

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—ALABAMA

STATE TABLE 10.—AGE OF FARM OPERATOR AND YEAR OF OCCUPANCY, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: 1910 TO 1940

ITEM (For definitions and explanations, see text)	TOTAL	OWNERS				Managers	TENANTS				
		All owners	Full owners	Part owners			All tenants	Cash	Share cash	Share	Croppers
AGE OF FARM OPERATORS											
Operators reporting age.....number..1940..	220,932	91,402	77,170	14,232	363	129,167	37,775	1,067	34,642	38,631	
1930..	251,353	86,432	73,515	14,917	564	162,357	47,814	(1)	(1)	63,241	
1920..	253,671	106,151	94,717	11,434	730	146,790	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	262,261	103,790	87,470	16,320	634	157,837	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
Under 25 years.....number..1940..	13,804	1,843	1,571	272	13	11,948	2,203	63	3,415	5,066	
1930..	26,687	2,299	1,817	482	30	24,358	4,236	(1)	(1)	12,994	
1920..	22,640	3,626	3,018	608	54	18,960	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	28,117	4,238	3,294	1,004	47	23,832	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
25 to 34 years.....number..1940..	45,667	11,142	9,077	2,065	88	34,437	8,402	261	10,575	11,494	
1930..	50,016	10,251	8,161	2,090	96	39,669	9,306	(1)	(1)	17,779	
1920..	54,643	17,228	14,871	2,357	181	37,234	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	66,880	20,535	16,407	4,128	169	46,176	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
35 to 44 years.....number..1940..	68,486	18,256	14,707	3,549	91	30,139	8,703	268	8,314	9,120	
1930..	52,556	19,095	15,211	3,884	180	33,281	10,076	(1)	(1)	12,068	
1920..	58,481	25,428	22,364	3,064	195	32,688	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	59,586	24,240	19,833	4,407	157	35,189	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
45 to 54 years.....number..1940..	50,578	24,189	19,998	4,191	94	26,285	8,702	249	6,535	6,986	
1930..	64,345	25,889	21,038	4,851	126	38,330	13,227	(1)	(1)	12,933	
1920..	61,685	27,304	24,131	3,173	164	34,197	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	57,201	26,780	22,680	4,100	131	30,290	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
55 to 64 years.....number..1940..	37,822	20,747	17,951	2,796	54	17,021	5,984	169	4,089	4,035	
1930..	36,511	18,433	15,821	2,612	103	17,975	7,102	(1)	(1)	5,209	
1920..	34,407	19,432	17,899	1,533	72	14,903	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	33,359	18,477	16,441	2,036	93	14,789	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
65 years and over.....number..1940..	24,575	15,225	13,866	1,359	23	9,327	3,781	57	1,714	1,890	
1930..	21,238	12,465	11,467	998	29	8,744	3,867	(1)	(1)	2,258	
1920..	21,815	13,133	12,414	719	44	8,638	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	17,118	9,520	8,875	645	37	7,561	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
Average age of all operators.....years..1940..	45.4	50.4	50.9	47.5	43.9	41.8	44.6	42.9	40.2	39.3	
White operators.....years..1940..	44.9	49.8	50.4	46.0	43.6	39.8	42.5	41.5	39.2	37.7	
Nonwhite operators.....years..1940..	46.5	53.5	54.1	51.6	50.4	44.5	46.7	44.9	45.1	41.2	
Operators not reporting age.....number..1940..	10,814	3,705	3,133	572	52	7,057	1,802	40	1,412	2,739	
1930..	6,042	1,940	1,629	311	39	4,063	893	(1)	(1)	1,893	
1920..	2,428	838	831	107	11	1,479	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1910..	640	139	119	20	12	489	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
YEAR OF OCCUPANCY REPORTED APR. 1, 1940											
All operators reporting year of occupancy.....number.....	212,230	86,464	72,948	13,516	366	125,400	36,228	1,048	33,626	38,006	
Reporting..1940 (Under 3 mo.).....number.....	29,047	3,204	2,580	624	47	25,796	5,621	226	7,634	10,198	
1939.....number.....	25,640	4,550	3,683	867	62	21,028	5,500	150	6,306	7,001	
1938.....number.....	19,833	4,382	3,562	800	52	15,399	4,087	107	4,367	5,034	
