</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	0
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	--	0	0	43	43	0	43	15	7	0	65
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	--	0	26	26	3	29	2	2	0	33
Unique Farmland	0	1	--	87	88	104	192	1	137	0	330
Farmland of Local Importance	1	27	198	--	226	10	236	190	887	0	1,313
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>1,033</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,741</b>
Grazing Land	0	1	55	403	459	--	459	1,114	3,430	0	5,003
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>842</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>959</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>4,463</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,744</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	4	4	10	14	--	3	0	17
Other Land	0	0	0	67	67	37	104	810	--	0	914
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>1,077</b>	<b>2,132</b>	<b>4,466</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,675</b>

(1) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to additions of large rural residential developments and the use of digital orthoquads to distinguish low-density housing in the forested areas of the county.

**TABLE A-6**  
**FRESNO COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
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LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES			NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	
	Prime Farmland	731,936	722,584	11,062	1,710	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	490,266	483,786	7,423	943	8,366	-6,480
Unique Farmland	102,232	100,316	2,446	530	2,976	-1,916
Farmland of Local Importance	74,357	84,858	4,305	14,806	19,111	10,501
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,398,791</b>	<b>1,391,544</b>	<b>25,236</b>	<b>17,989</b>	<b>43,225</b>	<b>-7,247</b>
Grazing Land	835,123	834,253	1,034	164	1,198	-870
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,233,914</b>	<b>2,225,797</b>	<b>26,270</b>	<b>18,153</b>	<b>44,423</b>	<b>-8,117</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	107,535	110,897	177	3,539	3,716	3,362
Other Land	95,256	100,011	1,182	5,937	7,119	4,755
Water Area	4,911	4,911	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>2,441,616</b>	<b>2,441,616</b>	<b>27,629</b>	<b>27,629</b>	<b>55,258</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	1,656
Farmland of Statewide Importance	483
Unique Farmland	342
Farmland of Local Importance	707
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3,188</b>
Grazing Land	2,578
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>5,766</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	184
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>5,950</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2) (4)	--	11	18	8,262	8,291	29	8,320	1,429	1,313	0	11,062
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)(4)	14	--	8	4,712	4,734	12	4,746	523	2,154	0	7,423
Unique Farmland (2)	24	6	--	1,591	1,621	34	1,655	193	598	0	2,446
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	1,277	806	325	--	2,408	0	2,408	905	992	0	4,305
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,315</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>14,565</b>	<b>17,054</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>17,129</b>	<b>3,050</b>	<b>5,057</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25,236</b>
Grazing Land	83	27	30	38	178	--	178	33	823	0	1,034
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,398</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>14,603</b>	<b>17,232</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>17,307</b>	<b>3,083</b>	<b>5,880</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26,270</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (5)	52	8	4	56	120	0	120	--	57	0	177
Other Land	260	85	145	147	637	89	726	456	--	0	1,182
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1,710</b>	<b>943</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>14,806</b>	<b>17,989</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>18,153</b>	<b>3,539</b>	<b>5,937</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27,629</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to land left idle for three update cycles throughout the county, a 4,700 acre conversion to nonirrigated grain on the Kettleman Plain, and some large, new additions of dairies.

(3) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to the addition of irrigated field crops, row crops, and orchards throughout the county.

(4) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to identify low density housing (farmsteads and ranchettes) throughout the county and the following of a 1,700 acre plot of farmland on the San Joaquin quad that is part of the NRCS Wetlands Reserve Program.

(5) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries and delineation of a dairy facility on the CSU Fresno campus.

**TABLE A-7**  
**GLENN COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
	Prime Farmland	163,628	162,670	1,736	778	2,514	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	88,891	88,374	858	341	1,199	-517	
Unique Farmland	16,539	16,589	404	454	858	50	
Farmland of Local Importance	77,613	78,721	1,545	2,653	4,198	1,108	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>346,671</b>	<b>346,354</b>	<b>4,543</b>	<b>4,226</b>	<b>8,769</b>	<b>-317</b>	
Grazing Land	232,411	231,716	833	138	971	-695	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>579,082</b>	<b>578,070</b>	<b>5,376</b>	<b>4,364</b>	<b>9,740</b>	<b>-1,012</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	5,942	6,080	47	185	232	138	
Other Land	258,346	259,220	267	1,141	1,408	874	
Water Area	5,759	5,759	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>849,129</b>	<b>849,129</b>	<b>5,690</b>	<b>5,690</b>	<b>11,380</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	820
Farmland of Statewide Importance	302
Unique Farmland	215
Farmland of Local Importance	944
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,281</b>
Grazing Land	2
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,283</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	473
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>2,756</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	0	1	3	1,359	1,363	5	1,368	40	328	0	1,736
Farmland of Statewide Importance	7	--	3	579	589	1	590	17	251	0	858
Unique Farmland	2	4	--	182	188	66	254	23	127	0	404
Farmland of Local Importance	704	254	195	--	1,153	49	1,202	28	315	0	1,545
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>2,120</b>	<b>3,293</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>3,414</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>1,021</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,543</b>
Grazing Land	0	1	178	509	688	--	688	25	120	0	833
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2,629</b>	<b>3,981</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>4,102</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,376</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	16	16	3	2	37	10	47	--	0	0	47
Other Land	49	65	72	22	208	7	215	52	--	0	267
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>778</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>2,653</b>	<b>4,226</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>4,364</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,690</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. Grazing Land increased relative to Farmland of Local Importance as a result of the automated selection of qualifying soil units using SSURGO and assessment of long-term idling of dryland farming areas.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles and the delineation of dryland grain areas.



**TABLE A-8**  
**IMPERIAL COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion \***

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACRES CHANGES				NET ACRES CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACRES CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	198,123	196,927	4,001	2,805	6,806	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	315,457	313,218	5,023	2,784	7,807	-2,239	
Unique Farmland	2,978	2,132	1,018	172	1,190	-846	
Farmland of Local Importance	33,603	33,333	3,567	3,297	6,864	-270	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>550,161</b>	<b>545,610</b>	<b>13,609</b>	<b>9,058</b>	<b>22,667</b>	<b>-4,551</b>	
Grazing Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>550,161</b>	<b>545,610</b>	<b>13,609</b>	<b>9,058</b>	<b>22,667</b>	<b>-4,551</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	25,171	26,357	1,899	3,085	4,984	1,186	
Other Land	452,321	455,697	5,391	8,767	14,158	3,376	
Water Area	914	903	190	179	369	-11	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,028,567</b>	<b>1,028,567</b>	<b>21,089</b>	<b>21,089</b>	<b>42,178</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	0
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES REPORTED</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area (5)	Total Converted To Another Use
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)(3) to:	--	6	1,329	1,348	0	1,348	1,019	2,649	7	5,023	
Unique Farmland (3) to:	15	--	1	43	0	43	29	905	41	1,018	
Farmland of Local Importance to:	847	847	1	--	1,589	0	1,589	464	1,463	3,567	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>877</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2,394</b>	<b>4,069</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,069</b>	<b>1,985</b>	<b>7,442</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>13,609</b>
Grazing Land to:	0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>877</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2,394</b>	<b>4,069</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,069</b>	<b>1,985</b>	<b>7,442</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>13,609</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (4) to:	255	218	1	187	661	0	661	--	1,225	13	1,899
Other Land (3) to:	1,708	1,693	140	709	4,240	0	4,240	1,098	--	53	5,391
Water Area (5) to:	61	6	14	7	88	0	88	2	100	--	190
<b>TOTAL ACRES CONVERTED</b>	<b>2,805</b>	<b>2,784</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>3,297</b>	<b>9,058</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,058</b>	<b>3,085</b>	<b>8,767</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>21,089</b>

\*A complete set of detailed digital imagery used in the 2004 map update resulted in historically large or anomalous conversions among some categories, as described below.  
(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance is primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles. Additional changes are due to the use of improved imagery data.

(3) Conversion between the Important Farmland Categories and Other Land is primarily due to the delineation of the riverbeds of the New and Alamo Rivers. Further conversions to Other Land are due to the addition of canals, feedlots, and low-density housing throughout the county.

(4) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of detailed digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

(5) Conversions between Water and other categories are due to improved delineation of the boundaries of the New, Alamo, and Colorado Rivers, and the Salton Sea.

**TABLE A-9  
KINGS COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

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**PART I  
County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	140,875	140,582	1,385	1,092	2,477	-293	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	431,336	429,768	3,327	1,759	5,086	-1,568	
Unique Farmland	28,314	28,524	625	835	1,460	210	
Farmland of Local Importance	7,566	8,283	194	911	1,105	717	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>608,091</b>	<b>607,157</b>	<b>5,531</b>	<b>4,597</b>	<b>10,128</b>	<b>-934</b>	
Grazing Land	236,582	233,493	4,677	1,588	6,265	-3,089	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>844,673</b>	<b>840,650</b>	<b>10,208</b>	<b>6,185</b>	<b>16,393</b>	<b>-4,023</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	29,796	30,768	67	1,039	1,106	972	
Other Land	16,247	19,298	1,186	4,237	5,423	3,051	
Water Area	66	66	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>890,782</b>	<b>890,782</b>	<b>11,461</b>	<b>11,461</b>	<b>22,922</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II  
Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	91
Farmland of Statewide Importance	18
Unique Farmland	3
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>112</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>112</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	13
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>125</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 90	58	4	781	933	1,588	2,521	739	2,271	0	5,531
Farmland of Statewide Importance (1)(2)	to: 827	1,095	803	4	2,729	--	2,729	7	1,941	0	4,677
Unique Farmland	to: 11	3	--	5	19	275	294	75	256	0	625
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 78	54	2	--	134	0	134	58	2	0	194
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>1,153</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>3,662</b>	<b>1,588</b>	<b>5,250</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>4,212</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10,208</b>
Grazing Land (3)(4)	to: 5	34	2	1	42	0	42	--	25	0	67
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 170	572	26	125	893	0	893	293	--	0	1,186
Other Land	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
Water Area	to: 1,092	1,759	835	911	4,597	1,588	6,185	1,039	4,237	0	11,461
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 1,092</b>	<b>1,759</b>	<b>835</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>4,597</b>	<b>1,588</b>	<b>6,185</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>4,237</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11,461</b>

(1) Conversion to Grazing Land primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles.  
(2) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of digital orthoquads to distinguish low-density housing (ranchettes), widely dispersed throughout the county, as well as land left idle for three or more update cycles.  
(3) Conversion to Farmland of Statewide Importance due to addition of irrigated orchards and row crops, primarily in the southern central portion of the county on the West Camp, Dudley Ridge and Pyramid Hills quads.  
(4) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to addition of an agricultural water storage and flood control overflow in the extreme southeastern portion of the county (Lone Tree Well quad).

