

California Forest Lands

Federal

State

Private

NEPA
(National Environmental Policy Act)

OWNED BY
Public

MANAGED BY
National Park Service
US Forest Service
Bureau of Land Management
US Fish and Wildlife Service

CEQA
(CA Environmental Quality Act)

OWNED BY
Public

MANAGED BY
State Parks
Cal Fire

CEQA
(CA Environmental Quality Act)

OWNED BY
Private entities

NPS
...for the benefit and enjoyment of the people.

USFS
...to protect the land, preserve water flow and provide timber.

USFW
...to conserve, protect and enhance fish, wildlife and plants and their habitats for the continuing benefit of the American people.

BLM
...to sustain the health, productivity and diversity of public lands for the enjoyment of the public.

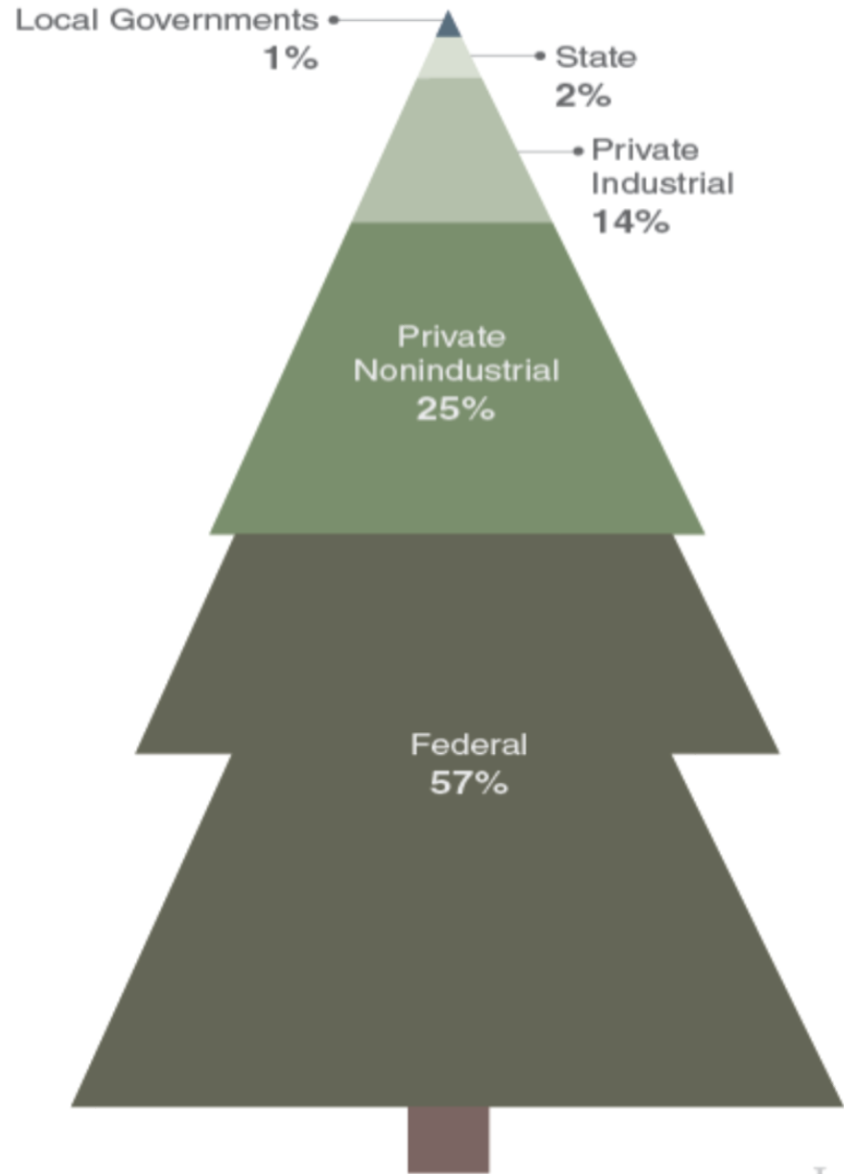
State Parks
...for the health, inspiration and education of the people...to preserve ...biological diversity, protecting ...natural and cultural resources, and creating opportunities for high-quality outdoor recreation.

