

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—MICHIGAN

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.....	187,569	196,517	169,372	192,327	196,447	206,960
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹number.....	186,828	195,863	168,811	(²)	195,714	206,014
Nonwhite operators.....number.....	751	654	561	(²)	733	946
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....number.....	133,545	132,786	118,928	143,161	139,874	151,005
Part owners.....number.....	21,383	25,345	22,719	18,813	19,532	21,305
Managers.....number.....	861	1,052	1,530	1,234	2,319	1,961
All tenants.....number.....	31,800	37,334	26,195	29,119	34,722	32,689
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	17.0	19.0	15.5	15.1	17.7	15.8
By size:						
Under 3 acres.....number.....	602	351	648	143	325	387
3 to 9 acres.....number.....	12,073	11,291	5,132	7,532	5,678	6,670
10 to 19 acres.....number.....	10,158	10,109	6,455	7,990	6,741	7,719
20 to 49 acres.....number.....	37,626	40,891	32,184	41,313	40,765	49,890
20 to 29 acres.....number.....	8,793	9,373	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....number.....	28,833	31,318	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....number.....	57,977	63,900	57,749	68,126	71,391	73,748
50 to 69 acres.....number.....	14,757	16,276	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....number.....	43,220	47,624	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....number.....	47,664	50,105	47,723	49,634	52,645	50,622
100 to 139 acres.....number.....	29,630	31,516	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....number.....	18,034	18,589	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....number.....	14,337	13,765	13,403	12,365	13,236	12,426
175 to 179 acres.....number.....	710	709	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....number.....	8,597	8,329	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....number.....	5,030	4,727	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....number.....	6,220	5,421	5,275	4,495	4,839	4,717
260 to 379 acres.....number.....	4,948	4,386	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....number.....	1,272	1,035	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....number.....	763	703	636	537	634	607
500 to 699 acres.....number.....	539	520	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....number.....	224	183	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....number.....	169	181	167	172	193	165
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....number.....	159	170	159	159	177	177
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....number.....	6	10	6	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....number.....	4	1	2	(²)	(²)	(²)
Approximate land area.....acres.....	36,494,080	36,787,200	36,787,200	36,787,200	36,787,200	36,787,200
Proportion in farms.....percent.....	49.4	50.2	46.5	49.0	51.7	51.5
All land in farms.....acres.....	18,037,995	18,459,922	17,118,951	18,035,293	19,032,961	18,940,614
Average size of farm.....acres.....	96.2	93.9	101.1	93.8	96.9	91.5
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹acres.....	17,997,804	18,420,161	17,089,560	(²)	18,984,248	18,880,909
Nonwhite operators.....acres.....	40,191	39,761	38,391	(²)	48,713	59,705
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres.....	11,170,215	11,024,567	10,298,069	12,030,278	12,128,947	15,107,494
Part owners.....acres.....	3,143,665	3,356,481	3,206,935	2,439,793	2,412,514	(²)
Portion owned.....acres.....	1,844,789	2,054,482	1,876,259	1,423,553	(²)	(²)
Portion rented from others.....acres.....	1,298,877	1,301,999	1,330,676	1,016,240	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres.....	318,483	368,905	462,095	368,652	587,891	452,504
All tenants.....acres.....	3,405,631	3,709,969	3,051,852	3,196,567	2,903,609	3,380,616
By size of farm:						
Under 3 acres.....acres.....	858	536	960	238	533	137,131
3 to 9 acres.....acres.....	63,932	60,702	29,606	41,020	32,330	(²)
10 to 19 acres.....acres.....	129,056	129,448	84,265	102,442	87,601	(²)
20 to 49 acres.....acres.....	1,327,951	1,441,639	1,157,986	1,485,430	1,489,135	1,814,802
20 to 29 acres.....acres.....	329,293	320,667	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....acres.....	1,134,858	1,234,972	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....acres.....	4,367,509	4,809,120	4,359,825	5,129,234	5,369,830	5,537,089
50 to 69 acres.....acres.....	863,852	952,089	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....acres.....	3,503,657	3,857,031	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....acres.....	6,250,898	6,551,800	6,231,147	6,457,894	6,855,373	6,591,003
100 to 139 acres.....acres.....	3,440,856	3,654,905	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....acres.....	2,810,032	2,896,895	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....acres.....	3,004,196	2,876,266	2,802,422	2,582,050	2,765,865	4,125,462
175 to 179 acres.....acres.....	125,266	125,116	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....acres.....	1,688,728	1,632,723	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....acres.....	1,190,202	1,118,427	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....acres.....	2,042,177	1,768,792	1,717,991	1,462,860	1,569,886	(²)
260 to 379 acres.....acres.....	1,501,910	1,330,906	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....acres.....	540,267	437,886	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....acres.....	491,420	448,703	400,721	347,236	404,907	391,180
500 to 699 acres.....acres.....	309,671	300,343	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....acres.....	181,749	148,360	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....acres.....	360,008	372,916	334,028	426,887	456,281	343,917
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....acres.....	292,251	269,626	264,948	276,967	316,309	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....acres.....	41,142	69,665	48,580	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....acres.....	49,240	11,000	20,500	(²)	(²)	(²)
	1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Farm land according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	7,862,858	8,352,687	7,738,221	8,501,903	(²)	(²)
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres.....	4,670,108	4,807,082	4,601,590	5,500,544	(²)	(²)
Part owners.....acres.....	1,519,526	1,694,154	1,561,840	1,252,886	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres.....	117,238	134,154	142,282	112,273	(²)	(²)
All tenants.....acres.....	1,555,986	1,717,297	1,432,509	1,636,200	(²)	(²)
Crop failure.....acres.....	114,888	251,193	196,530	173,930	(²)	(²)
Cropland, idle or fallow.....acres.....	1,045,320	976,622	1,159,262	995,548	(²)	(²)
Plowable pasture.....acres.....	2,875,696	2,236,797	2,063,766	1,756,387	(²)	(²)
Woodland.....acres.....	2,710,129	3,816,124	3,234,738	3,301,781	(²)	(²)
All other land.....acres.....	3,429,104	2,826,499	2,726,414	3,305,741	(²)	(²)
Land used for crops (harvested and failure).....acres.....	7,977,746	8,603,880	7,934,751	8,675,833	(²)	(²)
Land available for crops (harvested, failure, idle or fallow, and plowable pasture).....acres.....	11,898,762	11,817,299	11,157,799	11,427,768	(²)	(²)

¹Includes Mexicans.

²Not available.