**TABLE A-10**  
**LAKE COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
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Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACRES CHANGES				NET ACRES CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACRES CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	15,547	15,464	143	60	203	-83	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	1,432	1,432	0	0	0	0	
Unique Farmland	12,082	11,997	118	33	151	-85	
Farmland of Local Importance	19,418	19,469	78	129	207	51	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>48,479</b>	<b>48,362</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>-117</b>	
Grazing Land	239,981	240,000	25	44	69	19	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>288,460</b>	<b>288,362</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>-98</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	14,433	14,442	14	23	37	9	
Other Land	501,295	501,384	28	117	145	89	
Water Area	46,793	46,793	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>850,981</b>	<b>850,981</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	0
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES REPORTED</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 58	0	21	113	192	44	236	0	103	0	339
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 2	0	7	16	25	--	25	0	0	0	25
Unique Farmland	to: 13	0	--	33	46	36	82	0	36	0	118
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 45	0	6	--	51	8	59	0	19	0	78
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>to: 118</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>466</b>
Grazing Land	to: 2	0	7	16	25	--	25	0	0	0	25
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>to: 123</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>364</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	14	0	14
Other Land	to: 0	0	5	0	5	0	5	23	--	0	28
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 60</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>406</b>

**TABLE A-11**  
**LOS ANGELES COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

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**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	32,187	33,218	1,367	2,398	3,765	1,031	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	939	1,029	44	134	178	90	
Unique Farmland	1,155	1,119	91	55	146	-36	
Farmland of Local Importance	8,171	8,685	75	589	664	514	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>42,452</b>	<b>44,051</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>3,176</b>	<b>4,753</b>	<b>1,599</b>	
Grazing Land	233,399	228,826	5,107	534	5,641	-4,573	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>275,851</b>	<b>272,877</b>	<b>6,684</b>	<b>3,710</b>	<b>10,394</b>	<b>-2,974</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	160,678	163,435	484	3,241	3,725	2,757	
Other Land	637,509	637,726	3,152	3,369	6,521	217	
Water Area	3,468	3,468	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,077,506</b>	<b>1,077,506</b>	<b>10,320</b>	<b>10,320</b>	<b>20,640</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	46
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>46</b>
Grazing Land	2,278
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,324</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	8,026
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>10,350</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	0	0	4	22	26	401	427	40	900	0	1,367
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	0	44
Unique Farmland	0	0	0	0	0	54	54	25	12	0	91
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	17	0	17	57	74	1	0	0	75
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,577</b>
Grazing Land (2) (3)	1,194	78	20	566	1,858	0	1,858	1,241	2,008	0	5,107
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,194</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>1,901</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>1,307</b>	<b>2,964</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,684</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (4)	71	0	0	0	71	8	79	0	405	0	484
Other Land (3)	1,133	56	14	1	1,204	14	1,218	1,934	0	0	3,152
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>2,398</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>3,176</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>3,710</b>	<b>3,241</b>	<b>3,369</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10,320</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. Grazing Land increased relative to Farmland of Local Importance as a result of the automated selection of qualifying soil units using SSURGO and assessment of long-term idling of dryland farming areas.

(2) Conversion to Other Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate oil field boundaries on the Val Verde and Newhall quads.

(3) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to newly irrigated agricultural land in the Antelope Valley, primarily onions, carrots, and alfalfa.

(4) Conversion from Urban and Built-Up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

**TABLE A-12**  
**MADERA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	99,615	99,561	756	702	1,458	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	86,410	86,040	610	240	850	-370	
Unique Farmland	162,429	163,888	1,827	3,286	5,113	1,459	
Farmland of Local Importance	22,526	18,799	3,967	240	4,207	-3,727	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>370,980</b>	<b>368,288</b>	<b>7,160</b>	<b>4,468</b>	<b>11,628</b>	<b>-2,692</b>	
Grazing Land	401,233	399,290	4,341	2,398	6,739	-1,943	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>772,213</b>	<b>767,578</b>	<b>11,501</b>	<b>6,866</b>	<b>18,367</b>	<b>-4,635</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	24,051	24,975	937	1,861	2,798	924	
Other Land	58,714	62,425	1,898	5,609	7,507	3,711	
Water Area	6,063	6,063	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>861,041</b>	<b>861,041</b>	<b>14,336</b>	<b>14,336</b>	<b>28,672</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	257
Farmland of Statewide Importance	50
Unique Farmland	65
Farmland of Local Importance	553
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>925</b>
Grazing Land	3,009
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3,934</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	137
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>4,071</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	94	46	1,290	26	1,456	--	1,456	410	2,475	0	4,341
Farmland of Statewide Importance	538	121	3,042	185	3,886	1,792	5,678	755	5,068	0	11,501
Unique Farmland (2)	40	36	31	27	134	262	396	--	541	0	937
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	124	83	213	28	448	344	792	1,106	--	0	1,898
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1,752</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>2,430</b>	<b>1,792</b>	<b>4,222</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>2,593</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,160</b>
Grazing Land (2) (3)											
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>3,042</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>3,886</b>	<b>1,792</b>	<b>5,678</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>5,068</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11,501</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (4)											
Other Land											
Water Area											
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>3,286</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>4,468</b>	<b>2,398</b>	<b>6,866</b>	<b>1,861</b>	<b>5,609</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14,336</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversions to Other Land primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles and new confined livestock operations. In addition, digital orthoquads were used to distinguish low-density housing and rural commercial areas in the northern forested areas of the county as well as adjacent to the City of Madera.

(3) Conversions to Unique Farmland are due to addition of irrigated orchards, vineyards, and crops primarily north of the City of Madera as well as the southern part of the county.

(4) Conversions from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of highly detailed digital imagery to delineate rural residential and rural commercial areas in the northern forested area of the county as well as adjacent to the City of Madera.

TABLE A-13  
MARIN COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACRES CHANGES				NET ACRES CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACRES CHANGED	NET ACRES CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	7	7	0	0	0	0	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	433	445	3	15	18	12	
Unique Farmland	255	256	0	1	1	1	
Farmland of Local Importance	66,472	65,750	746	24	770	-722	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>67,167</b>	<b>66,458</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>-709</b>	
Grazing Land	90,242	89,938	318	14	332	-304	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>157,409</b>	<b>156,396</b>	<b>1,067</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>-1,013</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	41,480	41,903	23	446	469	423	
Other Land	135,054	135,644	299	889	1,188	590	
Water Area	44,715	44,715	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>378,658</b>	<b>378,658</b>	<b>1,389</b>	<b>1,389</b>	<b>2,778</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	17
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES REPORTED</b>	<b>17</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Unique Farmland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0	10	0	0	10	3	13	112	621	0	746
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>749</b>
Grazing Land	0	1	0	22	23	0	23	43	252	0	318
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>873</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,067</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	1	1	6	7	0	16	0	23
Other Land	0	4	1	1	6	5	11	288	0	0	299
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES CONVERTED</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,389</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

**TABLE A-14**  
**MARIPOSA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	49	23	26	0	26	-26	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	117	97	20	0	20	-20	
Unique Farmland	60	57	11	8	19	-3	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>-49</b>	
Grazing Land	406,413	404,018	2,452	57	2,509	-2,395	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>406,639</b>	<b>404,195</b>	<b>2,509</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>2,574</b>	<b>-2,444</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	2,378	2,407	0	29	29	29	
Other Land	73,382	75,797	31	2,446	2,477	2,415	
Water Area	6,047	6,047	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>488,446</b>	<b>488,446</b>	<b>2,540</b>	<b>2,540</b>	<b>5,080</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	1,339
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,339</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	155
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>1,494</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	0	0	0	0	0	26	26	0	0	0	26
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	0	0	20
Unique Farmland	0	0	0	0	0	11	11	0	0	0	11
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>57</b>
Grazing Land (2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2,446	0	2,452
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2,446</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,509</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Land	0	0	8	0	8	0	8	23	0	0	31
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>2,446</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,540</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the addition of low-density housing (ranchettes) throughout the county.

**TABLE A-15  
MERCED COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I  
County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	283,158	276,574	7,330	746	8,076	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	159,022	155,854	4,248	1,080	5,328	-3,168	
Unique Farmland	103,008	103,134	3,594	3,720	7,314	126	
Farmland of Local Importance	42,818	53,762	3,133	14,077	17,210	10,944	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>588,006</b>	<b>589,324</b>	<b>18,305</b>	<b>19,623</b>	<b>37,928</b>	<b>1,318</b>	
Grazing Land	578,026	573,630	4,856	460	5,316	-4,396	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,166,032</b>	<b>1,162,954</b>	<b>23,161</b>	<b>20,083</b>	<b>43,244</b>	<b>-3,078</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	33,091	34,943	124	1,976	2,100	1,852	
Other Land	45,321	46,547	1,445	2,671	4,116	1,226	
Water Area	16,970	16,970	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,261,414</b>	<b>1,261,414</b>	<b>24,730</b>	<b>24,730</b>	<b>49,460</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II  
Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	136
Farmland of Statewide Importance	45
Unique Farmland	68
Farmland of Local Importance	581
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>830</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>830</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	36
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>866</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2) (3)	to: 6	6	12	5,511	5,529	12	5,541	712	1,077	0	7,330
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)	to: 6	6	9	3,307	3,322	32	3,354	262	632	0	4,248
Unique Farmland (2)	to: 34	4	--	2,999	3,037	62	3,099	111	384	0	3,594
Farmland of Local Importance (4)	to: 258	440	1,663	--	2,361	17	2,378	592	163	0	3,133
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>1,684</b>	<b>11,817</b>	<b>14,249</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>14,372</b>	<b>1,677</b>	<b>2,256</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18,305</b>
Grazing Land (4) (5)	to: 249	418	1,855	1,863	4,385	--	4,385	137	334	0	4,856
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>868</b>	<b>3,539</b>	<b>13,680</b>	<b>18,634</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>18,757</b>	<b>1,814</b>	<b>2,590</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23,161</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (6)	to: 9	2	16	2	29	14	43	--	81	0	124
Other Land	to: 190	210	165	395	960	323	1,283	162	--	0	1,445
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 746</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>14,077</b>	<b>19,623</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>20,083</b>	<b>1,976</b>	<b>2,671</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24,730</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to land left idle for three update cycles and the delineation of dryland grain areas throughout the county.

(3) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the addition of low-density housing (ranchettes) and confined animal agriculture facilities.

(4) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to the addition of newly irrigated agriculture, and formerly idle farmland being brought into production, throughout the county.

(5) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to the delineation of dryland grain areas in the eastern part of the county.

(6) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.



**TABLE A-16**  
**MODOC COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	79,157	77,825	1,595	263	1,858	-1,332	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	54,940	54,185	851	96	947	-755	
Unique Farmland	11,397	11,696	97	396	493	299	
Farmland of Local Importance	112,234	113,975	787	2,528	3,315	1,741	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>257,728</b>	<b>257,681</b>	<b>3,330</b>	<b>3,283</b>	<b>6,613</b>	<b>-47</b>	
Grazing Land	572,281	572,021	355	95	450	-260	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>830,009</b>	<b>829,702</b>	<b>3,685</b>	<b>3,378</b>	<b>7,063</b>	<b>-307</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	3,235	3,235	0	0	0	0	
Other Land	18,092	18,399	35	342	377	307	
Water Area	56,331	56,331	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>907,667</b>	<b>907,667</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>3,720</b>	<b>7,440</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	16
Farmland of Statewide Importance	39
Unique Farmland	44
Farmland of Local Importance	1,436
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,535</b>
Grazing Land	3,295
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>4,830</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	39
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>4,869</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: 1	0	1,426	73	1,500	0	95	0	0	0	1,595
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 0	0	816	3	819	0	32	0	0	0	851
Unique Farmland	to: 0	0	55	8	63	0	34	0	0	0	97
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 259	83	263	--	605	11	171	0	0	0	787
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>2,297</b>	<b>2,903</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,998</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,330</b>
Grazing Land	to: 3	0	133	209	345	--	10	0	0	0	355
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>2,506</b>	<b>3,248</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>3,343</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,685</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0
Other Land	to: 1	12	0	22	35	0	35	0	--	0	35
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>2,528</b>	<b>3,283</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>3,378</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,720</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) for the Butte Valley-Tulelake and Alturas areas during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. Grazing Land decreased relative to other agricultural categories as a result of the automated selection of qualifying soil units using SSURGO.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to three or more update cycles and the delineation of dryland grain areas.