Cal Fire
...emphasizes the management and protection of [CA] natural resources... through ongoing assessment and study of...natural resources and an extensive Resource Management Program.

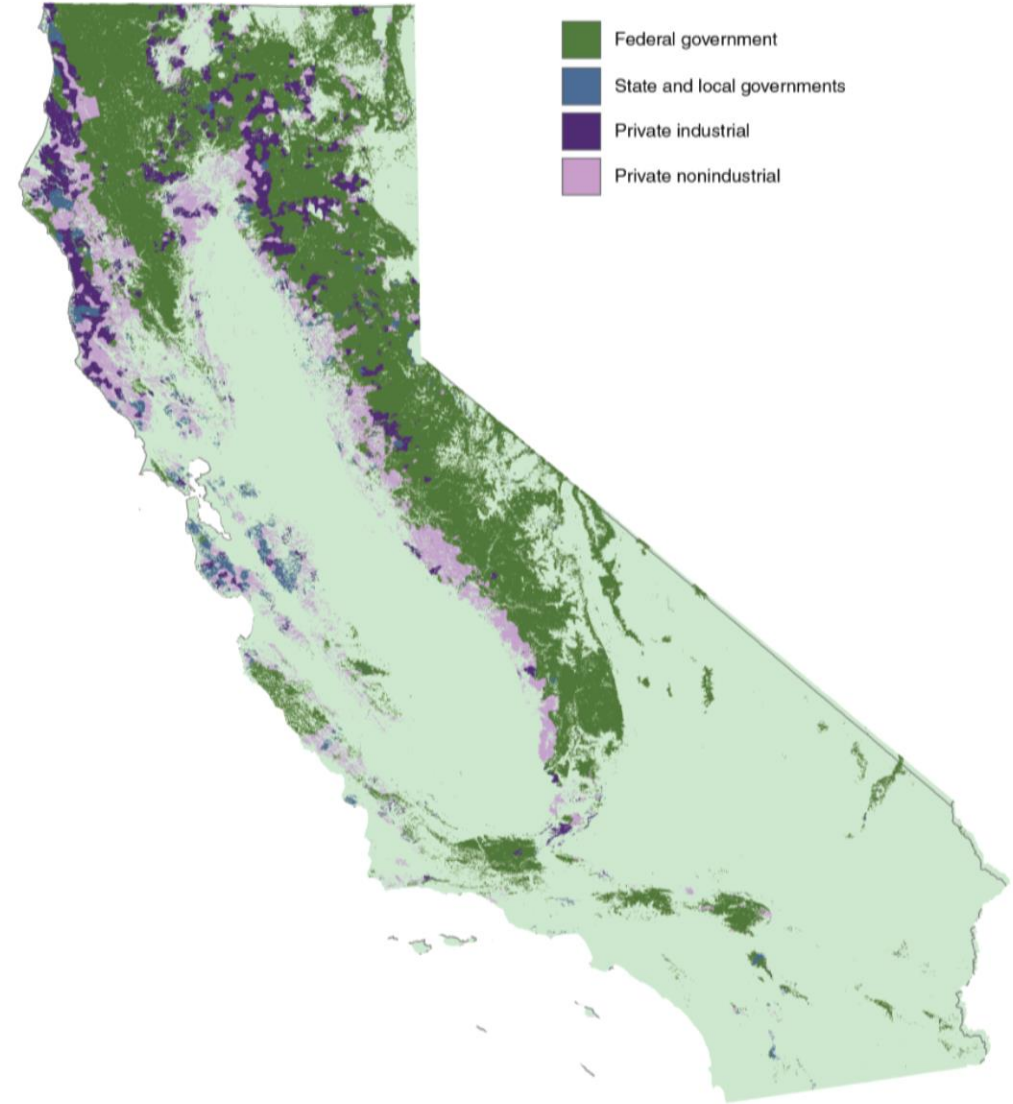
Industrial
(examples)
- SPI
- Green Diamond

Non-Industrial
(examples)
- Private Camps
- Family Land

Majority of Forestlands in California Owned by Federal Government



Patchwork of Owners Across California Forestlands



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