**Table S1** – Original and harmonised land cover categories.

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| **Harmonised land use category** | **Original land use category** |
| Forest | * 22 Montane Forest
* 21 Sub-montane forest
* 20 Lowland Forest
* 23 Upper-montane forest
 | * 11 Mangrove forest
* 15 Plantation Forest
* 27 Teak plantation
* 26 Rubber plantation
 |
| Savanna spectrum | * 5 Closed Woodland
* 0.5\*(19 Woodland with scattered cropland)
* 3 Bushland
* 0.5\*(4 Bushland with scattered cropland)
* 7 Forest mosaic
 | * 13 Open Woodland
* 8 Grassland
* 14 Permanent Swamp
* 0.5\*(9 Grassland with scattered cropland)
 |
| Crop | * 24 Sisal plantation
* 25 Tea plantation
* 6 Cultivation
* 0.5\*(19 Woodland with scattered cropland)
* 0.5\*(9 Grassland with scattered cropland)
 | * 0.5\*(4 Bushland with scattered cropland)
* 28 Rice plantation
* 29 Monocrop unspecified
* 3 Sugarcane plantation
 |
| Other | * 1 Unclassified
* 2 Bare Soils
* 10 Ice
* 12 Ocean
 | * 16 Rock outcrops
* 17 Urban Area
* 18 Water
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