

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—MISSISSIPPI

STATE TABLE 12.—NUMBER OF FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND FARM VALUE, BY RACE OF OPERATOR: 1910 TO 1940

ITEM	1940	1930	1920	1910
ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS¹				
Farms.....number.....	131,552	129,775	110,682	109,645
All land in farms.....acres.....	13,765,704	11,258,956	12,382,314	12,100,106
Average per farm.....acres.....	104.6	86.8	111.7	110.4
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	4,025,108	2,969,695	(2)	(2)
Value of farms (land and buildings).....dollars.....	320,546,327	318,770,957	387,295,247	185,637,732
Average per farm.....dollars.....	2,437	2,456	3,493	1,693
Value of buildings.....dollars.....	90,858,816	100,023,074	89,187,212	52,026,927
Value of farm implements and machinery.....dollars.....	33,121,504	30,493,095	26,506,774	11,303,017
NEGRO FARM OPERATORS				
Farms.....number.....	159,256	162,578	161,001	164,488
All land in farms.....acres.....	5,376,268	6,062,490	5,806,397	(2)
Average per farm.....acres.....	33.8	33.2	36.1	(2)
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	2,922,843	(2)	(2)	(2)
Value of farms (land and buildings).....dollars.....	154,190,732	249,306,432	402,438,836	(2)
Average per farm.....dollars.....	968	1,365	2,500	(2)
Value of buildings.....dollars.....	38,552,100	57,619,625	(2)	(2)
Value of farm implements and machinery.....dollars.....	7,169,687	11,100,211	(2)	(2)
INDIAN FARM OPERATORS				
Farms.....number.....	281	310	218	248
All land in farms.....acres.....	13,920	10,749	8,268	(2)
Average per farm.....acres.....	49.5	34.7	37.9	(2)
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	4,844	(2)	(2)	(2)
Value of farms (land and buildings).....dollars.....	236,648	245,676	162,695	(2)
Average per farm.....dollars.....	842	793	746	(2)
Value of buildings.....dollars.....	76,280	80,647	(2)	(2)
Value of farm implements and machinery.....dollars.....	9,708	15,736	(2)	(2)
CHINESE FARM OPERATORS				
Farms.....number.....	3	.....	.....	1
All land in farms.....acres.....	166	.....	.....	(2)
Average per farm.....acres.....	55.3	.....	.....	(2)
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	136	.....	.....	(2)
Value of farms (land and buildings).....dollars.....	12,355	.....	.....	(2)
Average per farm.....dollars.....	4,118	.....	.....	(2)
Value of buildings.....dollars.....	5,000	.....	.....	(2)
Value of farm implements and machinery.....dollars.....	.....	.....	.....	(2)

¹ Includes Mexicans.² Not available.

STATE TABLE 13.—GOATS AND KIDS ON FARMS AND RANCHES, 1910 TO 1940; MOHAIR CLIPPED AND GOATS MILKED, AND ANIMALS BUTCHERED, 1909 TO 1939

ITEM (For comparability of data and explanations, see text)	1940	1935	1930	1925	1920	1910
Goats and Mohair: Goats and kids ¹.....farms reporting.....number.....	3,363	4,368	3,911	4,865	7,880	4,039
	37,585	43,228	41,381	64,947	113,277 ³	45,871
Angora.....farms reporting.....number.....	7	(2)	553	(2)	62	(2)
	197	(2)	1,937	(2)	1,128	(2)
Other.....farms reporting.....number.....	3,357	(2)	(2)	(2)	7,886	(2)
	37,388	(2)	39,444	(2)	112,149	(2)
	1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Mohair and kid hair clipped.....farms reporting.....pounds.....	7	19	(2)	(2)	61	36
	472	626	(2)	670	1,972	1,303
Goats milked.....farms reporting.....number.....	106	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
	293	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Animals butchered: Cattle and calves butchered.....farms reporting.....number.....	3,930	(2)	(2)	(2)	10,341	(2)
	10,540	(2)	7,344	(2)	21,995	40,163
Cattle butchered.....farms reporting.....number.....	1,323	(2)	797	(2)	(2)	14,056
	4,407	(2)	3,680	(2)	(2)	34,406
Calves butchered.....farms reporting.....number.....	2,804	(2)	1,008	(2)	(2)	3,227
	6,133	(2)	3,664	(2)	(2)	5,757
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting.....number.....	216,408	(2)	133,016	(2)	182,494	128,043
	639,240	(2)	373,958	(2)	660,506	498,659
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting.....number.....	292	(2)	316	(2)	829	1,106
	1,381	(2)	1,365	(2)	3,360	4,845

¹ Over 4 mo. old Apr. 1, 1940; all ages in prior censuses. ² Not available.³ Farms reporting goats 1 year old and over, raised for fleeces.⁴ All ages, raised for fleeces.⁵ Other than goats and kids raised for fleeces.