

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—MASSACHUSETTS

STATE TABLE 2.—VALUE OF FARMS, BY COLOR AND BY TENURE OF OPERATOR, AND VALUE OF BUILDINGS AND IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY, BY TENURE: 1910 TO 1940

[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 reporting	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars
Value of farms (land and buildings).....	31,897	212,014,287	255,676,839	261,222,390	254,602,941	247,587,831	194,168,765
By color of operator:							
White operators ¹	31,416	210,620,287	254,741,739	260,842,995	(²)	247,214,036	193,867,012
Nonwhite operators.....	481	1,394,020	935,100	379,395	(²)	373,795	301,753
By tenure of operator:							
Full owners.....	27,446	159,081,936	192,923,874	188,370,823	201,235,406	166,964,393	144,241,398
Part owners.....	1,626	15,205,169	16,459,454	22,816,917	12,096,376	15,134,137	36,745,990
Managers.....	560	26,154,944	33,098,247	38,795,792	31,177,832	50,988,024	13,181,377
All tenants.....	2,265	11,572,238	13,195,264	11,238,858	10,093,327	14,501,277	5,260
Average value per farm.....		6,647	7,285	10,205	7,611	7,737	5,260
Average value per acre.....		109.40	116.44	130.26	107.53	99.25	67.51
Value of all buildings.....	30,976	120,781,542	(²)	143,022,570	144,165,510	119,934,224	88,936,149
By tenure of operator:							
Full owners.....	26,782	95,936,603	(²)	108,310,437	122,748,629	84,718,597	69,581,340
Part owners.....	1,587	7,758,762	(²)	11,485,642	(²)	6,853,649	13,851,084
Managers.....	531	10,571,748	(²)	17,774,936	16,100,186	22,282,393	5,203,725
All tenants.....	2,076	6,514,429	(²)	5,451,555	5,316,695	6,079,585	11,563,894
Value of implements and machinery.....	22,947	16,613,191	(²)	18,730,074	17,043,842	19,359,755	9,344,827
By tenure of operator:							
Full owners.....	19,590	12,290,185	(²)	13,762,678	13,373,552	14,237,078	1,541,741
Part owners.....	1,498	2,180,224	(²)	2,196,841	1,259,558	1,570,194	677,326
Managers.....	438	1,279,119	(²)	1,906,370	1,819,250	2,623,637	
All tenants.....	1,421	863,663	(²)	804,185	591,482	928,846	

¹ Includes Mexicans.

² Not available.

STATE TABLE 3.—SPECIFIED CLASSES OF LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, 1910 TO 1940; AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, 1909 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)
		Horses and/or mules.....	farms reporting..	10,602	15,050	13,124	22,057
Horses and colts.....	farms reporting..	10,564	14,972	(¹)	(¹)	23,671	28,173
	number.....	19,567	26,770	24,658	43,537	50,605	64,109
Colts.....	number.....	280	336	288	564	1,040	(¹)
Mules and mule colts.....	farms reporting..	87	138	(¹)	(¹)	177	155
	number.....	146	201	266	525	332	264
Mule colts.....	number.....		11	1	25	22	(¹)
Cattle and calves.....	farms reporting..	16,297	20,174	17,442	(¹)	23,900	27,532
	number.....	180,833	188,686	184,369	188,157	216,099	226,845
Cows and heifers.....	number.....	138,555	137,884	121,247	146,835	151,864	(¹)
Kept for milk production.....	farms reporting..	15,806	(¹)	16,473	23,196	22,551	27,193
	number.....	136,249	(¹)	119,158	144,898	147,331	145,714
Kept for beef production.....	farms reporting..	507	(¹)	457	(¹)	1,039	(¹)
	number.....	2,306	(¹)	2,089	1,937	4,533	(¹)
Hogs and pigs.....	farms reporting..	3,360	4,767	3,710	6,010	15,489	9,209
	number.....	62,285	90,238	67,402	57,821	104,192	62,368
Sows and gilts to farrow.....	farms reporting..	797	938	808	(¹)	4,509	(¹)
	number.....	11,272	16,953	12,013	10,515	17,742	(¹)
Sheep and lambs.....	farms reporting..	455	582	473	510	939	1,028
	number.....	7,050	8,216	9,111	10,114	18,880	22,699
Ewes.....	farms reporting..	321	392	(¹)	(¹)	787	947
	number.....	5,853	5,676	8,381	6,915	11,896	20,912
Chickens.....	farms reporting..	16,547	21,759	18,078	26,017	25,425	28,018
	number.....	3,138,271	2,517,778	1,925,852	2,029,819	1,455,193	1,709,934
Turkeys.....	farms reporting..	709	1,480	(¹)	(¹)	747	692
	number.....	23,258	29,005	(¹)	(¹)	4,808	2,645
Ducks.....	farms reporting..	823	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1,729	1,868
	number.....	29,488	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	36,478	23,153
Geese.....	farms reporting..	276	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1,014	896
	number.....	1,794	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	4,896	12,313
Hives of bees.....	farms reporting..	645	(¹)	1,248	(¹)	1,341	1,597
	number.....	4,136	(¹)	4,779	(¹)	6,573	7,464
		1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Cows and heifers milked.....	farms reporting..	16,128	19,903	17,271	23,774	(¹)	(¹)
	number.....	129,481	130,205	130,637	141,234	(¹)	(¹)
Milk produced.....	gallons.....	89,557,866	86,760,058	85,420,875	86,575,083	76,316,309	90,438,336
Butter churned on farms.....	farms reporting..	2,718	4,405	3,282	(¹)	7,361	9,035
	pounds.....	414,946	620,544	817,803	1,456,488	2,019,231	3,364,516
Whole milk sold.....	farms reporting..	9,845	(¹)	12,453	(¹)	14,681	15,703
	gallons.....	78,336,092	(¹)	73,374,940	65,848,748	55,676,858	64,496,692
Butter sold.....	farms reporting..	515	(¹)	1,159	(¹)	3,358	4,557
	pounds.....	173,558	(¹)	502,343	(¹)	1,282,887	2,220,311
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	farms reporting..	311	404	361	(¹)	652	716
	number.....	5,669	7,197	8,997	8,756	15,813	21,667
Wool shorn.....	pounds.....	33,947	44,657	53,394	55,033	88,358	127,897
Chicken eggs produced.....	farms reporting..	15,672	20,285	(¹)	(¹)	22,071	27,337
	dozens.....	33,737,301	24,079,913	18,102,324	14,324,666	9,604,274	13,861,352
Chickens sold.....	farms reporting..	7,997	(¹)	9,837	(¹)	9,893	(¹)
	number.....	5,252,492	(¹)	2,829,459	(¹)	986,275	(¹)
Chickens raised.....	farms reporting..	14,341	18,246	17,684	(¹)	16,241	26,731
	number.....	7,564,385	6,038,169	5,087,789	3,631,388	2,401,068	3,054,934
Turkeys raised.....	farms reporting..	732	(¹)	1,383	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
	number.....	197,916	(¹)	61,396	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Honey produced.....	farms reporting..	324	(¹)	680	(¹)	672	952
	pounds.....	37,910	(¹)	65,744	(¹)	70,769	96,802

¹ Not available.