

Brief Program Activities Update

Industrial Hemp Advisory Board Meeting

December 16, 2021

Current Registration – 12/10/2021

Registration Type	Counties	Registrants	Registered Sites	Registered Acreage
Grower	32	254	363	5,892
Breeders	10	13	23	262
Total	32	267	386	6,154

- Counties with the most registrants
 - San Bernardino (71 registrants)
 - San Diego (33 registrants)
- Counties with the most registered acres
 - Fresno (1,219 acres)
 - San Bernardino (1,197 acres)



A monthly registration summary is available on CDFA's Industrial Hemp Program webpage.

Rulemaking Update

California Code of Regulations Section(s)	Type of Rulemaking	Description	Status	Effective Date
4901-4902	Regular	Registration and Criminal History Report	Adopted	09/21/21
4940, 4944, 4946	Emergency	Timeframes for Pre-harvest notification, sampling, laboratory notification, and harvest	Adopted	04/09/21
4940, 4944, 4946	Regular	Timeframes for Pre-harvest notification, sampling, laboratory notification, and harvest	Under OAL review	
4900	Regular	Registration Fee	Under Development	
4920-4921	Exempt	Approved Cultivar	IHAB approved amendments on 11/18/2021.	

A copy of the California industrial hemp law and regulations is available on the CDFA Hemp webpage, while proposed regulations are available on CDFA PHPPS Regulations webpage.

Additional Program Activities

- Advertise 2 board member vacancies
- Review and approval of testing laboratories, as of December 10, 2021
 - 20 laboratories have been approved
 - 9 laboratories are still pending approval
- Fill vacant positions
- Continue to collaborate with county agricultural commissioners on administering and enforcing the program
- Update online information including FAQs, forms, and templates.
- Respond to public inquiries