

Layer Name: Important Agricultural Lands
File Name: Imp_Ag_Lands
Layer Type: Polygon
Status: Updated Periodically
Geog. Extent: Main Hawaiian Islands
Projection/Datum: Universal Trans Mercator, Zone 4 (Meters); NAD 83 HARN

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Description: Lands Classified as Important Agricultural Lands by the State Land Use Commission. This layer depicts docketed petitions that established important Agricultural Lands (IAL). The Land Use Commission's designation of IAL is required to promote, conserve and protect agricultural lands, and assure the availability of agriculturally suitable lands. The polygons represent petitions to the Land Use Commission for declaratory orders designating lands as Important Agricultural Lands (IAL) pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") §§ 205-44 and -45 and Hawai'i Administrative Rules ("HAR") §§ 15-15-98, -99, -120, and -121.

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Source: Important Agricultural Lands boundaries were compiled by the State Land Use Commission. The Important Agricultural Lands depicted in these files are not official and are merely representations for presentation purposes only. An official designation of Important Agricultural Lands may be obtained through the State Land Use Commission. Updated by the Hawaii Statewide GIS Program, October, 2020 (added DR19-66, Haleiwa, Oahu).

Criteria for the classification of Important Agricultural Lands can be found in Chapter 205-44, Hawaii Revised Statutes:
(http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/hrscurrent/Vol04_Ch0201-0257/HRS0205/HRS_0205-0044.htm)

History: This dataset was created from maps obtained from various LUC Declaratory Ruling petitions. These petition documents can be found at <http://luc.hawaii.gov/completed-dockets/declaratory-orders-decisions-and-order/>.

Attributes: Polygons:

DOCKET_NO	LUC Docket Number
Acres	Acres

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