

Table D-2: Land Use Distribution by Town

2025 CEDS

Acres by Land Use Class						
Town/Area	Total Area	Developed	Agriculture	Forested	Undev / Wetlands	Water
East Kingston	100.0%	21.6%	8.6%	50.0%	18.1%	1.0%
Exeter	100.0%	32.2%	1.7%	44.1%	19.2%	1.9%
Greenland	100.0%	31.4%	6.0%	24.0%	17.5%	21.0%
Hampton	100.0%	40.8%	1.7%	17.6%	34.7%	5.2%
Hampton Falls	100.0%	21.1%	9.0%	36.1%	32.1%	2.0%
Kensington	100.0%	19.3%	15.0%	49.6%	15.4%	0.7%
New Castle	100.0%	24.8%	0.0%	7.4%	7.7%	60.2%
Newfields	100.0%	21.8%	5.2%	56.9%	14.1%	2.0%
Newington	100.0%	24.3%	4.9%	26.1%	12.1%	32.6%
Newmarket	100.0%	30.4%	7.8%	34.0%	15.5%	12.3%
North Hampton	100.0%	29.7%	2.8%	32.8%	34.0%	0.6%
Portsmouth	100.0%	51.6%	1.7%	17.0%	23.2%	7.3%
Rye	100.0%	29.9%	3.4%	26.8%	34.6%	5.2%
Seabrook	100.0%	45.5%	0.9%	14.5%	35.7%	3.2%
South Hampton	100.0%	13.2%	8.0%	52.9%	23.2%	2.7%
Stratham	100.0%	38.3%	10.2%	28.4%	20.5%	2.6%
CEDS Eastern Communities	100.0%	31.2%	5.5%	32.2%	23.2%	7.3%
Atkinson	100.0%	46.3%	4.0%	38.7%	8.5%	2.6%
Auburn	100.0%	15.6%	2.3%	62.3%	7.1%	12.7%
Brentwood	100.0%	24.2%	8.7%	46.6%	18.9%	1.7%
Candia	100.0%	13.5%	3.6%	75.4%	5.2%	2.4%
Chester	100.0%	12.8%	5.7%	71.8%	8.2%	1.5%
Danville	100.0%	26.3%	1.4%	47.9%	20.0%	4.4%
Deerfield	100.0%	9.0%	5.0%	77.6%	4.8%	3.5%
Epping	100.0%	21.4%	6.3%	53.0%	17.2%	2.0%
Fremont	100.0%	21.6%	3.9%	47.2%	25.1%	2.1%
Hampstead	100.0%	41.7%	0.6%	38.5%	13.5%	5.7%
Kingston	100.0%	26.8%	3.1%	35.9%	27.0%	7.3%
Newton	100.0%	32.6%	2.7%	40.7%	21.7%	2.4%
Northwood	100.0%	13.9%	3.5%	65.6%	9.6%	7.4%
Nottingham	100.0%	11.7%	1.5%	63.6%	18.5%	4.6%
Plaistow	100.0%	46.1%	1.5%	35.3%	16.4%	0.6%
Raymond	100.0%	24.8%	1.5%	60.1%	9.6%	4.0%
Sandown	100.0%	31.1%	1.9%	46.0%	16.3%	4.6%
CEDS Central Communities	100.0%	20.0%	3.5%	59.1%	12.9%	4.7%
Derry	100.0%	39.2%	4.8%	46.3%	6.2%	3.6%
Hudson	100.0%	71.0%	1.0%	0.0%	25.8%	2.1%
Litchfield	100.0%	56.0%	10.5%	0.0%	30.7%	2.6%
Londonderry	100.0%	41.4%	3.7%	42.3%	11.5%	1.2%
Merrimack	100.0%	67.9%	0.0%	0.0%	29.2%	3.1%
Nashua	100.0%	85.3%	0.5%	0.0%	11.4%	2.9%
Pelham	100.0%	63.1%	1.8%	0.0%	33.1%	2.2%
Salem	100.0%	55.5%	1.2%	25.8%	12.5%	4.9%
Windham	100.0%	37.6%	1.8%	49.0%	7.5%	4.7%
CEDS Western Communities	100.0%	56.8%	2.4%	20.4%	17.5%	3.0%
REDC CEDS Region	100.0%	34.0%	3.7%	45.7%	15.2%	4.7%
Hillsborough County (CEDS portion only)	100.0%	70.3%	1.9%	0.0%	25.3%	2.6%
Rockingham County	100.0%	27.2%	4.1%	54.3%	13.3%	5.1%

Rockingham Planning Commission and Strafford Regional Planning Commission: the photos used for determining land use classification were taken in 2022 and mapped in 2024.

Southern Regional Planning Commission: the photos used for determining land use classification were taken in 2010 and mapped in 2012.