

California Department of Conservation

Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

**Alternate Tehama County 2016-2018 Land Use Conversion
Table A-43**

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	63,444	64,278	579	1,413	1,992	834
Farmland of Statewide Importance	19,716	20,337	155	776	931	621
Unique Farmland	22,063	22,930	506	1,373	1,879	867
Farmland of Local Importance	127,402	125,717	3,325	1,640	4,965	-1,685
Important Farmland Subtotal	232,625	233,262	4,565	5,202	9,767	637
Grazing Land	1,545,804	1,543,357	3,019	572	3,591	-2,447
Agricultural Land Subtotal	1,778,429	1,776,619	7,584	5,774	13,358	-1,810
Urban and Built-up Land	14,053	14,058	127	132	259	5
Other Land	41,536	43,334	189	1,987	2,176	1,798
Water Area	5,503	5,510	0	7	7	7
Total Area Inventoried	1,839,521	1,839,521	7,900	7,900	15,800	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	no data	0	0	526	526
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	no data	0	153	153
Unique Farmland	0	0	no data	136	136
Farmland of Local Importance (1)	1,339	763	185	no data	2,287
Important Farmland Subtotal	1,339	763	185	815	3,102
Grazing Land (2)	0	0	1,167	806	1,973
Agricultural Land Subtotal	1,339	763	1,352	1,621	5,075
Urban and Built-up Land	3	1	1	8	13
Other Land	71	12	20	11	114

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Water Area	0	0	0	0	0
Total Acreage Converted	1,413	776	1,373	1,640	5,202

Footnote (1): Farmland of Local Importance conversion to irrigated farmland is primarily due to the addition of irrigated orchards, vineyards and row crops.

Footnote (2): Conversion from Grazing Land to Unique farmland is primarily due to the addition of various types of row crops.

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	0	526	40	13	0	579
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	153	0	2	0	155
Unique Farmland	361	497	8	1	0	506
Farmland of Local Importance	146	2,433	9	883	0	3,325
Important Farmland Subtotal	507	3,609	57	899	0	4,565
Grazing Land (3)	no data	1,973	18	1,021	7	3,019
Agricultural Land Subtotal	507	5,582	75	1,920	7	7,584
Urban and Built-up Land (4)	47	60	no data	67	0	127

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Other Land	18	132	57	no data	0	189
Water Area	0	0	0	0	no data	0
Total Acreage Converted	572	5,774	132	1,987	7	7,900

Footnote (3): Grazing Land conversion to Other Land is primarily due to the delineation of low-density housing.

Footnote (4): 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.