1937.....number.....	16,271	4,811	3,952	859	27	11,433	3,178	99	3,117	3,519	
1936.....number.....	12,742	4,366	3,569	797	26	8,348	2,439	83	2,320	2,385	
1931 to 1935.....number.....	36,866	14,558	12,011	2,547	70	22,238	7,359	164	5,364	5,661	
1926 to 1930.....number.....	23,184	12,870	10,725	2,145	41	10,273	3,575	86	2,403	2,338	
1900 to 1925.....number.....	45,761	35,131	30,418	4,713	36	10,584	4,315	132	2,980	1,661	
1899 or earlier.....number.....	2,896	2,592	2,428	164	3	301	154	1	35	21	
Average year of occupancy of all operators.....year.....	1930	1925	1924	1927	1933	1935	1933	1934	1935	1936	
White operators.....year.....	1931	1925	1924	1928	1934	1936	1936	1936	1936	1937	
Nonwhite operators.....year.....	1930	1923	1922	1925	1930	1933	1931	1932	1932	1935	
Not reporting year of occupancy.....number.....	19,516	8,643	7,355	1,288	49	10,624	3,349	59	2,428	3,362	
YEARS ON FARM, JAN. 1, 1935; APR. 1, 1930; JAN. 1, 1925 AND 1920											
All operators reporting.....number..1935..	269,283	95,036	80,275	14,761	445	173,802	(1)	(1)	(1)	67,076	
1930..	249,588	86,914	72,189	14,725	558	162,116	47,441	(1)	(1)	63,545	
1925..	233,034	91,254	(1)	(1)	437	141,343	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	245,729	104,756	93,614	11,142	717	140,256	44,515	406	37,248	44,857	
Reporting..under 1 year.....number..1935..	77,071	7,611	6,172	1,439	109	69,351	(1)	(1)	(1)	28,829	
1930..	61,011	5,964	4,630	1,334	126	54,921	9,370	(1)	(1)	28,431	
1925..	58,869	6,325	(1)	(1)	108	51,836	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	33,851	7,037	6,011	1,026	118	26,696	4,687	68	9,909	10,812	
3 mo. or less.....number..1930..	45,312	3,729	2,855	874	82	41,501	7,242	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1 year.....number..1935..	24,442	3,748	2,978	770	36	20,658	(1)	(1)	(1)	8,574	
1930..	36,014	5,685	4,351	1,234	79	30,350	7,473	(1)	(1)	13,346	
1925..	27,528	4,642	(1)	(1)	60	22,826	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	46,541	10,519	8,709	1,810	148	35,874	9,097	118	10,415	13,952	
2 to 4 years.....number..1935..	51,198	12,864	10,454	2,410	114	38,220	(1)	(1)	(1)	14,836	
1930..	47,899	12,011	9,536	2,475	121	35,767	11,986	(1)	(1)	12,391	
1925..	52,257	16,013	(1)	(1)	118	36,126	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	59,600	16,786	14,134	2,652	233	42,581	14,460	93	10,291	13,483	
2 years.....number..1935..	18,533	3,846	3,113	733	47	14,640	(1)	(1)	(1)	5,834	
3 years.....number..1935..	14,562	3,695	2,953	742	25	10,842	(1)	(1)	(1)	4,167	
4 years.....number..1935..	18,103	5,323	4,388	935	42	12,738	(1)	(1)	(1)	4,835	
5 to 9 years.....number..1935..	40,192	17,502	14,488	3,014	77	22,613	(1)	(1)	(1)	7,700	
1930..	36,900	14,946	12,085	2,861	111	21,843	8,990	(1)	(1)	5,259	
1925..	38,356	20,516	(1)	(1)	88	17,752	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	37,173	18,957	16,775	2,182	127	18,089	7,641	50	3,968	3,965	
10 to 14 years.....number..1935..	25,154	14,391	12,033	2,358	48	10,715	(1)	(1)	(1)	3,053	
1930..	24,012	14,228	11,728	2,499	61	9,723	4,573	(1)	(1)	1,833	
1925..	14,521	10,126	(1)	(1)	25	4,370	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
15 years and over.....number..1935..	51,226	38,020	34,150	4,770	61	12,245	(1)	(1)	(1)	2,984	
1930..	43,752	34,180	29,858	4,322	60	9,512	5,049	(1)	(1)	1,285	
1925..	41,503	33,032	(1)	(1)	38	8,433	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	68,564	51,457	47,985	3,472	91	17,016	8,630	77	2,665	2,615	
Not reporting years on farm.....number..1935..	4,172	1,656	1,349	307	71	2,445	(1)	(1)	(1)	898	
1930..	7,807	3,458	2,955	503	45	4,304	1,266	(1)	(1)	1,589	
1925..	4,597	1,694	(1)	(1)	11	2,892	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
1920..	10,370	2,333	1,934	399	24	8,013	1,979	24	2,531	3,040	

¹ Not available.

² 5 to 10 years inclusive.

³ 11 to 14 years inclusive.

⁴ 10 years and over.