

1.4 Definitions

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Aerodrome means any defined area of land or water intended or designed to be used either wholly or partly for the landing, departure, and surface movement of aircraft where 10 or more flight movements take place in any calendar month, or where maximum LAFmax sound levels at any rural dwelling or living zone boundary do not exceed LAFmax 90 dB for daytime and LAFmax 70 dB at night time in accordance with NZS6807:1994 Noise Management and Land Use Planning for Helicopter Landing Areas; and includes any buildings, installations, and equipment on or adjacent to any such area used in connection with the aerodrome or its administration. For the avoidance of doubt, an aerodrome helicopter landing areas (sometimes referred to as heliports).

[...]

Commercial helicopter operations means the same as 'Aerodrome' with respect to helicopter operations.

[...]

Earthworks means any alteration to the land contour or disturbance of land including the deposition of cleanfill and the excavation and backfilling or recompaction of existing natural ground, but excludes:

1. Tilling or cultivation of soil for the establishment and maintenance of crops and pasture;
2. Harvesting of crops;
3. Domestic gardening;
4. Planting trees;
5. Digging post holes
6. Drilling bores
7. Digging of fall pits;
8. Digging silage pits;
9. Burying dead stock and plant waste; and
10. Installing and maintaining services such as water pipes and troughs.

[...]

Extractive industries means any activity where open or surface excavation of rock or other material deposits including gravel, rock, soil, clay, sand or peat is undertaken and removed from the site, and may include:

- blasting;
- processing minerals by crushing, screening, washing, or blending;
- storing and distributing mineral products;
- removing and depositing overburden;
- recycling or reusing aggregation from demolition waste such as concrete, masonry, or asphalt;

The removal of soil (including topsoil, sand and peat) from the site which is less than 100m³ in volume within any 10 year period is not included within the definition of extractive industries. Refer to the definition of earthworks and permitted activity standards for earthworks within Chapter 3 Natural Environment for more detail.

Comment [JK1]: Responds to Submission 219.1 Horticulture New Zealand.

Comment [JK2]: Responds to Submission 219.3 Horticulture New Zealand.

Comment [JK3]: Responds to Submission 219.5 Horticulture New Zealand and Submission 250.1 Federated Farmers of New Zealand.

Comment [MM4]: Responds to Submission 92.4 Winstone Aggregates.

Comment [MM5]: Responds to Submission 250.2 Federated Farmers of New Zealand.

Farming means land based activity, having as its primary purpose the commercial production of any livestock or vegetative matter, except as excluded below, and, unless the context otherwise requires, including cultivation agriculture, horticulture and viticulture.. For the purposes of this Plan, farming does not include the processing of farm produce beyond cutting, cleaning, grading, chilling, freezing, packaging and storage of produce grown on the land.

[...]

Highly versatile soils means soils that have a land use class of 1-111 of the NZ Land Resources Inventory Land Use Capability, DSIR. These soils are considered to be capable of growing a wide range of crops suited to the particular climate.

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Homestay means the commercial use of an existing residential unit for bed and breakfast accommodation, of no more than five guests.

[...]

Intensive farming (activities) means the confinement commercial raising and keeping of pigs, poultry, dairy and beef cattle, sheep, ferrets and other animals in yards, pens, feed lots, feed pads, bars or similar enclosures or buildings for periods in excess of 48 hours in any week and being sustained on supplementary feed while so confined. Intensive farming includes intensive pig farming.

[...]

Land Use Capability means in relation to soils a rating system which Rates land on scale from I –VIII where Arable land is rated I – IV. Class I is the most versatile multiple-use land with virtually no limitations to arable use (deep, well drained, fine textured, naturally fertile and flood free). Class II is very good land with slight limitations to arable use. Slight limitations include texture, structure, potential erosion, potential flooding).

[...]

Plantation forestry means land planted and or managed for commercial wood production, the preparation of land for planting and the extraction of timber, but does not include the milling or processing of timber. For the avoidance of doubt this definition includes land already planted. Plantation forestry includes exotic, or intensively managed, planted indigenous species.

[...]

Primary Production activities means the same as *farming* with the addition of *plantation forestry* and *extractive industries*. Primary production extracts or harvests products from the earth including raw materials and basic foods. Primary production activities include agriculture (both subsistence and commercial), horticulture, mining, forestry, farming, grazing, hunting and gathering, fishing, and quarrying.

[...]

Comment [JK6]: Responds to Submission 219.7 Horticulture New Zealand and Submission 250.3 Federated Farmers of New Zealand.

Comment [JK7]: Responds to Submission 219.18 Horticulture New Zealand.

Comment [JK8]: Responds to Submission 327.68 Waa Rata Estate.

Comment [JK9]: Responds to Submission 277.2 Poultry Industry Association & Egg Producers Federation of NZ and Submission 462.2 Wellington Fish and Game Council.

Comment [JK10]: Responds to Submission 219.10 Horticulture New Zealand.

Comment [JK11]: Responds to Submission 212.3 Quicksilver Enterprises Limited.

Comment [JK12]: Responds to Submission 219.13 Horticulture New Zealand.

~~Specialised soils means soils suited to growing specific horticultural crops such as grapes or olives which require stony soils less suited to other horticultural crops (for example grapes or olives).~~

Comment [JK13]: Responds to Submission 219.17 Horticulture New Zealand.