**TABLE A-17**  
**MONTEREY COUNTY**  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	169,338	169,368	791	821	1,612	30	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	44,998	44,544	622	168	790	-454	
Unique Farmland	26,476	26,478	453	455	908	2	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>240,812</b>	<b>240,390</b>	<b>1,866</b>	<b>1,444</b>	<b>3,310</b>	<b>-422</b>	
Grazing Land	1,057,448	1,066,539	1,387	10,478	11,865	9,091	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,298,260</b>	<b>1,306,929</b>	<b>3,253</b>	<b>11,922</b>	<b>15,175</b>	<b>8,669</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	54,060	54,293	18	251	269	233	
Other Land	762,559	753,657	9,497	595	10,092	-8,902	
Water Area	6,246	6,246	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>2,121,125</b>	<b>2,121,125</b>	<b>12,768</b>	<b>12,768</b>	<b>25,536</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	512
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	31
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>543</b>
Grazing Land	71
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>614</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	326
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>940</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 1	1	1	0	2	396	398	123	270	0	791
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 2	--	6	0	8	484	492	11	119	0	622
Unique Farmland	to: 7	2	--	0	9	315	324	21	108	0	453
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1,195</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,866</b>
Grazing Land	to: 786	138	380	0	1,304	--	1,304	0	83	0	1,387
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,323</b>	<b>1,195</b>	<b>2,518</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,253</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 0	1	0	0	1	2	3	--	15	0	18
Other Land (2)	to: 26	26	68	0	120	9,281	9,401	96	--	0	9,497
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 821</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,444</b>	<b>10,478</b>	<b>11,922</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12,768</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Grazing Land primarily due to documentation on grazing leases within the Camp Roberts military reservation.

TABLE A-18  
NAPA COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	31,894	32,446	342	894	1,236	552	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	9,696	9,792	186	282	468	96	
Unique Farmland	17,902	17,811	851	760	1,611	-91	
Farmland of Local Importance	19,714	19,279	738	303	1,041	-435	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>79,206</b>	<b>79,328</b>	<b>2,117</b>	<b>2,239</b>	<b>4,356</b>	<b>122</b>	
Grazing Land	180,181	179,905	373	97	470	-276	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>259,387</b>	<b>259,233</b>	<b>2,490</b>	<b>2,336</b>	<b>4,826</b>	<b>-154</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	21,397	22,245	26	874	900	848	
Other Land	202,676	201,982	1,250	556	1,806	-694	
Water Area	22,396	22,396	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>505,856</b>	<b>505,856</b>	<b>3,766</b>	<b>3,766</b>	<b>7,532</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	46
Farmland of Statewide Importance	12
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	1,634
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,692</b>
Grazing Land	107
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,799</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	126
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>1,925</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 3	1	3	171	175	0	175	39	128	0	342
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 2	--	2	108	112	0	112	20	54	0	186
Unique Farmland (2)	to: 500	10	--	16	526	94	620	14	217	0	851
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 290	188	1	--	479	3	482	178	78	0	738
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>1,292</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>1,389</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,117</b>
Grazing Land	to: 3	2	251	0	256	--	256	42	75	0	373
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>1,548</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>1,645</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,490</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 14	0	0	8	22	0	22	--	4	0	26
Other Land	to: 85	81	503	0	669	0	669	581	--	0	1,250
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 894</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>2,239</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>2,336</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,766</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to the replacement of nonirrigated vineyards with irrigated ones, primarily on the Napa Valley floor.

**TABLE A-19**  
**NEVADA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	697	658	40	1	41	-39	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	3,257	3,076	185	4	189	-181	
Unique Farmland	477	457	46	26	72	-20	
Farmland of Local Importance	24,297	22,850	1,486	39	1,525	-1,447	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>28,728</b>	<b>27,041</b>	<b>1,757</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1,827</b>	<b>-1,687</b>	
Grazing Land	121,986	121,984	564	562	1,126	-2	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>150,714</b>	<b>149,025</b>	<b>2,321</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>2,953</b>	<b>-1,689</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	15,399	17,168	111	1,880	1,991	1,769	
Other Land	123,129	123,049	1,464	1,384	2,848	-80	
Water Area	2,145	2,145	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>291,387</b>	<b>291,387</b>	<b>3,896</b>	<b>3,896</b>	<b>7,792</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	114
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	203
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>317</b>
Grazing Land	344
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>661</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	43
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>704</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	36	0	40
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	51	133	0	185
Unique Farmland	0	0	0	8	8	0	8	22	16	0	46
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	25	0	25	529	554	45	887	0	1,486
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>1,072</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,757</b>
Grazing Land	0	0	0	17	17	0	17	298	249	0	564
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>1,321</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,321</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (2)	1	4	0	9	15	33	48	0	63	0	111
Other Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,464	0	0	1,464
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>1,880</b>	<b>1,384</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,896</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. Grazing Land decreased relative to Farmland of Local Importance as a result of the automated selection of qualifying soil units using SSURGO and updated Williamson Act enrollment data.

(2) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of detailed digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

**TABLE A-20**  
**ORANGE COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	8,531	7,260	1,323	52	1,375	-1,271	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	736	621	124	9	133	-115	
Unique Farmland	5,343	5,601	590	848	1,438	258	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14,610</b>	<b>13,482</b>	<b>2,037</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>2,946</b>	<b>-1,128</b>	
Grazing Land	36,960	35,872	1,158	70	1,228	-1,088	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>51,570</b>	<b>49,354</b>	<b>3,195</b>	<b>979</b>	<b>4,174</b>	<b>-2,216</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	277,989	282,180	10	4,201	4,211	4,191	
Other Land	178,928	176,953	2,173	198	2,371	-1,975	
Water Area	972	972	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>509,459</b>	<b>509,459</b>	<b>5,378</b>	<b>5,378</b>	<b>10,756</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	3,501
Farmland of Statewide Importance	269
Unique Farmland	2,865
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>6,635</b>
Grazing Land	16
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>6,651</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	2,222
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>8,873</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (1)	to: --	0	748	0	748	55	803	457	63	0	1,323
Farmland of Statewide Importance (1)	to: 1	--	37	0	38	1	39	76	9	0	124
Unique Farmland	to: 1	1	--	0	2	14	16	461	113	0	590
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>858</b>	<b>994</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,037</b>
Grazing Land	to: 0	0	26	0	26	--	26	1,119	13	0	1,158
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>2,113</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,195</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 9	0	1	0	10	0	10	--	0	0	10
Other Land	to: 41	8	36	0	85	0	85	2,088	--	0	2,173
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 52</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>848</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>979</b>	<b>4,201</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,378</b>

(1) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to the delineation of potted plant nurseries in the foothills east of Irvine.

**TABLE A-21**  
**PLACER COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	9,538	9,236	433	131	564	-302	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	5,493	5,509	386	402	788	16	
Unique Farmland	22,105	23,283	507	1,685	2,192	1,178	
Farmland of Local Importance	87,832	86,234	2,393	795	3,188	-1,598	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>124,968</b>	<b>124,262</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>3,013</b>	<b>6,732</b>	<b>-706</b>	
Grazing Land	50,478	46,000	4,685	207	4,892	-4,478	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>175,446</b>	<b>170,262</b>	<b>8,404</b>	<b>3,220</b>	<b>11,624</b>	<b>-5,184</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	46,853	52,181	15	5,343	5,358	5,328	
Other Land	184,202	184,058	1,239	1,095	2,334	-144	
Water Area	5,027	5,027	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>411,528</b>	<b>411,528</b>	<b>9,658</b>	<b>9,658</b>	<b>19,316</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	15
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>
Grazing Land	2,120
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,135</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	166
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>2,301</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 4	36	16	89	145	46	145	182	106	0	433
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 1	--	1	129	131	137	268	0	118	0	386
Unique Farmland	to: 1	0	--	216	217	9	226	177	104	0	507
Farmland of Local Importance (2)	to: 59	332	1,615	--	2,006	1	2,007	155	231	0	2,393
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>1,616</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>2,453</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>2,646</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,719</b>
Grazing Land	to: 4	36	16	89	145	--	145	4,011	529	0	4,685
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>1,632</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>2,598</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>2,791</b>	<b>4,525</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,404</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 0	3	0	0	3	5	8	--	7	0	15
Other Land	to: 66	31	53	262	412	9	421	818	--	0	1,239
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 131</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>1,685</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>3,013</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>3,220</b>	<b>5,343</b>	<b>1,095</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,658</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. In particular, Farmland of Local Importance decreased relative to Grazing Land due to the revised soil survey as well as updated General Plan and Williamson Act data, which are components of Placer County's Farmland of Local Importance definition.

(2) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to the addition of irrigated field crops, row crops, irrigated pasture, and orchards throughout the county.

**TABLE A-22**  
**RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION**  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	139,253	134,429	7,685	2,861	10,546	-4,824	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	49,508	48,499	2,183	1,174	3,357	-1,009	
Unique Farmland	39,936	38,691	2,703	1,458	4,161	-1,245	
Farmland of Local Importance	250,581	244,849	14,326	8,594	22,920	-5,732	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>479,278</b>	<b>466,468</b>	<b>26,897</b>	<b>14,087</b>	<b>40,984</b>	<b>-12,810</b>	
Grazing Land	117,005	116,029	1,066	90	1,156	-976	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>596,283</b>	<b>582,497</b>	<b>27,963</b>	<b>14,177</b>	<b>42,140</b>	<b>-13,786</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	262,867	277,273	1,103	15,509	16,612	14,406	
Other Land	1,012,928	1,012,308	6,669	6,049	12,718	-620	
Water Area	62,541	62,541	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,934,619</b>	<b>1,934,619</b>	<b>35,735</b>	<b>35,735</b>	<b>71,470</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	1,471
Farmland of Statewide Importance	283
Unique Farmland	749
Farmland of Local Importance	15,283
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>17,786</b>
Grazing Land	4,066
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>21,852</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	18,857
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>40,709</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)(3)	to: --	12	217	4,630	4,859	0	4,859	2,093	733	0	7,685
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)(3)	to: 11	--	103	1,452	1,566	0	1,566	378	239	0	2,183
Unique Farmland (3)	to: 29	12	--	1,743	1,754	5	1,759	324	620	0	2,703
Farmland of Local Importance (4)(5)	to: 2,419	999	409	--	3,827	51	3,878	7,002	3,446	0	14,326
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,459</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>729</b>	<b>7,795</b>	<b>12,006</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>12,062</b>	<b>9,797</b>	<b>5,038</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26,897</b>
Grazing Land	to: 0	0	60	75	135	--	135	408	523	0	1,066
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,459</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>7,870</b>	<b>12,141</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>12,197</b>	<b>10,205</b>	<b>5,561</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27,963</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 168	69	73	290	600	15	615	--	488	0	1,103
Other Land	to: 234	82	596	434	1,346	19	1,365	5,304	--	0	6,669
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 2,861</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>1,458</b>	<b>8,594</b>	<b>14,087</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>14,177</b>	<b>15,509</b>	<b>6,049</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>35,735</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Unique Farmland primarily due to the delineation of potted plant nurseries in the Riverside and Coachella Valley areas.

