



**1998/99 Land Use of Australia Version 3**  
**Non-agricultural and interpretive agricultural land use**

**Land Use**

- 1 Conservation and Natural Environments
- 1.1 Nature conservation
  - 1.2 Managed resource protection
  - 1.3 Other minimal use

2 Production from Relatively Natural Environments

- 2.1 Grazing natural vegetation
- 2.2 Production forestry

3 Production from Dryland Agriculture and Plantations

- 3.1 Plantation forestry
- 3.2 Grazing modified pastures
- 3.3 Cropping
- 3.4 Perennial horticulture and 3.5 Seasonal horticulture

4 Production from Irrigated Agriculture and Plantations

- 4.2 Irrigated modified pastures
- 4.3 Irrigated cropping
- 4.4 Irrigated perennial horticulture and 4.5 Irrigated seasonal horticulture

**Legend**

5 Intensive Uses

- 5.0 Undifferentiated (predominantly 5.4.2 Rural residential)
- 5.4.1 Urban residential (includes other urban intensive uses)
- 5.8 Mining

6 Water

- 6.0 Undifferentiated (combines 6.1 Lake, 6.3 River, 6.5 Marsh/wetland and 6.6 Estuary/coastal waters)
- 6.2 Reservoir

Other

- Designated irrigation areas
- No data

**Notes**

- This is a summary map at approximately 1:5 million scale based on cell size 0.01 degrees.
- Agricultural land uses, both dryland and irrigated, allocated according to a method developed by the Bureau of Rural Sciences, using time series NOAA AVHRR satellite imagery data to spatially disaggregate agricultural census or survey data.
- Land use classified according to the Australian Land Use and Management Classification (ALUMC), Version 5 (2002). Secondary and tertiary land use class codes are shown as primary/secondary or primary/secondary/tertiary. The classification is available online at <http://www.daff.gov.au/> by searching for ALUMC.
- This map should be used in conjunction with the user guide and caveats available from the Bureau of Rural Sciences Data Manager, or by searching for "LAND USE OF AUSTRALIA, VERSION 3" at <http://adl.brs.gov.au>.

Scale 1:500,000,000



Datum GDA94; Albers Conic Equal-Area Projection

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