

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—IOWA

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	Other	
AGE OF FARM OPERATORS											
Operators reporting age.....number..1940..	206,108	106,718	85,065	21,653	1,094	98,296	28,631	43,499	21,513	4,653	
1930..	208,463	107,941	82,557	25,384	1,941	98,681	44,708	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	210,705	120,322	97,702	22,620	2,429	87,954	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	216,136	132,434	106,009	26,425	1,897	81,805	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
Under 25 years.....number..1940..	6,520	971	776	195	85	5,464	1,353	2,057	1,737	317	
1930..	7,284	700	503	197	204	6,380	2,416	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	9,865	1,505	1,013	492	348	8,012	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	12,119	1,666	1,162	524	254	10,179	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
25 to 34 years.....number..1940..	36,140	7,964	5,996	1,968	361	27,815	7,576	12,013	7,013	1,213	
1930..	43,035	8,351	5,278	3,073	597	34,087	15,160	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	55,121	16,216	11,948	4,868	842	38,063	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	52,368	18,204	12,448	5,756	620	33,544	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
35 to 44 years.....number..1940..	49,049	19,817	14,369	5,548	296	28,536	8,543	12,695	6,417	1,181	
1930..	56,601	24,005	16,090	7,915	478	32,318	15,318	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	56,282	31,824	24,249	7,575	620	23,838	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	57,511	36,192	27,232	8,960	537	20,782	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
45 to 54 years.....number..1940..	52,669	30,560	22,968	7,592	182	21,927	6,643	10,183	4,091	1,010	
1930..	49,142	32,160	23,794	8,366	318	16,664	7,633	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	48,592	36,135	29,714	6,421	423	12,034	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	50,372	38,683	31,373	7,310	342	11,347	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
55 to 64 years.....number..1940..	38,155	27,316	22,743	4,573	134	10,705	3,267	5,104	1,719	615	
1930..	34,061	26,843	22,396	4,447	176	7,042	3,183	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	28,609	23,798	21,236	2,562	154	4,657	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	28,311	23,614	20,620	2,994	105	4,592	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
65 years and over.....number..1940..	23,575	19,990	18,213	1,777	36	3,549	1,249	1,447	536	317	
1930..	18,140	15,882	14,496	1,386	68	2,190	998	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	12,236	10,844	10,142	702	42	1,350	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	15,455	14,055	13,174	881	39	1,361	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
Average age of all operators.....years..1940..	47.0	52.6	53.6	48.7	39.7	41.1	41.8	41.5	38.9	42.6	
White operators.....years..1940..	47.0	52.6	53.6	48.7	39.7	41.1	41.8	41.5	38.9	42.6	
Nonwhite operators.....years..1940..	51.9	51.7	51.8	51.6	52.3	55.2	47.0	49.7	54.0	
Operators not reporting age.....number..1940..	7,210	3,898	3,141	757	124	3,188	959	1,169	756	304	
1930..	6,465	3,392	2,715	677	139	2,934	1,270	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	2,734	1,586	1,306	260	58	1,110	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1910..	908	569	455	114	29	310	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
YEAR OF OCCUPANCY REPORTED APR. 1, 1940											
All operators reporting year of occupancy.....number.....	197,409	101,259	80,311	20,948	1,086	95,064	27,488	42,346	20,872	4,358	
Reporting..1940 (Under 3 mo.).....number.....	18,579	5,035	4,471	564	194	13,350	4,360	5,590	2,625	775	
1939.....number.....	18,512	5,256	4,417	899	209	13,047	4,055	5,672	2,691	629	
1938.....number.....	14,354	4,283	3,473	790	151	9,940	2,805	4,432	2,253	450	
1937.....number.....	12,970	4,161	3,312	849	121	8,688	2,328	4,154	1,833	373	
1936.....number.....	11,983	4,027	3,139	888	78	7,878	1,987	3,869	1,693	329	
1931 to 1935.....number.....	33,077	13,513	10,486	3,027	195	19,369	5,088	9,201	4,220	860	
1926 to 1930.....number.....	22,717	12,437	9,328	3,109	64	10,216	2,916	4,294	2,596	410	
