

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—LOUISIANA

STATE TABLE 1.—FARMS AND FARM ACREAGE, BY COLOR AND BY TENURE OF OPERATOR, AND BY SIZE OF FARM, 1910 TO 1940; AND FARM LAND ACCORDING TO USE, 1924 TO 1939

[For comparability of data, items not included, and definitions, see text]

ITEM	1940 (April 1)	1935 (January 1)	1930 (April 1)	1925 (January 1)	1920 (January 1)	1910 (April 15)
Farms.....number...	150,007	170,216	161,445	132,450	135,463	120,546
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹number...	90,428	99,901	87,675	72,937	73,404	65,667
Nonwhite operators.....number...	59,584	70,315	73,770	59,513	62,059	54,879
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....number...	52,936	54,891	46,883	47,913	51,895	48,590
Part owners.....number...	7,376	6,429	6,266	4,473	5,359	4,399
Managers.....number...	528	519	735	503	828	950
All tenants.....number...	89,167	108,377	107,551	79,561	77,381	66,607
Proportion of tenancy.....percent...	59.4	63.7	66.6	60.1	57.1	55.3
Croppers.....number...	39,631	50,219	49,428	34,074	31,309	(²)
By size:						
Under 3 acres.....number...	352	959	689	287	343	344
3 to 9 acres.....number...	12,156	14,497	9,573	7,701	4,084	6,671
10 to 19 acres.....number...	32,530	40,250	35,986	30,170	25,606	22,241
20 to 49 acres.....number...	63,937	70,718	75,082	55,549	61,346	46,389
20 to 29 acres.....number...	30,459	35,204	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....number...	33,478	35,514	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....number...	21,914	23,621	22,550	19,880	21,715	20,248
50 to 69 acres.....number...	10,855	11,855	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....number...	11,059	11,766	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....number...	10,626	11,459	10,379	10,911	12,855	13,681
100 to 139 acres.....number...	6,894	7,513	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....number...	3,742	3,946	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....number...	3,436	3,698	3,026	3,394	4,240	4,645
175 to 179 acres.....number...	219	261	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....number...	2,004	2,166	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....number...	1,213	1,271	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....number...	2,876	2,945	2,511	2,738	3,232	3,761
260 to 379 acres.....number...	1,954	2,035	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....number...	922	910	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....number...	1,322	1,252	979	1,111	1,247	1,548
500 to 699 acres.....number...	811	783	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....number...	511	469	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....number...	858	817	670	709	795	1,018
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....number...	794	766	629	677	740	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....number...	36	36	30	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....number...	18	15	11	(²)	(²)	(²)
Approximate land area.....acres....	28,913,280	29,061,760	29,061,760	29,061,760	29,061,760	29,061,760
Proportion in farms.....percent...	34.6	35.9	32.2	30.4	34.5	35.9
All land in farms.....acres....	9,996,108	10,444,288	9,355,437	8,837,502	10,019,822	10,439,481
Average size of farm.....acres....	66.6	61.4	57.9	66.7	74.0	86.6
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹acres....	8,067,667	8,239,137	7,040,035	6,997,568	7,837,244	8,315,160
Nonwhite operators.....acres....	1,928,441	2,205,151	2,315,402	1,839,934	2,182,578	2,124,321
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres....	4,497,723	4,674,134	4,107,894	5,128,019	5,641,855	6,766,123
Part owners.....acres....	1,116,142	739,036	652,646	495,958	613,400	(²)
Portion owned.....acres....	544,024	366,054	376,653	330,674	(²)	(²)
Portion rented from others.....acres....	572,118	372,982	275,993	165,284	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres....	749,123	754,400	876,479	589,854	900,121	986,357
All tenants.....acres....	3,633,120	4,276,718	3,718,418	2,623,671	2,864,446	2,687,001
Croppers.....acres....	1,009,613	1,352,465	1,253,265	796,941	824,105	(²)
By size of farm:						
Under 3 acres.....acres....	502	1,367	1,000	425	558	(²)
3 to 9 acres.....acres....	75,291	88,922	59,742	49,459	25,847	355,220
10 to 19 acres.....acres....	464,954	578,050	518,369	425,662	370,656	(²)
20 to 49 acres.....acres....	1,962,834	2,137,900	2,234,334	1,645,035	1,830,508	1,397,534
20 to 29 acres.....acres....	703,551	808,914	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....acres....	1,259,283	1,328,986	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....acres....	1,519,862	1,631,725	1,535,851	1,372,427	1,497,637	1,418,628
50 to 69 acres.....acres....	623,104	678,052	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....acres....	896,758	953,673	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....acres....	1,370,685	1,474,431	1,335,671	1,414,478	1,672,723	1,817,211
100 to 139 acres.....acres....	789,814	862,003	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....acres....	580,871	612,428	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....acres....	720,879	773,770	633,280	709,637	899,922	(²)
175 to 179 acres.....acres....	38,608	46,035	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....acres....	394,509	426,334	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....acres....	287,762	301,401	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....acres....	1,001,227	1,022,945	868,030	944,417	1,108,725	(²)
260 to 379 acres.....acres....	605,540	630,808	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....acres....	395,687	392,137	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....acres....	892,993	843,132	655,260	743,103	821,976	1,036,218
500 to 699 acres.....acres....	472,525	454,360	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....acres....	420,438	388,772	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....acres....	1,986,911	1,892,046	1,513,900	1,532,859	1,801,270	2,140,072
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....acres....	1,385,348	1,370,555	1,119,296	1,200,789	1,281,349	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....acres....	312,377	231,476	197,825	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....acres....	289,186	290,015	196,779	(²)	(²)	(²)
	1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Farm land according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....acres....	4,051,670	3,977,024	4,068,151	3,484,753	(²)	(²)
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres....	1,396,444	1,289,315	1,192,978	1,284,768	(²)	(²)
Part owners.....acres....	406,674	286,644	275,346	209,044	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres....	212,875	155,293	198,571	168,596	(²)	(²)
All tenants.....acres....	2,035,677	2,245,772	2,401,256	1,822,345	(²)	(²)
Croppers.....acres....	738,945	928,831	955,611	656,221	(²)	(²)
Crop failure.....acres....	60,350	149,131	129,716	216,038	(²)	(²)
Cropland, idle or fallow.....acres....	483,411	630,345	542,528	578,737	(²)	(²)
Plowable pasture.....acres....	1,442,636	1,119,597	915,839	784,503	(²)	(²)
Woodland.....acres....	2,950,119	3,427,431	2,659,113	2,406,219	(²)	(²)
All other land.....acres....	1,007,922	1,140,760	1,040,090	1,367,252	(²)	(²)
Land used for crops (harvested and failure).....acres....	4,112,020	4,126,155	4,197,867	3,700,791	(²)	(²)
Land available for crops (harvested, failure, idle or fallow, and plowable pasture).....acres....	6,038,067	5,876,097	5,656,234	5,064,031	(²)	(²)

¹Includes Mexicans.

²Not available.