

California Department of Conservation

Division of Land Resource Protection

Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

Alternate Santa Clara County 2016-2018 Land Use Conversion

Table A-34

Part 1: County Summary and Change by Land Use Category

Land Use Category	Total Acreage Inventoried 2016	Total Acreage Inventoried 2018	2016-18 (2) Acres Lost (-)	2016-18 (2) Acres Gained (+)	2016-18 (2) Total Acreage Changed	2016-18 (2) Net Acreage Changed
Prime Farmland	14,910	14,370	623	83	706	-540
Farmland of Statewide Importance	3,275	3,293	82	100	182	18
Unique Farmland	2,227	2,236	100	109	209	9
Farmland of Local Importance	5,581	25,063	179	19,661	19,840	19,482
Important Farmland Subtotal	25,993	44,962	984	19,953	20,937	18,969
Grazing Land	394,061	374,836	19,274	2	19,276	-19,272
Agricultural Land Subtotal	420,054	419,798	20,258	19,955	40,213	-303
Urban and Built-up Land	189,550	189,983	24	457	481	433
Other Land	217,634	217,657	238	106	344	-132
Water Area	7,993	7,773	0	2	2	2
Total Area Inventoried (1)	835,231	835,211	20,520	20,520	41,040	0

Footnote (1): Total Area Inventoried changed in 2018 due to adoption of updated county boundary file; adjacent counties gained or lost corresponding acreages. Statistics representing this change are shown in bottom cells in Part 3 of table.

Footnote (2): 2016-18 Acreage Changes calculates conversions within existing mapped area; county boundary adjustment acreages not included.

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	38	542	580
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	no data	3	75	78
Unique Farmland	0	0	no data	62	62
Farmland of Local Importance	48	91	2	no data	141
Important Farmland Subtotal	48	91	43	679	861
Grazing Land (3)	26	7	34	18,967	19,034

Land Use Category	Prime Farmland	Farmland of Statewide Importance	Unique Farmland	Farmland of Local Importance	Important Farmland Subtotal
Agricultural Land Subtotal	74	98	77	19,646	19,895
Urban and Built-up Land	2	0	0	3	5
Other Land	7	2	32	12	53
Water Area	0	0	0	0	0
Total Acreage Converted	83	100	109	19,661	19,953
2018 County Boundary Adjustment (1)	0	0	0	0	0

Footnote (1): Total Area Inventoried changed in 2018 due to adoption of updated county boundary file; adjacent counties gained or lost corresponding acreages.

Footnote (3): Conversions from Grazing Land to Farmland of Local Importance are due to the adoption of a revised Farmland of Local Importance definition and the assessment of land qualifying for Farmland of Local Importance.

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	580	27	16	0	623
Farmland of Statewide Importance	0	78	3	1	0	82
Unique Farmland	0	62	20	18	0	100

Land Use Category	Grazing Land	Agricultural Land Subtotal	Urban and Built-up Land	Other Land	Water Area	Total Converted To Another Use
Farmland of Local Importance	0	141	38	0	0	179
Important Farmland Subtotal	0	861	88	35	0	984
Grazing Land	no data	19,034	184	54	2	19,274
Agricultural Land Subtotal	0	19,895	272	89	2	20,258
Urban and Built-up Land	2	7	no data	17	0	24
Other Land	0	53	185	no data	0	238
Water Area	0	0	0	0	no data	0
Total Acreage Converted	2	19,955	457	106	2	20,520
2018 County Boundary Adjustment (1)	47	47	0	155	-222	-20

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