(3) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles and the delineation of dryland grain areas.

(4) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to the addition of irrigated field cops, row crops, and orchards, primarily in the San Jacinto and Coachella Valleys and a comment by Agri-Empire Farmland allowing the delineation of approximately 1,000 acres of irrigated cropland in the Anza Valley.

(5) Conversion to Other Land primarily the result of the addition of low-density housing (ranchettes), industrial uses throughout the county, and aquaculture facilities in the Salton Sea area.

(6) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries. Also, an area of Urban Land was returned to irrigated farmland on the Blythe quad and some ponds on the Oasis quad were found to be aquaculture facilities.

**TABLE A-23**  
**SACRAMENTO COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACRES CHANGES				NET ACRES CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACRES CHANGED	NET ACRES CHANGED	
	Prime Farmland	112,037	110,278	1,818	59	1,877	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	60,817	56,141	4,796	120	4,916	-4,676	
Unique Farmland	15,743	15,188	637	82	719	-555	
Farmland of Local Importance	37,924	39,873	2,795	4,744	7,539	1,949	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>226,521</b>	<b>221,480</b>	<b>10,046</b>	<b>5,005</b>	<b>15,051</b>	<b>-5,041</b>	
Grazing Land	165,023	163,173	2,288	438	2,726	-1,850	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>391,544</b>	<b>384,653</b>	<b>12,334</b>	<b>5,443</b>	<b>17,777</b>	<b>-6,891</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	159,903	165,629	33	5,759	5,792	5,726	
Other Land	66,383	67,548	964	2,129	3,093	1,165	
Water Area	18,253	18,253	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>636,083</b>	<b>636,083</b>	<b>13,331</b>	<b>13,331</b>	<b>26,662</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	58
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	227
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>285</b>
Grazing Land	1,268
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,553</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	186
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES REPORTED</b>	<b>1,739</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	0	2	0	1,204	1,206	2	1,208	295	315	0	1,818
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)	0	--	10	3,414	3,424	7	3,431	1,070	295	0	4,796
Unique Farmland	2	2	--	56	60	326	386	74	177	0	637
Farmland of Local Importance	3	63	34	--	100	94	194	2,206	395	0	2,795
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>4,674</b>	<b>4,790</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>5,219</b>	<b>3,645</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10,046</b>
Grazing Land	35	36	23	27	121	--	121	1,228	939	0	2,288
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>4,701</b>	<b>4,911</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>5,340</b>	<b>4,873</b>	<b>2,121</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12,334</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	7	0	1	10	18	7	25	--	8	0	33
Other Land	12	17	14	33	76	2	78	886	--	0	964
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES CONVERTED</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>4,744</b>	<b>5,005</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>5,443</b>	<b>5,759</b>	<b>2,129</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13,331</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to land left idle for three update cycles and the delineation of dryland grain areas.



**TABLE A-24**  
**SAN BENITO COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
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**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	32,509	32,085	934	510	1,444	-424	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	9,040	9,465	100	525	625	425	
Unique Farmland	2,581	2,625	274	318	592	44	
Farmland of Local Importance	32,922	27,388	5,875	341	6,216	-5,534	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>77,052</b>	<b>71,563</b>	<b>7,183</b>	<b>1,694</b>	<b>8,877</b>	<b>-5,489</b>	
Grazing Land	598,926	603,617	980	5,671	6,651	4,691	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>675,978</b>	<b>675,180</b>	<b>8,163</b>	<b>7,365</b>	<b>15,528</b>	<b>-798</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	7,416	7,644	69	297	366	228	
Other Land	204,857	205,427	116	686	802	570	
Water Area	1,140	1,140	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>889,391</b>	<b>889,391</b>	<b>8,348</b>	<b>8,348</b>	<b>16,696</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	0
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: --	1	90	169	260	278	538	116	280	0	934
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 1	--	1	33	35	8	43	4	53	0	100
Unique Farmland	to: 13	0	--	13	26	126	152	3	119	0	274
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	to: 253	237	60	--	550	5,239	5,789	17	69	0	5,875
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>5,651</b>	<b>6,522</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,183</b>
Grazing Land	to: 170	277	154	110	711	--	711	122	147	0	980
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>1,582</b>	<b>5,651</b>	<b>7,233</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,163</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 22	9	4	2	37	14	51	--	18	0	69
Other Land	to: 51	1	9	14	75	6	81	35	--	0	116
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 510</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>1,694</b>	<b>5,671</b>	<b>7,365</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,348</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion from Prime Farmland due to the expansion of an existing wholesale potted plant nursery.

(3) Conversion from Farmland of Local Importance is due to land idled for four or more update cycles. Large areas that were formerly dry grain were reclassified in the eastern and southeastern portions of the county.

TABLE A-25  
**SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY**  
 2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
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**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	21,648	20,315	1,571	238	1,809	-1,333	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	9,706	8,777	1,113	184	1,297	-929	
Unique Farmland	3,412	2,654	816	58	874	-758	
Farmland of Local Importance	3,314	2,928	402	16	418	-386	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>38,080</b>	<b>34,674</b>	<b>3,902</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>4,398</b>	<b>-3,406</b>	
Grazing Land	919,331	915,548	5,358	1,575	6,933	-3,783	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>957,411</b>	<b>950,222</b>	<b>9,260</b>	<b>2,071</b>	<b>11,331</b>	<b>-7,189</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	249,952	259,266	95	9,409	9,504	9,314	
Other Land	241,636	239,511	4,836	2,711	7,547	-2,125	
Water Area	543	543	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,449,542</b>	<b>1,449,542</b>	<b>14,191</b>	<b>14,191</b>	<b>28,382</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	117
Farmland of Statewide Importance	95
Unique Farmland	3
Farmland of Local Importance	523
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>738</b>
Grazing Land	12,759
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13,497</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	732
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>14,229</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: --	0	0	0	0	546	546	652	373	0	1,571
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 0	--	5	0	5	465	470	399	244	0	1,113
Unique Farmland	to: 0	2	--	16	18	513	531	200	85	0	816
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 22	0	7	--	29	0	29	373	0	0	402
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>1,524</b>	<b>1,576</b>	<b>1,624</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,902</b>
Grazing Land (1)	to: 171	151	11	0	333	--	333	3,076	1,949	0	5,358
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>1,524</b>	<b>1,909</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>2,651</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,260</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (1)	to: 0	8	0	0	8	27	35	--	60	0	95
Other Land	to: 45	23	35	0	103	24	127	4,709	--	0	4,836
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 238</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>1,575</b>	<b>2,071</b>	<b>9,409</b>	<b>2,711</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14,191</b>

(1) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to delineate low-density housing (ranchettes) and freeway interchanges in the rural areas of the County. Land management practices in portions of Mojave Narrows Regional Park resulted in their removal from the Grazing Land category.

**TABLE A-26**  
**SAN DIEGO COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION**  
Division of Land Resource Protection

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**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	9,401	8,525	1,420	544	1,964	-876	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	13,450	12,181	1,994	725	2,719	-1,269	
Unique Farmland	57,522	55,566	3,242	1,286	4,528	-1,956	
Farmland of Local Importance	133,543	134,491	5,208	6,156	11,364	948	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>213,916</b>	<b>210,763</b>	<b>11,864</b>	<b>8,711</b>	<b>20,575</b>	<b>-3,153</b>	
Grazing Land	111,442	107,327	4,141	26	4,167	-4,115	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>325,358</b>	<b>318,090</b>	<b>16,005</b>	<b>8,737</b>	<b>24,742</b>	<b>-7,268</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	332,715	338,845	171	6,301	6,472	6,130	
Other Land	1,495,576	1,496,460	5,114	5,998	11,112	884	
Water Area	13,043	13,297	0	254	254	254	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>2,166,692</b>	<b>2,166,692</b>	<b>21,290</b>	<b>21,290</b>	<b>42,580</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	330
Farmland of Statewide Importance	204
Unique Farmland	426
Farmland of Local Importance	2,486
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3,446</b>
Grazing Land	2,031
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>5,477</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	3,988
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>9,465</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2) (3)	to: 0	4	69	1,245	1,318	0	1,318	17	85	0	1,420
Farmland of Statewide Importance (3)	to: 3	--	16	1,760	1,779	0	1,779	87	128	0	1,994
Unique Farmland (3) (4)	to: 69	39	--	2,556	2,664	9	2,673	101	468	0	3,242
Farmland of Local Importance (5)	to: 165	489	659	--	1,313	16	1,329	2,189	1,688	2	5,208
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>5,561</b>	<b>7,074</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>7,099</b>	<b>2,394</b>	<b>2,369</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11,864</b>
Grazing Land (5)	to: 0	0	38	133	171	--	171	395	3,543	32	4,141
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>5,694</b>	<b>7,245</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>7,270</b>	<b>2,789</b>	<b>5,912</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>16,005</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (6)	to: 4	0	72	9	85	0	85	--	86	0	171
Other Land (7)	to: 303	193	432	453	1,381	1	1,382	3,512	--	220	5,114
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 544</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>1,286</b>	<b>6,156</b>	<b>8,711</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>8,737</b>	<b>6,301</b>	<b>5,998</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>21,290</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. In particular, Farmland of Local Importance increased relative to Grazing Lands as a result of the automated selection of qualifying soil units.

(2) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to the delineation of potted plant nurseries and an orchard that had been converted from irrigated to nonirrigated.

(3) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles.

(4) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to the delineation of in-ground nurseries in the northwestern portion of the county.

(5) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the addition of low-density housing (ranchettes), equestrian facilities, and mining operations throughout the county.

(6) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily due to the delineation of potted plant or hydroponic nurseries and the abandonment of a solar power facility.

(7) Conversion to Water due to the new Olivenhain Reservoir on the Rancho Santa Fe quad.

