

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Acronym	Definition
AB	Assembly Bill
ACS	American Community Survey
APG	Adaptation Planning Guide
APN	Assessor Parcel Numbers
AQI	Air Quality Index
BAM	Best Available Map
BCEGS	Building Code Effectiveness Grading Schedule
BLM	Bureau of Land Management
BRACE	Building Resilience Against Climate Effects
BRIC	Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities
CAC	Community Assistance Contact
CAISO	California Independent System Operator
CBC	California Building Code
Cal DWR	California Department of Water Resources
Cal OES	California Office of Emergency Services
CAS	Climate Adaptation Strategy
CAV	Community Assistance Visit
CCHPR	Climate Change and Health Profile Report
CCSM3	Community Climate System Model Version 3
CDAA	California Disaster Assistance Act
CDC SVI	Center for Disease Control Social Vulnerability Index
CDFA	California Department of Food and Agriculture
CDFW	California Department of Fish and Wildlife
CDPH	California Department of Health
CEQA	California Environmental Quality Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CFS	Cubic Feet per Second
CGS	California Geological Survey
CNNDDB	California Natural Diversity Database
CNPS	California Native Plant Society
CNRA	California Natural Resource Agency
CPUC	California Public Utilities Commission
CRS	Community Rating System
CRV	Contents Replacement Values
CVP	Central Valley Project

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DAC	Disadvantaged Community Status
DFIRM	Digital Flood Insurance Rate Map
DMA	Disaster Mitigation Act
DSOD	Division of Safety of Dams
EF	Enhanced Fujita
EOP	Emergency Operations Plan
ESF	Emergency Support Function
F	Fujita
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
FHSZ	Fire Hazard Severity Zones
FIRM	Flood Insurance Rate Map
FIS	Flood Insurance Study
FMA	Flood Mitigation Assistance
FMMP	Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program
FRA	Federal Responsibility Area
FRAP	Fire and Resource Assessment Program
GFDL	Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory
GHG	Greenhouse Gas
GIS	Geographic Information Systems
GRASP	Geospatial Research, Analysis & Services Program
HMGP	Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
HMPC	Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee
IBC	International Building Code
ICC	Increased Cost of Compliance
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IRC	International Residential Code
IRWM	Integrated Regional Water Management
LAFCO	Local Agency Formation Commission
LOMA	Letter of Map Amendment
LOMR	Letter of Map Revision
LHMP	Local Hazard Mitigation Plan
LRA	Local Responsibility Area
MERS	Middle East Respiratory Syndrome
MHDP	Multi-Hazards Demonstration Project
MHI	Median Household Income
MMI	Modified Mercalli Intensity

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MPH	Miles Per Hour
MSL	Mean Sea Level
MW	Megawatts
NCDC	National Climactic Data Center
NDMC	National Drought Mitigation Center
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NFIP	National Flood Insurance Program
NIDIS	National Integrated Drought Information System
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NPS	National Park Service
NWS	National Weather Service
OES	Yuba County Office of Emergency Services
OHP	Office of Historic Preservation
PA	Public Assistance
PDM	Pre-Disaster Mitigation
PG&E	Pacific Gas and Electric
PM	Particulate Matter
PNAS	Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences
PSPS	Public Safety Power Shutoff
RCP	Representative Concentration Pathways
RL	Repetitive Loss
SAC-SJ	Sacramento-San Joaquin
SB	Senate Bill
SBA	Small Business Administration
SDAC	Severely Disadvantaged Community
SFHA	Special Flood Hazard Area
SGMA	Sustainable Groundwater Management Act
SH	State Highway
SR	State Route
SRA	State Responsibility Area
SRL	Severe Repetitive Loss
SWP	State Water Project
UBC	Uniform Building Code
UCERF	Uniform California Earthquake Rupture Forecast
ULOP	Urban Level of Flood Protection
URM	Unreinforced masonry
USACE	US Army Corps of Engineers

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USDA	US Department of Agriculture
USFS	US Forest Service
USFWS	US Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	US Geological Survey
WHO	World Health Organization
WSOC	Wildfire Safety Operations Center
WRCC	Western Regional Climate Center
WUI	Wildland Urban Interface