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Appendix

Land-Based Classification Standards Color Codes for Activity and Function

This appendix identifies the color coding established by the Land-Based Classification Standards (LBCS) Project of the American Planning Association. Included are the color codes used for Activity and Function.

LBCS provides a consistent classification methodology for land uses. LBCS is for planners and others working with land-use information, whether it is for public or private sector, either as consumers or producers of land-use data.

Where to start?

The *Standards* at www.planning.org/lbcs/ will help you begin. The website hosts the entire classification standards for land-






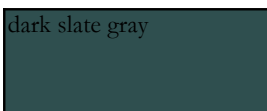
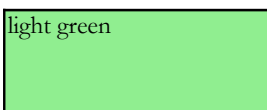
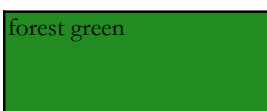
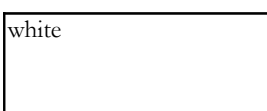
based data. Standards include classification tables, color coding schemes, conversion tables, and an extensive database of over 18,000 land-use terms and 120,000 cross-links with the classification schemes. They also have a growing collection of pictures of land uses. Though not comprehensive, they nevertheless show how the multi-dimensional classification works. Augmenting this collection, they also have 104 other land-use standards along with background project materials, including working papers, references, links to other online resources, and contact information.

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LBCS Color Codes for 1-Digit Level Coding

Activity

Red, Green, Blue Values	Color*	LBCS Code
RGB(255,255,0) RGBHex(FF00FF)	yellow 	1000 Residential activities
RGB(255,0,0) RGBHex(FF0000)	red 	2000 Shopping, business, or trade activities
RGB(160,32,240) RGBHex(A0F020)	purple 	3000 Industrial, manufacturing, and waste-related activities
RGB(0,0,255) RGBHex(00FF00)	blue 	4000 Social, institutional, or infrastructure-related activities
RGB(190,190,190) RGBHex(BEBEBE)	gray 	5000 Travel or movement activities
RGB(47,79,79) RGBHex(2F4F4F)	dark slate gray 	6000 Mass assembly of people
RGB(144,238,144) RGBHex(9090EE)	light green 	7000 Leisure activities
RGB(34,139,34) RGBHex(2228B)	forest green 	8000 Natural resources-related activities
RGB(255,255,255) RGBHex(FFFFFF)	white 	9000 No human activity or unclassifiable activity





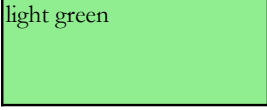

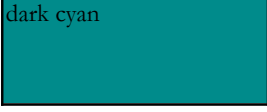
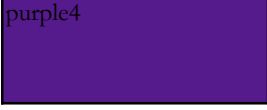
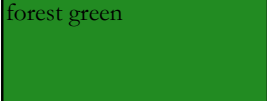
*Specify the RGB (red, green, blue) values, instead of relying on color names, for consistent reproduction of colors on a printer, plotter, or computer screen. Using RGB values can sometimes avoid differences in how software and hardware render colors. Some colors, no matter what, differ how they look on screen from their printed version. Also, if you are reviewing this document on a computer screen, note that some software (web browsers, for example) limit the number of colors displayed. If your software can only accept hexadecimal values, as many GIS and plotting software do, then use the corresponding RGBHex value. For CMYK values and other color coding details, check the LBCS website.

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Function

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RGB(255,255,0) RGBHex(FF00FF)	yellow 	1000 Residence or accommodation functions
RGB(255,0,0) RGBHex(FF0000)	red 	2000 General sales or services
RGB(160,32,240) RGBHex(A0F020)	purple 	3000 Manufacturing and wholesale trade
RGB(190,190,190) RGBHex(BEBEBE)	gray 	4000 Transportation, communication, information, and utilities
RGB(144,238,144) RGBHex(9090EE)	light green 	5000 Arts, entertainment, and recreation
RGB(0,0,255) RGBHex(00FF00)	blue 	6000 Education, public admin., health care, and other inst.
RGB(0,139,139) RGBHex(008B8B)	dark cyan 	7000 Construction-related businesses
RGB(85,26,139) RGBHex(558B00)	purple4 	8000 Mining and extraction establishments
RGB(34,139,34) RGBHex(22228B)	forest green 	9000 Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting

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