**TABLE A-27**  
**SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	416,307	412,550	4,207	450	4,657	-3,757	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	92,559	91,222	1,753	416	2,169	-1,337	
Unique Farmland	61,030	62,535	943	2,448	3,391	1,505	
Farmland of Local Importance	56,506	57,808	2,881	4,183	7,064	1,302	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>626,402</b>	<b>624,115</b>	<b>9,784</b>	<b>7,497</b>	<b>17,281</b>	<b>-2,287</b>	
Grazing Land	148,712	147,653	1,062	3	1,065	-1,059	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>775,114</b>	<b>771,768</b>	<b>10,846</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>18,346</b>	<b>-3,346</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	80,360	83,409	18	3,067	3,085	3,049	
Other Land	45,480	45,777	543	840	1,383	297	
Water Area	11,648	11,648	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>912,602</b>	<b>912,602</b>	<b>11,407</b>	<b>11,407</b>	<b>22,814</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	3,614
Farmland of Statewide Importance	716
Unique Farmland	358
Farmland of Local Importance	814
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>5,502</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>5,502</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	201
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>5,703</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: 78	141	428	64	711	--	711	181	170	0	4,207
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 333	357	2,332	4,155	7,177	3	7,180	2,826	840	0	1,753
Unique Farmland	to: 1	14	0	3	18	0	18	--	0	0	943
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	to: 116	45	116	25	302	0	302	241	--	0	2,881
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>to: 450</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>2,448</b>	<b>4,183</b>	<b>7,497</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>3,067</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,784</b>
Grazing Land											
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>											
Urban and Built-up Land											
Other Land											
Water Area											
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>											<b>11,407</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion from Prime Farmland primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles.

(3) Conversions to Unique Farmland are due to addition of irrigated orchards, vineyards, and crops throughout the county.

**TABLE A-28**  
**SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	41,294	40,508	2,049	1,263	3,312	-786	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	19,357	19,750	879	1,272	2,151	393	
Unique Farmland	38,613	35,697	5,600	2,684	8,284	-2,916	
Farmland of Local Importance	179,797	180,411	4,496	5,110	9,606	614	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>279,061</b>	<b>276,366</b>	<b>13,024</b>	<b>10,329</b>	<b>23,353</b>	<b>-2,695</b>	
Grazing Land	749,786	750,810	4,820	5,844	10,664	1,024	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,028,847</b>	<b>1,027,176</b>	<b>17,844</b>	<b>16,173</b>	<b>34,017</b>	<b>-1,671</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	41,361	42,124	151	914	1,065	763	
Other Land	221,353	222,266	383	1,296	1,679	913	
Water Area	10,607	10,602	5	0	5	-5	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,302,168</b>	<b>1,302,168</b>	<b>18,383</b>	<b>18,383</b>	<b>36,766</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	155
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>155</b>
Grazing Land	232
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>387</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	57
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>444</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	14	1,261	689	3,029	6,222	5,706	11,928	480	616	0	13,024
Farmland of Statewide Importance	1	--	9	797	807	11	818	13	48	0	879
Unique Farmland (2) (3)	82	5	--	422	509	4,889	5,398	53	149	0	5,600
Farmland of Local Importance (4)	1,160	1,255	654	--	3,069	791	3,860	383	253	0	4,496
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>1,261</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>3,029</b>	<b>6,222</b>	<b>5,706</b>	<b>11,928</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13,024</b>
Grazing Land (5)	1,257	1,268	2,616	5,069	10,210	5,706	15,916	667	1,261	0	17,844
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,257</b>	<b>1,268</b>	<b>2,616</b>	<b>5,069</b>	<b>10,210</b>	<b>5,706</b>	<b>15,916</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>1,261</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17,844</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (6)	1	0	1	24	26	90	116	--	35	0	151
Other Land	5	4	62	17	88	48	136	247	--	0	383
Water Area	0	0	5	0	5	0	5	0	0	--	5
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1,263</b>	<b>1,272</b>	<b>2,684</b>	<b>5,110</b>	<b>10,329</b>	<b>5,844</b>	<b>16,173</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>1,296</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18,383</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. Grazing Land increased relative to Farmland of Local Importance as a result of the automated selection of qualifying soil units using SSURGO and assessment of long-term idling of dryland farming areas.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance and Grazing Land primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles.

(3) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to identification of irrigated row crops on land formerly supporting non-irrigated orchards.

(4) Conversion to Prime Farmland, Farmland of Statewide Importance, and Unique Farmland due to new irrigated agriculture and non-irrigated orchards.

(5) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance due to delineation of non-irrigated grain fields.

(6) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

**TABLE A-29**  
**SAN MATEO COUNTY**  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	2,624	2,587	59	22	81	-37	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	205	188	20	3	23	-17	
Unique Farmland	2,656	2,658	55	57	112	2	
Farmland of Local Importance	3,518	3,504	14	0	14	-14	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>9,003</b>	<b>8,937</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>-66</b>	
Grazing Land	45,888	45,948	44	104	148	60	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>54,891</b>	<b>54,885</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>-6</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	71,160	71,282	19	141	160	122	
Other Land	161,664	161,548	138	22	160	-116	
Water Area	65,734	65,734	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>353,449</b>	<b>353,449</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	250
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>250</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	345
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>595</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 3	0	0	0	0	36	36	3	20	0	59
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 2	--	0	0	2	18	20	0	0	0	20
Unique Farmland	to: 3	0	--	0	3	50	53	0	2	0	55
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 14	0	0	--	14	0	14	0	0	0	14
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>148</b>
Grazing Land	to: 3	3	38	0	44	--	44	0	0	0	44
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>192</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 0	0	19	0	19	0	19	--	0	0	19
Other Land	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	138	--	0	138
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 22</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>349</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

**TABLE A-30**  
**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	66,460	67,774	1,365	2,679	4,044	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	11,862	12,380	175	693	868	518	
Unique Farmland	33,936	35,136	623	1,823	2,446	1,200	
Farmland of Local Importance	23,088	20,836	3,035	783	3,818	-2,252	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>135,346</b>	<b>136,126</b>	<b>5,198</b>	<b>5,978</b>	<b>11,176</b>	<b>780</b>	
Grazing Land	586,286	583,310	3,854	878	4,732	-2,976	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>721,632</b>	<b>719,436</b>	<b>9,052</b>	<b>6,856</b>	<b>15,908</b>	<b>-2,196</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	61,076	62,028	36	988	1,024	952	
Other Land	252,843	254,087	1,058	2,302	3,360	1,244	
Water Area	4,264	4,264	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,039,815</b>	<b>1,039,815</b>	<b>10,146</b>	<b>10,146</b>	<b>20,292</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	438
Farmland of Statewide Importance	2
Unique Farmland	217
Farmland of Local Importance	45
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>702</b>
Grazing Land	134
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>836</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	120
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>956</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: --	1	153	377	531	329	860	163	342	0	1,365
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)	to: 1	--	27	11	39	29	68	37	70	0	175
Unique Farmland	to: 10	1	--	31	42	116	158	223	242	0	623
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	to: 1,450	141	551	--	2,142	402	2,544	9	482	0	3,035
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,461</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>2,754</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>3,630</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,198</b>
Grazing Land (3)(4)	to: 1,101	474	739	337	2,651	--	2,651	39	1,164	0	3,854
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,562</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>1,470</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>5,405</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>6,281</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,052</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 10	1	20	3	34	0	34	--	2	0	36
Other Land	to: 107	75	333	24	539	2	541	517	--	0	1,058
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 2,679</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>1,823</b>	<b>783</b>	<b>5,978</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>6,856</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>2,302</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10,146</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to the delineation of potted plant or hydroponic nurseries in the south coastal part of the county.

(3) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to newly irrigated agricultural land throughout the county. The largest conversion was an area of carrots in the Cuyama Valley.

(4) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the delineation of low-density housing (ranchettes) throughout the county.

**TABLE A-31**  
**SANTA CLARA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACRES CHANGES				NET ACRES CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACRES CHANGED	NET ACRES CHANGED	
	Prime Farmland	26,577	24,717	1,960	100	2,060	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	5,932	5,630	308	6	314	-302	
Unique Farmland	2,325	2,396	178	249	427	71	
Farmland of Local Importance	7,339	6,003	1,347	11	1,358	-1,336	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>42,173</b>	<b>38,746</b>	<b>3,793</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>4,159</b>	<b>-3,427</b>	
Grazing Land	388,696	388,646	1,173	1,123	2,296	-50	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>430,869</b>	<b>427,392</b>	<b>4,966</b>	<b>1,489</b>	<b>6,455</b>	<b>-3,477</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	185,131	187,176	44	2,089	2,133	2,045	
Other Land	210,774	212,206	486	1,918	2,404	1,432	
Water Area	8,452	8,452	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>835,226</b>	<b>835,226</b>	<b>5,496</b>	<b>5,496</b>	<b>10,992</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES 2004
Prime Farmland	1,103
Farmland of Statewide Importance	13
Unique Farmland	3
Farmland of Local Importance	4
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,123</b>
Grazing Land	1,715
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,838</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	189
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES REPORTED</b>	<b>3,027</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: 5	to: 0	to: 3	to: 8	to: 8	to: 8	to: 8	to: 676	to: 489	to: 0	to: 1,173
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 11	to: 1	to: 8	to: 0	to: 20	to: 0	to: 20	to: 24	to: 0	to: 0	to: 44
Unique Farmland	to: 17	to: 3	to: 20	to: 5	to: 45	to: 1	to: 46	to: 440	to: 0	to: 0	to: 486
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>to: 100</b>	<b>to: 6</b>	<b>to: 249</b>	<b>to: 11</b>	<b>to: 366</b>	<b>to: 1,123</b>	<b>to: 1,489</b>	<b>to: 2,089</b>	<b>to: 1,918</b>	<b>to: 0</b>	<b>to: 5,496</b>
Grazing Land	to: 72	to: 2	to: 221	to: 6	to: 301	to: 1,122	to: 1,423	to: 1,649	to: 1,894	to: 0	to: 4,966
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>to: 178</b>	<b>to: 8</b>	<b>to: 241</b>	<b>to: 6</b>	<b>to: 327</b>	<b>to: 2,244</b>	<b>to: 2,846</b>	<b>to: 3,298</b>	<b>to: 3,888</b>	<b>to: 0</b>	<b>to: 10,412</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0
Other Land	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0
Water Area	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0	to: 0
<b>TOTAL ACRES CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 178</b>	<b>to: 8</b>	<b>to: 241</b>	<b>to: 11</b>	<b>to: 366</b>	<b>to: 1,123</b>	<b>to: 1,489</b>	<b>to: 2,089</b>	<b>to: 1,918</b>	<b>to: 0</b>	<b>to: 5,496</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of Santa Clara County digital soil survey data (SSURGO) in 2002, acres for farmland, grazing and other land categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to delineation of various potted plant nurseries, primarily in the Morgan Hill area.



