

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.....	278,276	300,967	279,708	283,482	269,763	253,725
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹number.....	218,009	231,594	202,835	202,516	193,473	188,069
Nonwhite operators.....number.....	60,268	69,373	76,873	80,966	76,290	65,656
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....number.....	132,451	128,394	115,765	132,610	131,847	121,382
Part owners.....number.....	21,784	29,717	25,680	22,195	19,599	23,938
Managers.....number.....	565	698	648	423	998	1,118
All tenants.....number.....	123,476	142,158	137,615	128,254	117,459	107,287
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	44.4	47.2	49.2	45.2	43.5	42.3
Croppers.....number.....	60,300	66,393	69,091	52,419	39,939	(²)
By size:						
Under 3 acres.....number.....	1,033	974	430	313	888	116
3 to 9 acres.....number.....	23,679	28,220	17,987	21,402	13,281	14,868
10 to 19 acres.....number.....	38,011	43,336	39,476	44,332	37,667	28,240
20 to 49 acres.....number.....	88,606	94,438	97,502	93,817	87,239	75,629
20 to 29 acres.....number.....	35,521	38,811	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....number.....	53,285	55,627	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....number.....	71,733	75,637	72,673	68,129	68,903	62,157
50 to 69 acres.....number.....	39,335	41,024	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....number.....	32,398	34,613	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....number.....	36,593	39,292	35,682	37,611	41,082	43,987
100 to 139 acres.....number.....	25,801	27,906	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....number.....	10,792	11,386	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....number.....	10,725	11,377	9,604	10,643	12,448	15,629
175 to 179 acres.....number.....	1,044	1,142	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....number.....	6,507	6,764	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....number.....	3,174	3,471	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....number.....	5,675	5,836	4,930	5,525	6,646	9,625
260 to 379 acres.....number.....	4,260	4,440	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....number.....	1,415	1,396	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....number.....	1,447	1,441	1,121	1,347	1,629	2,669
500 to 699 acres.....number.....	997	979	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....number.....	450	462	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....number.....	374	416	303	363	480	805
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....number.....	359	404	298	348	452	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....number.....	10	7	3	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....number.....	5	5	2	(²)	(²)	(²)
Approximate land area.....acres.....	31,450,880	31,193,600	31,193,600	31,193,600	31,193,600	31,193,600
Proportion in farms.....percent.....	59.9	63.9	57.9	59.6	64.2	71.9
All land in farms.....acres.....	18,845,338	19,936,307	18,055,103	18,593,670	20,021,736	22,439,129
Average size of farm.....acres.....	67.7	66.2	64.5	65.6	74.2	88.4
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹acres.....	15,986,949	16,766,839	14,662,568	15,353,006	16,594,294	19,253,325
Nonwhite operators.....acres.....	2,858,389	3,169,468	3,392,535	3,240,664	3,437,442	3,185,804
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres.....	9,803,644	10,006,999	9,408,707	11,254,022	12,244,974	15,656,323
Part owners.....acres.....	1,740,095	2,033,718	1,663,573	1,278,669	1,196,535	(²)
Portion owned.....acres.....	1,060,089	1,264,837	1,043,936	843,776	(²)	(²)
Portion rented from others.....acres.....	680,006	778,881	619,637	434,893	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres.....	315,676	352,672	255,246	232,169	386,449	582,377
All tenants.....acres.....	6,985,923	7,542,918	6,727,577	5,828,810	6,193,778	6,200,429
Croppers.....acres.....	2,689,304	2,634,119	2,514,771	1,651,671	1,474,145	(²)
By size of farm:						
Under 3 acres.....acres.....	1,659	1,659	678	577	694	485,387
3 to 9 acres.....acres.....	140,089	167,535	111,847	129,599	82,545	(²)
10 to 19 acres.....acres.....	539,822	615,063	568,527	630,565	535,518	(²)
20 to 49 acres.....acres.....	2,877,040	3,043,620	3,135,204	2,953,093	2,747,018	2,326,984
20 to 29 acres.....acres.....	943,763	922,017	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....acres.....	2,033,277	2,121,603	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....acres.....	4,916,651	5,193,355	4,940,743	4,624,518	4,697,176	4,253,522
50 to 69 acres.....acres.....	2,260,948	2,354,326	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....acres.....	2,655,603	2,839,029	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....acres.....	4,598,872	4,927,865	4,432,922	4,678,163	5,119,334	5,532,657
100 to 139 acres.....acres.....	2,936,270	3,174,838	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....acres.....	1,662,602	1,753,027	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....acres.....	2,221,688	2,361,090	1,984,228	2,200,748	2,595,204	6,504,207
175 to 179 acres.....acres.....	183,976	201,271	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....acres.....	1,281,923	1,333,414	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....acres.....	755,789	826,405	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....acres.....	1,907,077	1,959,885	1,651,031	1,850,426	2,228,655	(²)
260 to 379 acres.....acres.....	1,302,721	1,363,153	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....acres.....	604,356	596,732	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....acres.....	931,747	933,350	720,842	960,789	1,027,735	1,724,796
500 to 699 acres.....acres.....	566,403	558,954	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....acres.....	365,344	374,396	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....acres.....	711,693	732,865	509,081	655,192	987,857	1,611,576
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....acres.....	581,390	621,418	462,270	545,964	718,642	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....acres.....	61,303	45,927	20,111	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....acres.....	69,000	65,540	26,700	(²)	(²)	(²)
	1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Farm land according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	6,125,386	5,965,547	5,809,741	5,574,821	(²)	(²)
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres.....	2,685,101	2,389,702	2,331,263	2,482,997	(²)	(²)
Part owners.....acres.....	640,045	706,524	603,792	476,985	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres.....	76,787	86,416	68,882	35,750	(²)	(²)
All tenants.....acres.....	2,723,453	2,772,905	2,805,794	2,579,179	(²)	(²)
Croppers.....acres.....	1,283,081	1,237,503	1,308,310	970,508	(²)	(²)
Crop failure.....acres.....	68,642	84,389	128,620	145,398	(²)	(²)
Cropland, idle or fallow.....acres.....	998,076	1,247,515	1,073,940	1,136,674	(²)	(²)
Plowable pasture.....acres.....	1,230,171	946,260	887,956	881,883	(²)	(²)
Woodland.....acres.....	9,083,377	10,094,743	8,326,434	8,456,483	(²)	(²)
All other land.....acres.....	1,329,686	1,597,853	1,828,512	2,398,361	(²)	(²)
Land used for crops (harvested and failure).....acres.....	6,194,028	6,049,936	5,938,361	5,720,259	(²)	(²)
Land available for crops (harvested, failure, idle or fallow, and plowable pasture).....acres.....	8,422,275	8,243,711	7,900,157	7,738,826	(²)	(²)

¹Includes Mexicans.

²Not available.