1900 to 1925.....number.....	60,726	48,249	37,734	10,515	64	12,413	3,913	5,070	2,917	513	
1899 or earlier.....number.....	4,491	4,318	3,951	367	10	163	36	64	44	19	
Average year of occupancy of all operators.....year.....	1928	1923	1922	1923	1935	1933	1933	1933	1933	1933	
White operators.....year.....	1928	1923	1922	1923	1935	1933	1933	1933	1933	1933	
Nonwhite operators.....year.....	1926	1924	1924	1916	1933	1934	1929	1929	1937	
Not reporting year of occupancy.....number.....	15,909	9,357	7,895	1,462	132	6,420	2,102	2,322	1,397	599	
YEARS ON FARM, JAN. 1, 1935; APR. 1, 1930; JAN. 1, 1925 AND 1920											
All operators reporting.....number..1935..	217,516	107,938	85,088	22,850	1,532	108,046	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	207,668	107,009	81,908	25,101	1,895	98,964	44,948	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1925..	210,036	114,434	(¹)	(¹)	1,623	93,979	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	209,081	119,968	97,411	22,557	2,301	86,812	² 43,652	16,096	24,861	2,203	
Reporting..under 1 year.....number..1935..	27,551	5,287	4,442	845	501	21,763	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	25,625	4,542	3,734	808	711	20,372	9,532	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1925..	29,508	4,785	(¹)	(¹)	726	23,997	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	16,402	4,691	3,818	873	670	11,041	² 5,261	2,352	3,055	343	
3 mo. or less.....number..1930..	23,225	3,780	3,065	695	589	18,856	8,780	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1 year.....number..1935..	19,188	3,882	3,198	684	253	15,053	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	20,140	4,392	3,380	1,012	363	15,365	6,918	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1925..	17,560	3,886	(¹)	(¹)	298	13,376	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	28,682	8,568	6,711	1,857	652	19,462	² 8,971	3,965	6,029	477	
2 to 4 years.....number..1935..	39,605	11,792	9,367	2,425	409	27,404	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	36,496	10,631	7,858	2,773	382	25,483	11,130	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1925..	48,730	18,058	(¹)	(¹)	323	30,349	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	48,813	19,177	14,520	4,657	563	29,073	² 14,452	5,633	8,351	607	
2 years.....number..1935..	15,756	4,026	3,282	744	175	11,555	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
3 years.....number..1935..	12,062	3,655	2,857	798	122	8,295	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
4 years.....number..1935..	11,787	4,111	3,228	883	112	7,564	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
5 to 9 years.....number..1935..	36,140	15,237	11,726	3,511	203	20,700	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	33,465	13,878	9,998	3,980	220	19,367	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
³ 1925..	46,360	28,425	(¹)	(¹)	147	17,788	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	41,918	24,652	19,085	5,557	240	17,026	² 9,330	2,816	4,492	388	
10 to 14 years.....number..1935..	27,174	15,285	11,279	4,016	82	11,797	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	32,792	21,443	15,437	6,006	91	11,259	5,192	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
⁴ 1925..	20,119	15,585	(¹)	(¹)	50	4,484	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
15 years and over.....number..1935..	67,858	56,445	45,076	11,369	84	11,329	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	59,350	52,123	41,601	10,522	128	7,099	3,521	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1925..	47,759	43,695	(¹)	(¹)	79	3,985	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
⁵ 1920..	73,266	62,880	53,267	9,613	176	10,210	² 5,638	1,310	2,874	388	
Not reporting years on farm.....number..1935..	4,470	2,314	1,863	451	51	2,105	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1930..	7,060	4,324	3,364	960	85	2,651	1,130	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1925..	3,454	2,010	(¹)	(¹)	27	1,417	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	
1920..	4,358	1,920	1,597	323	186	2,252	² 934	305	745	258	

¹Not available.

²Includes standing renters.

³5 to 10 years inclusive.

⁴11 to 14 years inclusive.

⁵10 years and over.