**TABLE A-32**  
**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY**  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	15,540	15,214	415	89	504	-326	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	3,367	3,268	131	32	163	-99	
Unique Farmland	5,557	5,367	351	161	512	-190	
Farmland of Local Importance	811	757	90	36	126	-54	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>25,275</b>	<b>24,606</b>	<b>987</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>1,305</b>	<b>-669</b>	
Grazing Land	16,727	16,868	122	263	385	141	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>42,002</b>	<b>41,474</b>	<b>1,109</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>1,690</b>	<b>-528</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	31,092	31,421	1	330	331	329	
Other Land	212,260	212,459	292	491	783	199	
Water Area	357	357	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>285,711</b>	<b>285,711</b>	<b>1,402</b>	<b>1,402</b>	<b>2,804</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	1
Farmland of Statewide Importance	7
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>8</b>
Grazing Land	1
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	18
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>27</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: --	0	32	0	32	99	131	94	190	0	415
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 2	--	5	0	7	28	35	43	53	0	131
Unique Farmland	to: 20	0	--	0	20	134	154	25	172	0	351
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 4	2	16	--	22	0	22	2	66	0	90
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>987</b>
Grazing Land	to: 23	11	55	7	96	--	96	16	10	0	122
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,109</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 1	0	0	0	1	0	1	--	0	0	1
Other Land	to: 39	19	53	29	140	2	142	150	--	0	292
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 89</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,402</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

**TABLE A-33**  
**SHASTA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	15,717	14,848	956	87	1,043	-869	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	4,222	4,058	202	38	240	-164	
Unique Farmland	940	761	180	1	181	-179	
Farmland of Local Importance	9,482	9,171	368	57	425	-311	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>30,361</b>	<b>28,838</b>	<b>1,706</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>1,889</b>	<b>-1,523</b>	
Grazing Land	412,225	408,927	4,452	1,154	5,606	-3,298	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>442,586</b>	<b>437,765</b>	<b>6,158</b>	<b>1,337</b>	<b>7,495</b>	<b>-4,821</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	33,615	35,524	238	2,147	2,385	1,909	
Other Land	539,138	542,050	1,900	4,812	6,712	2,912	
Water Area	5,875	5,875	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,021,214</b>	<b>1,021,214</b>	<b>8,296</b>	<b>8,296</b>	<b>16,592</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	2
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>
Grazing Land	205
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>207</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	2,369
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>2,576</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: --	2	0	1	3	683	686	72	198	0	956
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 1	--	0	0	1	93	94	7	101	0	202
Unique Farmland	to: 1	1	--	0	2	164	166	0	14	0	180
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 23	2	1	--	26	148	174	87	107	0	368
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,120</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,706</b>
Grazing Land (2)	to: 5	3	0	33	41	--	41	183	4,228	0	4,452
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,161</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>4,648</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,158</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (3)	to: 15	3	0	9	27	47	74	--	164	0	238
Other Land	to: 42	27	0	14	83	19	102	1,798	--	0	1,900
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 87</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>1,154</b>	<b>1,337</b>	<b>2,147</b>	<b>4,812</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,296</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of digital orthoquads to distinguish low-density housing (ranchettes) in the forested areas of the county.

(3) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

TABLE A-34  
SIERRA VALLEY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	8,336	8,791	37	492	529	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	6,868	7,322	2	456	458	454	
Unique Farmland	2,872	3,778	341	1,247	1,588	906	
Farmland of Local Importance	92,163	90,196	2,351	384	2,735	-1,967	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>110,239</b>	<b>110,087</b>	<b>2,731</b>	<b>2,579</b>	<b>5,310</b>	<b>-152</b>	
Grazing Land	78,695	78,834	8	147	155	139	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>188,934</b>	<b>188,921</b>	<b>2,739</b>	<b>2,726</b>	<b>5,465</b>	<b>-13</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	811	811	0	0	0	0	
Other Land	7,950	7,963	21	34	55	13	
Water Area	75	75	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>197,770</b>	<b>197,770</b>	<b>2,760</b>	<b>2,760</b>	<b>5,520</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	9
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	22
Farmland of Local Importance	57
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>88</b>
Grazing Land	2,805
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,893</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	136
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>3,029</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	0	0	0	37	37	0	37	0	0	0	37
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	2
Unique Farmland	0	0	0	341	341	0	341	0	0	0	341
Farmland of Local Importance (2)	476	456	1,246	0	2,178	147	2,325	0	26	0	2,351
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2,558</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>2,705</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,731</b>
Grazing Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2,558</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>2,705</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,739</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Land	16	0	0	5	21	0	21	0	0	0	21
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>2,579</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>2,726</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,760</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to the delineation of new irrigated alfalfa in Sierra County.

**TABLE A-35**  
**SISKIYOU COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES			NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	93,046	79,822	13,351	127	13,478	-13,224
Farmland of Statewide Importance	31,525	28,747	2,796	18	2,814	-2,778
Unique Farmland	34,691	33,714	1,143	166	1,309	-977
Farmland of Local Importance	626,964	620,164	8,757	1,957	10,714	-6,800
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>786,226</b>	<b>762,447</b>	<b>26,047</b>	<b>2,268</b>	<b>28,315</b>	<b>-23,779</b>
Grazing Land	393,253	386,315	13,123	6,185	19,308	-6,938
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,179,479</b>	<b>1,148,762</b>	<b>39,170</b>	<b>8,453</b>	<b>47,623</b>	<b>-30,717</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	15,376	15,377	22	23	45	1
Other Land	68,039	98,755	1,364	32,080	33,444	30,716
Water Area	18,399	18,399	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,281,293</b>	<b>1,281,293</b>	<b>40,556</b>	<b>40,556</b>	<b>81,112</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	9
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>
Grazing Land	19
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>28</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	36
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>64</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2) (3)	to: 0	0	2	795	797	4,504	5,301	6	8,044	0	13,351
Farmland of Statewide Importance (3)	to: 1	--	1	341	343	104	447	0	2,349	0	2,796
Unique Farmland	to: 2	8	--	811	821	142	963	5	175	0	1,143
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	to: 114	10	153	--	277	73	350	10	8,397	0	8,757
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>1,947</b>	<b>2,238</b>	<b>4,823</b>	<b>7,061</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>18,965</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26,047</b>
Grazing Land (3)	to: 0	0	0	8	8	--	8	0	13,115	0	13,123
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>1,955</b>	<b>2,246</b>	<b>4,823</b>	<b>7,069</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>32,080</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>39,170</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 10	0	10	2	22	0	22	--	0	0	22
Other Land	to: 0	0	0	0	0	1,362	1,362	2	--	0	1,364
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 127</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>1,957</b>	<b>2,268</b>	<b>6,185</b>	<b>8,453</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>32,080</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>40,556</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Grazing Land primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles and documentation of grazing leases within the Lower Klamath Wildlife Refuge, Butte Valley Wildlife Area, and Butte Valley National Grasslands.

(3) Conversion to Other Land is characterized by farmland left idle for three or more update cycles, primarily due to additions made to the refuge systems in the Lower Klamath and Tulelake Wildlife Refuge, Butte Valley, and Shasta Valley Wildlife Area.

**TABLE A-36**  
**SOLANO COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	143,210	141,574	1,817	181	1,998	-1,636	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	7,582	7,287	331	36	367	-295	
Unique Farmland	13,736	12,012	1,803	79	1,882	-1,724	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>164,528</b>	<b>160,873</b>	<b>3,951</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>4,247</b>	<b>-3,655</b>	
Grazing Land	201,339	201,303	2,745	2,709	5,454	-36	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>365,867</b>	<b>362,176</b>	<b>6,696</b>	<b>3,005</b>	<b>9,701</b>	<b>-3,691</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	55,434	57,717	90	2,373	2,463	2,283	
Other Land	111,376	112,731	893	2,248	3,141	1,355	
Water Area	49,696	49,749	0	53	53	53	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>582,373</b>	<b>582,373</b>	<b>7,679</b>	<b>7,679</b>	<b>15,358</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	46
Farmland of Statewide Importance	41
Unique Farmland	45
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>132</b>
Grazing Land	3,708
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3,840</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	900
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>4,740</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 3	1	19	0	23	2,554	2,577	590	784	0	3,951
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 79	7	43	0	129	--	129	1,165	1,451	0	2,745
Unique Farmland (1)	to: 82	8	62	0	152	2,554	2,706	1,755	2,235	0	6,696
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 9	0	0	0	9	15	24	--	13	53	90
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>to: 90</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>893</b>
Grazing Land (2)	to: 181	36	79	0	296	2,709	3,005	2,373	2,248	--	7,679
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>to: 82</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>2,554</b>	<b>2,706</b>	<b>1,755</b>	<b>2,235</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,696</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (3)	to: 9	0	0	0	9	15	24	--	13	53	90
Other Land	to: 90	28	17	0	135	140	275	618	--	0	893
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 181</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>2,709</b>	<b>3,005</b>	<b>2,373</b>	<b>2,248</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>7,679</b>

(1) Conversion to Grazing Land primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles.  
(2) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to delineate low-density housing (ranchettes) in hilly areas of the county.  
(3) Conversion from Urban Land to Water primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to delineate Lake Chabot, a 45+ acre lake within the urban boundary of Fairfield.

**TABLE A-37**  
**SONOMA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	34,789	33,803	1,125	139	1,264	-986	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	19,356	18,624	823	91	914	-732	
Unique Farmland	33,787	33,300	1,067	580	1,647	-487	
Farmland of Local Importance	74,076	76,384	267	2,575	2,842	2,308	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>162,008</b>	<b>162,111</b>	<b>3,282</b>	<b>3,385</b>	<b>6,667</b>	<b>103</b>	
Grazing Land	421,166	420,323	924	81	1,005	-843	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>583,174</b>	<b>582,434</b>	<b>4,206</b>	<b>3,466</b>	<b>7,672</b>	<b>-740</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	72,847	72,935	78	166	244	88	
Other Land	352,685	353,337	97	749	846	652	
Water Area	17,354	17,354	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,026,060</b>	<b>1,026,060</b>	<b>4,381</b>	<b>4,381</b>	<b>8,762</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	19
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	13
Farmland of Local Importance	157
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>189</b>
Grazing Land	445
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>634</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	81
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>715</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: 23	19	466	57	565	--	565	17	342	0	924
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 1	--	13	775	789	0	789	12	22	0	823
Unique Farmland	to: 1	1	--	720	722	71	793	50	224	0	1,067
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 95	64	31	--	190	4	194	50	23	0	267
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>2,515</b>	<b>2,723</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>2,804</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,282</b>
Grazing Land	to: 23	19	466	57	565	--	565	17	342	0	924
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>3,288</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>3,369</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,206</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (3)	to: 4	2	6	0	12	0	12	--	66	0	78
Other Land	to: 15	4	63	3	85	0	85	12	--	0	97
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 139</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>2,575</b>	<b>3,385</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>3,466</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,381</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles and the delineation of dryland grain areas.

(3) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land due to overmapping parts of the Sonoma State Historic Park and residential extent in the Sea Ranch area.

