

**California Department of Conservation**

**Division of Land Resource Protection**

**Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program**

**Alternate Sierra Valley Area 2016-2018 Land Use Conversion**

**Table A-37**

Part 1: County Summary and Change by Land Use Category

Land Use Category	Total Acreage Inventoried 2016	Total Acreage Inventoried 2018	2016-18 Acres Lost (-)	2016-18 Acres Gained (+)	2016-18 Total Acreage Changed	2016-18 Net Acreage Changed
Prime Farmland	5,333	4,332	1,193	192	1,385	-1,001
Farmland of Statewide Importance	5,292	4,412	1,076	196	1,272	-880
Unique Farmland	2,422	2,587	134	299	433	165
Farmland of Local Importance	95,328	97,080	674	2,426	3,100	1,752
Important Farmland Subtotal	108,375	108,411	3,077	3,113	6,190	36
Grazing Land	79,982	79,900	142	60	202	-82
Agricultural Land Subtotal	188,357	188,311	3,219	3,173	6,392	-46
Urban and Built-up Land	1,033	909	126	2	128	-124
Other Land	8,383	8,553	25	195	220	170
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Area Inventoried	197,773	197,773	3,370	3,370	6,740	0

## Part 2: Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use

Data not available for Land Committed to Nonagricultural Use.

## Part 3: Land Use Conversion from 2016-2018

Due to the large size of this table, it has been split into two tables. Table One has the conversions of all land uses to the Important Farmland categories (Prime Farmland, Farmland of Statewide Importance, Unique Farmland, Farmland of Local Importance, and Important Farmland Subtotal) and Table Two has the conversions of all land uses to the remaining land use categories (Grazing Land, Agricultural Farmland Subtotal, Urban and Built-up Land, Other Land, Water Area, and Total Area Inventoried).

*Table One*

Land Use Category	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Important Farmland Subtotal
Prime Farmland (1)	no data	0	0	1,185	1,185
Farmland of Statewide Importance (1)	0	no data	0	1,074	1,074
Unique Farmland	0	0	no data	134	134
Farmland of Local Importance	192	169	299	no data	660
Important Farmland Subtotal	192	169	299	2,393	3,053
Grazing Land	0	27	0	23	50
Agricultural Land Subtotal	192	196	299	2,416	3,103
Urban and Built-up Land	0	0	0	6	6

Land Use Category	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Important Farmland Subtotal
Other Land	0	0	0	4	4
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0
Total Acreage Converted	192	196	299	2,426	3,113

Footnote (1): Prime Farmland and Farmland of Statewide Importance conversion to Farmland of Local Importance is primarily due to cropland, irrigated pasture or high-water table pasture that was nonirrigated or dry for three or more update cycles.

Table Two

Land Use Category	Grazing Land	Agricultural Land Subtotal	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Prime Farmland	7	1,192	0	1	0	1,193
Farmland of Statewide Importance	2	1,076	0	0	0	1,076
Unique Farmland	0	134	0	0	0	134
Farmland of Local Importance	8	668	0	6	0	674
Important Farmland Subtotal	17	3,070	0	7	0	3,077
Grazing Land	no data	50	1	91	0	142
Agricultural Land Subtotal	17	3,120	1	98	0	3,219
Urban and Built-up Land (2)	23	29	no data	97	0	126
Other Land	20	24	1	no data	0	25

Land Use Category	Grazing Land	Agricultural Land Subtotal	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Water Area	0	0	0	0	no data	0
Total Acreage Converted	60	3,173	2	195	0	3,370

Footnote (2): Conversion from Urban and Built-up Land is primarily due to a lack of sufficient infrastructure and the use of detailed digital imagery to delineate more distinct urban boundaries.