

Former use

Please add any information about the former land owner, former land use, and former land cover in this section.

Former land owner

Classification of the former land owner(s), i.e., the actor(s) holding ownership rights to the land prior to the land acquisition.

Selectable values from the drop-down list (multi-select)::

State — State-owned.

Private (smallholders) — Privately owned by smallholders.

Private (large-scale) — Privately owned by medium- or large-scale commercial operations.

Community — Owned collectively by a community.

Indigenous people — Owned collectively or individually by Indigenous Peoples under customary or traditional tenure arrangements regardless of their recognition.

Other — Any other type of former owner (specified in the comment).

Comment on former land owner

Additional context, clarifications, and/or discussion of conflicting information regarding the former land owner. Free text.

Former land use

Classification of the former land use(s) prior to the land acquisition.

Selectable values (self-explanatory) from the drop-down list (multi-select):

Commercial (large-scale) agriculture

Medium- to large-scale commercial farming operations.

Smallholder agriculture

Subsistence or small-scale farming by smallholders.

Shifting cultivation

Cultivation of land for a limited period, followed by abandonment and fallow/regeneration before reuse.

Pastoralism

Livestock grazing and rangeland use.

Hunting/Gathering

Use based on hunting, fishing, and/or gathering of natural resources like fire wood.

Forestry

Forest use (e.g. community use of the forest: collecting woods, fruits, hunting etc.), timber

extraction, or managed forest production.

Conservation

Land primarily used for conservation or designated protection.

Other

Any other type of former land use (specified in the comment).

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Former land cover

Classification of the former land cover prior to the land acquisition.

Selectable values from the drop-down list (multi-select):

Cropland

Forest land

Pasture

Shrub land/Grassland (Rangeland)

Marginal land

Wetland

Other land (e.g. developed land) – Any other land cover type (specified in comment)

Comment on former land cover

Additional context, clarifications, and/or discussion of conflicting information regarding the former land cover. Free text.

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