**TABLE A-38**  
**STANISLAUS COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	260,372	256,525	5,117	1,270	6,387	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	30,073	29,788	493	208	701	-285	
Unique Farmland	61,556	63,267	1,174	2,885	4,059	1,711	
Farmland of Local Importance	29,537	26,453	3,212	128	3,340	-3,084	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>381,538</b>	<b>376,033</b>	<b>9,996</b>	<b>4,491</b>	<b>14,487</b>	<b>-5,505</b>	
Grazing Land	374,888	374,480	2,026	1,618	3,644	-408	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>756,426</b>	<b>750,513</b>	<b>12,022</b>	<b>6,109</b>	<b>18,131</b>	<b>-5,913</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	56,810	61,171	11	4,372	4,383	4,361	
Other Land	50,506	52,058	1,358	2,910	4,268	1,552	
Water Area	5,596	5,596	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>869,338</b>	<b>869,338</b>	<b>13,391</b>	<b>13,391</b>	<b>26,782</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	384
Farmland of Statewide Importance	41
Unique Farmland	312
Farmland of Local Importance	113
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>850</b>
Grazing Land	205
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,055</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	523
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>1,578</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2) (3)	--	2	109	0	111	337	448	3,096	1,573	0	5,117
Farmland of Statewide Importance	2	--	3	0	5	116	121	42	330	0	493
Unique Farmland	4	28	--	104	136	269	405	330	439	0	1,174
Farmland of Local Importance (4)	16	45	1,564	--	1,625	889	2,514	272	426	0	3,212
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1,676</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>1,877</b>	<b>1,611</b>	<b>3,488</b>	<b>3,740</b>	<b>2,768</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,996</b>
Grazing Land (4)	586	103	1,093	17	1,799	--	1,799	88	139	0	2,026
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>2,769</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>3,676</b>	<b>1,611</b>	<b>5,287</b>	<b>3,828</b>	<b>2,907</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12,022</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	8	0	0	0	8	0	8	--	3	0	11
Other Land	654	30	116	7	807	7	814	544	--	0	1,358
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1,270</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>2,885</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>4,491</b>	<b>1,618</b>	<b>6,109</b>	<b>4,372</b>	<b>2,910</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13,391</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to the addition of potted plant nurseries on the Denair and Salida quads.

(3) Conversion to Other Land due to delineation of ranchettes, confined animal agriculture facilities, and land left idle for three update cycles throughout the county.

(4) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to newly irrigated farmland and irrigated pasture converted to irrigated crops, primarily orchards, alfalfa, corn and rice.

TABLE A-39  
SUTTER COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	167,436	166,203	1,509	276	1,785	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	108,750	107,743	1,169	162	1,331	-1,007	
Unique Farmland	19,482	19,480	267	265	532	-2	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>295,668</b>	<b>293,426</b>	<b>2,945</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>3,648</b>	<b>-2,242</b>	
Grazing Land	50,321	50,637	617	933	1,550	316	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>345,989</b>	<b>344,063</b>	<b>3,562</b>	<b>1,636</b>	<b>5,198</b>	<b>-1,926</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	11,847	12,581	9	743	752	734	
Other Land	29,722	30,914	574	1,766	2,340	1,192	
Water Area	1,883	1,883	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>389,441</b>	<b>389,441</b>	<b>4,145</b>	<b>4,145</b>	<b>8,290</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	9
Farmland of Statewide Importance	189
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>198</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>198</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	44
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>242</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	0	0	0	0	0	661	661	63	785	0	1,509
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	0	0	0	0	103	103	325	741	0	1,169
Unique Farmland	0	0	0	0	1	167	168	0	99	0	267
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>1,625</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,945</b>
Grazing Land	78	129	257	0	464	--	464	18	135	0	617
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>1,396</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>1,760</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,562</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0	3	0	0	3	0	3	--	6	0	9
Other Land	197	30	8	0	235	2	237	337	--	0	574
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>933</b>	<b>1,636</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>1,766</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,145</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.



**TABLE A-40**  
**TEHAMA COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
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Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	70,339	64,788	6,361	810	7,171	-5,551	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	19,565	17,336	2,429	200	2,629	-2,229	
Unique Farmland	20,244	18,773	2,318	847	3,165	-1,471	
Farmland of Local Importance	127,341	131,843	2,509	7,011	9,520	4,502	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>237,489</b>	<b>232,740</b>	<b>13,617</b>	<b>8,868</b>	<b>22,485</b>	<b>-4,749</b>	
Grazing Land	1,549,716	1,549,707	1,712	1,703	3,415	-9	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,787,205</b>	<b>1,782,447</b>	<b>15,329</b>	<b>10,571</b>	<b>25,900</b>	<b>-4,758</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	11,556	12,940	461	1,845	2,306	1,384	
Other Land	34,509	37,883	1,848	5,222	7,070	3,374	
Water Area	6,224	6,224	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,839,494</b>	<b>1,839,494</b>	<b>17,638</b>	<b>17,638</b>	<b>35,276</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	132
Farmland of Statewide Importance	12
Unique Farmland	4
Farmland of Local Importance	904
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,052</b>
Grazing Land	1,882
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,934</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	585
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>3,519</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2) (3)	to: 16	1	338	113	468	--	468	268	976	0	6,361
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)	to: 14	--	2	1,940	1,956	2	1,958	48	423	0	2,429
Unique Farmland (2) (3)	to: 43	5	--	99	147	1,134	1,281	13	1,024	0	2,318
Farmland of Local Importance (3)	to: 560	139	251	--	950	180	1,130	335	1,044	0	2,509
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>6,435</b>	<b>7,478</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>8,821</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>4,157</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13,617</b>
Grazing Land	to: 16	1	338	113	468	--	468	268	976	0	1,712
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>6,548</b>	<b>7,946</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>9,289</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>5,133</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15,329</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (4)	to: 45	7	4	155	211	161	372	--	89	0	461
Other Land	to: 132	38	233	308	711	199	910	938	--	0	1,848
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 810</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>7,011</b>	<b>8,868</b>	<b>1,703</b>	<b>10,571</b>	<b>1,845</b>	<b>5,222</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17,638</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report. Grazing Land increased relative to Farmland of Local Importance as a result of information on the extent of Grazing provided to FMMP by the Tehama County Cattlemen's Association, the US Forest Service, and the automated selection of qualifying soil units using SSURGO.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance and Grazing due to land left idle for three update cycles.

(3) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to distinguish low-density housing (ranchettes) widely dispersed throughout the county, as well as land left idle for three or more update cycles not qualifying for Local designation.

(4) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

**TABLE A-41**  
**TULARE COUNTY**  
**2002-2004 Land Use Conversion**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

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**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	387,620	384,388	3,550	318	3,868	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	345,763	339,579	6,604	420	7,024	-6,184	
Unique Farmland	12,746	12,525	280	59	339	-221	
Farmland of Local Importance	126,815	137,436	993	11,614	12,607	10,621	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>872,944</b>	<b>873,928</b>	<b>11,427</b>	<b>12,411</b>	<b>23,838</b>	<b>984</b>	
Grazing Land	440,550	440,618	27	95	122	68	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,313,494</b>	<b>1,314,546</b>	<b>11,454</b>	<b>12,506</b>	<b>23,960</b>	<b>1,052</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	52,213	53,928	268	1,983	2,251	1,715	
Other Land	215,506	212,739	5,427	2,660	8,087	-2,767	
Water Area	4,656	4,656	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>1,585,869</b>	<b>1,585,869</b>	<b>17,149</b>	<b>17,149</b>	<b>34,298</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	594
Farmland of Statewide Importance	80
Unique Farmland	10
Farmland of Local Importance	276
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>960</b>
Grazing Land	112
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,072</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	111
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>1,183</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: 0	2	32	1,623	1,657	1	1,658	1,331	561	0	3,550
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)(3)	to: 2	--	8	4,797	4,807	0	4,807	123	1,674	0	6,604
Unique Farmland	to: 0	0	--	1	1	94	95	9	176	0	280
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 179	301	0	--	480	0	480	295	218	0	993
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>6,421</b>	<b>6,945</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>7,040</b>	<b>1,758</b>	<b>2,629</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11,427</b>
Grazing Land	to: 0	0	12	0	12	--	12	1	14	0	27
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>6,421</b>	<b>6,957</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>7,052</b>	<b>1,759</b>	<b>2,643</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11,454</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (4)	to: 77	6	3	165	251	0	251	--	17	0	268
Other Land (5)	to: 60	111	4	5,028	5,203	0	5,203	224	--	0	5,427
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 318</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>11,614</b>	<b>12,411</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>12,506</b>	<b>1,983</b>	<b>2,660</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17,149</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance due to land left idle for three update cycles, and conversions to confined livestock facilities.

(3) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to distinguish low-density housing (ranchettes) widely dispersed throughout the county, as well as land left idle for three or more update cycles not qualifying for Local designation.

(4) Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land is the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries and delineation of a dairy at the site of a former water control facility.

(5) Conversion to Farmland of Local Importance due to newly identified grazing uses on soil units qualifying for Prime Farmland and Farmland of Statewide Importance that are located within Pixley National Wildlife Refuge.

TABLE A-42  
VENTURA COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	NET ACREAGE CHANGED	
Prime Farmland	47,877	47,192	843	158	1,001	-685	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	35,204	34,979	299	74	373	-225	
Unique Farmland	27,982	29,075	411	1,504	1,915	1,093	
Farmland of Local Importance	18,042	16,815	1,295	68	1,363	-1,227	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>129,105</b>	<b>128,061</b>	<b>2,848</b>	<b>1,804</b>	<b>4,652</b>	<b>-1,044</b>	
Grazing Land	198,372	198,087	957	672	1,629	-285	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>327,477</b>	<b>326,148</b>	<b>3,805</b>	<b>2,476</b>	<b>6,281</b>	<b>-1,329</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	99,789	101,841	19	2,071	2,090	2,052	
Other Land	124,746	124,023	1,497	774	2,271	-723	
Water Area	3,939	3,939	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>555,951</b>	<b>555,951</b>	<b>5,321</b>	<b>5,321</b>	<b>10,642</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	365
Farmland of Statewide Importance	182
Unique Farmland	142
Farmland of Local Importance	1,014
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,703</b>
Grazing Land	3,910
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>5,613</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	1,301
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>6,914</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (1)	to: --	0	156	49	205	0	205	556	82	0	843
Farmland of Statewide Importance (2)	to: 1	--	29	7	37	0	37	184	78	0	299
Unique Farmland	to: 3	0	--	9	12	88	100	90	221	0	411
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 108	52	35	--	195	577	772	162	361	0	1,295
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>992</b>	<b>742</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,848</b>
Grazing Land	to: 1	1	585	2	589	--	589	346	22	0	957
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1,038</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>1,703</b>	<b>1,338</b>	<b>764</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,805</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 0	0	9	0	9	0	9	--	10	0	19
Other Land	to: 45	21	690	1	757	7	764	733	--	0	1,497
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 158</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>1,504</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>1,804</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>2,476</b>	<b>2,071</b>	<b>774</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,321</b>

(1) Conversion to Unique Farmland due to delineation of potted plant nurseries throughout the county.

