

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE: 1940

TABLE 10.—FARM OPERATORS BY TENURE, AND BY COLOR, APRIL 1, 1940, AND OPERATORS REPORTING OCCUPANCY BEGINNING IN EITHER 1939 OR 1940; CLASSIFIED BY TOTAL VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS,¹ 1939; FOR THE APPALACHIAN REGION²

[Bold face figures are the 1940 Census recorded totals for all farms; all other entries are based upon a 2-percent sample of the reports for the individual farms, expanded and adjusted to agree with the recorded totals]

VALUE GROUP	ALL FARM OPERATORS	FARM OPERATORS BY TENURE ³					FARM OPERATORS BY COLOR				FARM OPERATORS REPORTING OCCUPANCY BEGINNING IN 1939 OR 1940	
		Number		Percent distribution of farms in each value group by tenure of operator			Number		Percent distribution of farms in each value group by color of operators		Number	Percent of all operators
		Owners and managers	All tenants	All farm operators	Owners and managers	All tenants	White ⁴	Nonwhite ⁴	White ⁴	Nonwhite ⁴		
All groups.....	1,052,954	676,233	376,721	100.0	64.2	35.8	923,403	129,551	87.7	12.3	168,025	16.0
Unclassified farms.....	5,210	*2,065	3,145	100.0	*39.6	60.4	4,539	*671	87.1	*12.9	3,738	71.7
Farms with no products sold, traded, or used.....	13,201	7,531	5,670	100.0	57.0	43.0	11,898	*1,303	90.1	*9.9	7,248	54.9
Classified farms, total.....	1,034,543	666,637	367,906	100.0	64.4	35.6	906,966	127,577	87.7	12.3	157,039	15.2
\$1 to \$99.....	64,242	43,153	21,089	100.0	67.2	32.8	53,706	10,536	83.6	16.4	14,848	23.1
\$100 to \$249.....	192,535	127,481	65,054	100.0	66.2	33.8	169,959	22,576	88.3	11.7	35,096	18.2
\$250 to \$399.....	186,328	124,610	61,718	100.0	66.9	33.1	164,629	21,699	88.4	11.6	26,810	14.4
\$400 to \$599.....	180,493	115,650	64,943	100.0	64.1	35.9	156,460	24,033	86.7	13.3	27,319	15.1
\$600 to \$749.....	92,124	59,323	33,801	100.0	63.3	36.7	80,279	11,865	87.1	12.9	13,242	14.4
\$750 to \$999.....	101,980	61,002	40,978	100.0	59.8	40.2	87,413	14,567	85.7	14.3	14,381	14.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	105,198	62,310	42,888	100.0	59.2	40.8	91,741	13,457	87.2	12.8	14,136	13.4
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	46,757	29,456	17,901	100.0	63.0	37.0	41,563	5,194	88.9	11.1	5,071	10.8
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	23,755	15,804	7,951	100.0	66.5	33.5	21,533	*2,222	90.6	*9.4	*2,495	*10.5
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....	25,215	16,520	8,695	100.0	65.5	34.5	23,994	*1,231	95.1	*4.9	*2,908	*11.5
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....	8,667	6,549	*2,118	100.0	75.6	*24.4	8,540	*127	98.5	*1.5	*478	*5.6
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	4,598	3,422	*1,176	100.0	74.4	*25.6	4,520	*78	98.3	*1.7	*152	*3.3
\$10,000 and over.....	2,651	2,357	294	100.0	88.9	11.1	2,639	12	99.5	0.5	*98	*3.7

¹Value of farm products sold, traded, or used by farm households. ²Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky, and Tennessee. ³Figures for full owners, part owners, managers, croppers, and all other tenants not available. ⁴"White" includes Mexicans; "nonwhite" includes Negroes, Indians, Chinese, Japanese, and all other nonwhite races. *Figures marked with asterisks have a coefficient of variation of approximately 10 percent or more, and may, therefore, be subject to sampling errors greatly in excess of that amount. See text.

TABLE 11.—NUMBER OF FARMS, 1940, CROSS-CLASSIFIED BY MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME AND TOTAL VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS,¹ 1939; FOR THE APPALACHIAN REGION²

[Bold face figures are the 1940 Census recorded totals for all farms; all other entries are based upon a 2-percent sample of the reports for the individual farms, expanded and adjusted to agree with the recorded totals. For State figures showing the cross-classification of number of farms value of farm products by major source groups and value subgroups of "\$10,000 and over," see chapter V, table 4]