TABLE A-43  
YOLO COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACRES CHANGES				NET ACRES CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACRES CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	261,648	259,637	2,602	591	3,193	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	18,007	18,123	154	270	424	116	
Unique Farmland	54,586	53,157	2,180	751	2,931	-1,429	
Farmland of Local Importance	67,546	66,619	2,313	1,386	3,699	-927	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>401,787</b>	<b>397,536</b>	<b>7,249</b>	<b>2,998</b>	<b>10,247</b>	<b>-4,251</b>	
Grazing Land	143,263	145,227	343	2,307	2,650	1,964	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>545,050</b>	<b>542,763</b>	<b>7,592</b>	<b>5,305</b>	<b>12,897</b>	<b>-2,287</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	27,216	28,511	65	1,360	1,425	1,295	
Other Land	73,365	74,357	874	1,866	2,740	992	
Water Area	7,821	7,821	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>653,452</b>	<b>653,452</b>	<b>8,531</b>	<b>8,531</b>	<b>17,062</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACRES 2004
Prime Farmland	250
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	21
Farmland of Local Importance	473
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>744</b>
Grazing Land	122
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>866</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	675
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES REPORTED</b>	<b>1,541</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: 3	0	0	2	1,101	4	1,107	600	895	0	2,602
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 0	--	1	1	70	0	71	41	42	0	154
Unique Farmland (2)	to: 5	0	--	--	134	1,629	1,768	12	400	0	2,180
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 425	261	480	--	1,166	465	1,631	303	379	0	2,313
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>1,305</b>	<b>2,479</b>	<b>2,098</b>	<b>4,577</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>1,716</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,249</b>
Grazing Land	to: 3	0	130	48	181	--	181	41	121	0	343
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>2,660</b>	<b>2,098</b>	<b>4,758</b>	<b>997</b>	<b>1,837</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,592</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	to: 21	1	5	9	36	0	36	--	29	0	65
Other Land	to: 137	8	133	24	302	209	511	363	--	0	874
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACRES CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 591</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>1,386</b>	<b>2,998</b>	<b>2,307</b>	<b>5,305</b>	<b>1,360</b>	<b>1,866</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,531</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of an updated digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acres for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversions from Prime Farmland to Farmland of Local Importance and Unique Farmland to Grazing Land primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles. Approximately 1,200 acres of this land is now within the Yolo Bypass Wildlife Area and contains grazing leases.

TABLE A-44  
YUBA COUNTY  
2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Prime Farmland	43,618	42,678	1,202	262	1,464	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	11,293	11,094	207	8	215	-199	
Unique Farmland	34,267	33,108	1,594	435	2,029	-1,159	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>89,178</b>	<b>86,880</b>	<b>3,003</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>3,708</b>	<b>-2,298</b>	
Grazing Land	144,502	143,533	2,824	1,855	4,679	-969	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>233,680</b>	<b>230,413</b>	<b>5,827</b>	<b>2,560</b>	<b>8,387</b>	<b>-3,267</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	11,837	12,081	116	360	476	244	
Other Land	160,011	163,034	624	3,647	4,271	3,023	
Water Area	6,289	6,289	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>411,817</b>	<b>411,817</b>	<b>6,567</b>	<b>6,567</b>	<b>13,134</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	0
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	0
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	to: 1	1	5	0	6	697	703	21	478	0	1,202
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 0	--	0	0	0	33	33	2	172	0	207
Unique Farmland	to: 1	0	--	0	1	875	876	45	673	0	1,594
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>1,612</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>1,323</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,003</b>
Grazing Land (2)	to: 92	0	374	0	466	--	466	104	2,254	0	2,824
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>2,078</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>3,577</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,827</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (3)	to: 3	1	0	0	4	42	46	--	70	0	116
Other Land	to: 166	6	56	0	228	208	436	188	--	0	624
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>to: 262</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>1,855</b>	<b>2,560</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>3,647</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,567</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Other Land primarily due to the use of improved digital imagery to distinguish low-density housing (ranchettes) in the forested areas of the county.

(3) Conversion from Urban and Built-Up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

TABLE A-45  
**BUTTE COUNTY - INTERIM FARMLAND AREA**  
 2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
 Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004 (1)	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED	ACRES GAINED (+)	
Irrigated Farmland	247,007	245,475	3,017	1,485	4,502	-1,532	
Nonirrigated Farmland	6,648	5,448	1,288	88	1,376	-1,200	
<b>INTERIM FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>253,655</b>	<b>250,923</b>	<b>4,305</b>	<b>1,573</b>	<b>5,878</b>	<b>-2,732</b>	
Grazing Land	263,653	261,946	3,431	1,724	5,155	-1,707	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>517,308</b>	<b>512,869</b>	<b>7,736</b>	<b>3,297</b>	<b>11,033</b>	<b>-4,439</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	42,340	43,819	0	1,479	1,479	1,479	
Other Land	336,618	339,578	1,191	4,151	5,342	2,960	
Water Area	21,643	21,643	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>917,909</b>	<b>917,909</b>	<b>8,927</b>	<b>8,927</b>	<b>17,854</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Irrigated Farmland	0
Nonirrigated Farmland	0
<b>INTERIM FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Grazing Land	0
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	0
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>0</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Irrigated Farmland	Nonirrigated Farmland	Subtotal Interim Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Irrigated Farmland (2)	--	0	0	739	739	299	1,979	0	3,017
Nonirrigated Farmland	276	--	276	815	1,091	0	197	0	1,288
<b>INTERIM FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>1,830</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>2,176</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,305</b>
Grazing Land	689	88	777	--	777	679	1,975	0	3,431
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>2,607</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>4,151</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,736</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	0	0	--	0	0	0
Other Land	520	0	520	170	690	501	--	0	1,191
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1,485</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>1,573</b>	<b>1,724</b>	<b>3,297</b>	<b>1,479</b>	<b>4,151</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,927</b>

(1) Due to the availability of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, draft 2004 acreages for important Farmland categories are also available. Please refer to the additional documentation provided.

(2) Conversion to Other Land is characterized by farmland fallowed for three or more update cycles, primarily due to additions made to the refuge systems in the western and southern portions of the county and the addition of ranchettes throughout the county.

**BUTTE COUNTY - INTERIM FARMLAND AREA**

KERN COUNTY - IMPORTANT FARMLAND AREA

2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**PART I**  
**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002 (1)	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
Prime Farmland	526,524	518,804	9,431	1,711	11,142	-7,720	
Farmland of Statewide Importance	108,338	106,326	2,274	262	2,536	-2,012	
Unique Farmland	54,753	51,095	4,023	365	4,388	-3,658	
Farmland of Local Importance	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>689,615</b>	<b>676,225</b>	<b>15,728</b>	<b>2,338</b>	<b>18,066</b>	<b>-13,390</b>	
Grazing Land	904,760	911,708	2,061	9,009	11,070	6,948	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,594,375</b>	<b>1,587,933</b>	<b>17,789</b>	<b>11,347</b>	<b>29,136</b>	<b>-6,442</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	86,707	94,604	212	8,109	8,321	7,897	
Other Land	867,934	866,479	4,925	3,470	8,395	-1,455	
Water Area	976	976	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>2,549,992</b>	<b>2,549,992</b>	<b>22,926</b>	<b>22,926</b>	<b>45,852</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**  
**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Prime Farmland	2,775
Farmland of Statewide Importance	55
Unique Farmland	0
Farmland of Local Importance	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>2,830</b>
Grazing Land	225
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3,055</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	478
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>3,533</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Subtotal Important Farmland	Grazing Land	Total Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland (2)	to: --	0	2	0	2	4,632	4,634	3,757	1,040	0	9,431
Farmland of Statewide Importance	to: 1	--	0	0	1	962	963	626	685	0	2,274
Unique Farmland (2) (3)	to: 85	0	--	0	85	3,306	3,391	6	626	0	4,023
Farmland of Local Importance	to: 0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>IMPORTANT FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>8,900</b>	<b>8,988</b>	<b>4,389</b>	<b>2,351</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15,728</b>
Grazing Land (4)	to: 356	44	174	0	574	--	574	459	1,028	0	2,061
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>8,900</b>	<b>9,562</b>	<b>4,848</b>	<b>3,379</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17,789</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (5)	to: 80	0	5	0	85	36	121	--	91	0	212
Other Land (6)	to: 1,189	218	184	0	1,591	73	1,664	3,261	--	0	4,925
Water Area	to: 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>1,711</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,338</b>	<b>9,009</b>	<b>11,347</b>	<b>8,109</b>	<b>3,470</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22,926</b>

(1) Due to the incorporation of digital soil survey data (SSURGO) during this update, acreages for farmland, grazing and other land use categories may differ from those published in the 2000-2002 California Farmland Conversion Report.

(2) Conversion to Grazing and Other Land is primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles and the addition of new dairies.

(3) Conversion to Prime Farmland is due to the delineation of irrigated agriculture that had previously been mapped as potted plant nurseries.

(4) Conversion to Other Land is primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate low-density housing (ranchettes), mining areas, and oil field boundaries throughout the county.

(5) Conversion from Urban and Built-Up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.

(6) Conversion to Prime Farmland due to the addition of newly irrigated agriculture with notable additions on the Arvin, Little Buttes, and Rosamond quads.

**TABLE A-47**  
**KERN COUNTY - INTERIM FARMLAND AREA**  
 2002-2004 Land Use Conversion

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**PART I**

**County Summary and Change by Land Use Category**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE INVENTORIED		2002-04 ACREAGE CHANGES				NET ACREAGE CHANGED
	2002	2004	ACRES LOST (-)	ACRES GAINED (+)	TOTAL ACREAGE CHANGED		
	Irrigated Farmland	295,415	291,327	6,103	2,015	8,118	
Nonirrigated Farmland	2,428	2,013	433	18	451	-415	
<b>INTERIM FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>297,843</b>	<b>293,340</b>	<b>6,536</b>	<b>2,033</b>	<b>8,569</b>	<b>-4,503</b>	
Grazing Land	873,661	877,346	1,308	4,993	6,301	3,685	
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>1,171,504</b>	<b>1,170,686</b>	<b>7,844</b>	<b>7,026</b>	<b>14,870</b>	<b>-818</b>	
Urban and Built-up Land	26,512	27,225	272	985	1,257	713	
Other Land	1,464,509	1,464,614	2,160	2,265	4,425	105	
Water Area	8,865	8,865	0	0	0	0	
<b>TOTAL AREA INVENTORIED</b>	<b>2,671,390</b>	<b>2,671,390</b>	<b>10,276</b>	<b>10,276</b>	<b>20,552</b>	<b>0</b>	

**PART II**

**Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use**

LAND USE CATEGORY	TOTAL ACREAGE 2004
Irrigated Farmland	7
Nonirrigated Farmland	0
<b>INTERIM FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>7</b>
Grazing Land	453
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>460</b>
Urban and Built-up Land	0
Other Land	39
Water Area	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE REPORTED</b>	<b>499</b>

**PART III Land Use Conversion from 2002 to 2004**

LAND USE CATEGORY	Irrigated Farmland	Nonirrigated Farmland	Subtotal Interim Farmland	Grazing Land	Total		Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
					Agricultural Land	Urban and Built-up Land		
Irrigated Farmland (1)	--	18	18	4,507	36	1,542	0	6,103
Nonirrigated Farmland	62	--	62	371	0	0	0	433
<b>INTERIM FARMLAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>4,878</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1,542</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,536</b>
Grazing Land	626	0	626	--	144	538	0	1,308
<b>AGRICULTURAL LAND SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>4,878</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>2,080</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,844</b>
Urban and Built-up Land (2)	65	0	65	22	--	185	0	272
Other Land (3)	1,262	0	1,262	93	805	--	0	2,160
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0	--	0
<b>TOTAL ACREAGE CONVERTED</b>	<b>2,015</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2,033</b>	<b>4,993</b>	<b>985</b>	<b>2,265</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10,276</b>

- (1) Conversion to Grazing and Other Land is primarily due to land left idle for three or more update cycles and the addition of new dairies.
- (2) Conversion from Urban and Built-Up Land primarily the result of the use of improved digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.
- (3) Conversion to Irrigated Farmland due to the addition of newly irrigated agriculture in the interim portion of the county.