VALUE GROUP	ALL CLASSIFIED FARMS ³	FARMS WITH MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME FROM LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS					FARMS WITH MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME FROM CROPS AND FOREST PRODUCTS					Farms with farm products used by farm households as major source of income (subsistence farms)	
		Total	Livestock farms	Dairy farms	Poultry farms	Other livestock products farms	Total	Field crop farms	Vegetable farms	Fruit and nut farms	Horticultural specialty farms		Forest products farms
Classified farms, total..	1,034,543	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
\$1 to \$99.....	64,242	94,047	57,195	20,803	15,396	653	395,709	378,720	5,717	5,722	1,062	4,488	544,787
\$100 to \$249.....	192,535	*1,826	*761	*252	*754	*31	5,311	*4,707	*50	*299	*....	*325	57,103
\$250 to \$399.....	186,328	4,803	*2,543	*604	*1,597	*59	26,342	24,878	*509	*361	*....	*574	161,390
\$400 to \$599.....	180,493	6,242	*4,127	*811	*1,304	*....	41,336	39,439	*1,028	*427	*57	*365	138,760
\$600 to \$749.....	92,124	11,375	6,784	*2,276	*2,244	*71	62,757	61,319	*645	*341	*10	*442	106,361
\$750 to \$999.....	101,980	8,279	4,809	*1,784	*1,630	*56	46,337	45,113	*465	*434	*129	*196	37,508
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	105,198	13,662	9,357	*2,694	*1,512	*99	59,792	57,787	*627	*720	*82	*576	28,526
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	46,757	17,113	10,932	*3,536	*2,552	*93	75,266	72,384	*973	*1,164	*40	*705	12,819
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	23,755	10,002	6,429	*2,404	*1,110	*59	34,871	33,433	*526	*496	*167	*247	*1,864
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....	25,215	5,950	*3,880	*1,052	*955	*60	17,415	16,308	*364	*422	*120	*201	*390
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....	8,667	7,006	*3,920	*2,171	*665	*49	18,209	16,620	*265	*512	*173	*639	*....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	4,598	3,525	*1,522	*1,550	*443	*10	5,142	4,440	*190	*267	*82	*163	*....
\$10,000 and over.....	2,651	2,629	*1,362	*968	*239	*60	*1,915	*1,739	*....	*129	*47	*....	54

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF FARMS IN EACH VALUE GROUP BY MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME

VALUE GROUP	All classified farms ³	Farms with major source of income from livestock and livestock products					Farms with major source of income from crops and forest products					Farms with farm products used by farm households as major source of income (subsistence farms)	
		Total	Livestock farms	Dairy farms	Poultry farms	Other livestock products farms	Total	Field crop farms	Vegetable farms	Fruit and nut farms	Horticultural specialty farms		Forest products farms
Classified farms, total..	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
\$1 to \$99.....	100.0	9.1	5.5	2.0	1.5	0.1	38.2	36.6	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.4	52.7
\$100 to \$249.....	100.0	*2.8	*1.2	*0.4	*1.2	*....	8.3	*7.3	*0.1	*0.4	*....	*0.5	86.9
\$250 to \$399.....	100.0	*2.5	*1.3	*0.3	*0.8	*....	13.7	12.9	*0.3	*0.2	*....	*0.3	84.8
\$400 to \$599.....	100.0	3.4	*2.2	*0.4	*0.7	*....	22.2	21.2	*0.6	*0.2	*....	*0.2	73.5
\$600 to \$749.....	100.0	6.3	3.8	*1.3	*1.2	*....	34.8	34.0	*0.4	*0.2	*....	*0.2	58.9
\$750 to \$999.....	100.0	9.0	*5.2	*1.9	*1.8	*....	50.3	49.0	*0.5	*0.5	*0.1	*0.2	40.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	100.0	13.4	9.2	*2.6	*1.5	*....	58.6	56.7	*0.6	*0.7	*0.1	*0.6	26.0
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	100.0	16.3	10.4	*3.4	*2.4	*....	71.5	68.8	*0.9	*1.1	*....	*0.7	12.2
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	100.0	21.4	13.7	*5.1	*2.4	*....	74.6	71.5	*1.1	*1.1	*....	*0.5	*4.0
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....	100.0	25.0	*16.3	*4.4	*4.0	*....	73.3	68.7	*1.5	*1.6	*....	*0.8	*1.6
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....	100.0	27.8	*15.5	*6.6	*3.4	*....	72.2	65.9	*1.1	*2.0	*....	*0.7	*....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	100.0	40.7	*17.6	*17.9	*6.1	*....	59.3	51.2	*2.2	*3.1	*....	*1.9	*....
\$10,000 and over.....	100.0	57.2	*29.6	*21.1	*5.2	*....	*41.6	*37.8	*....	*2.8	*....	*1.3	*1.2

¹Value of farm products sold, traded, or used by farm households. Since, for the sample farms, no tabulation of value of products was made by major source groups, it was not possible to harmonize the adjusted figures for number of farms, cross-classified by value of products and by major source of income, with the totals for value of products by major source groups, as published in ch. X of vol. III, General Reports on Agriculture, 1940. ²Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky, and Tennessee. ³Includes farms with usable reports for value of farm products sold, traded, or used by farm households; but excludes 13,201 farms with no farm products sold, traded, or used by farm households, and also, 5,210 unclassified farms. *Figures marked with asterisks have a coefficient of variation of approximately 10 percent or more, and may, therefore, be subject to sampling errors greatly in excess of that amount. See text.