

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.....	137,558	165,504	157,931	172,767	192,693	176,434
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹number.....	76,251	88,967	80,506	82,186	83,683	79,636
Nonwhite operators.....number.....	61,307	76,537	77,425	90,581	109,010	96,798
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....number.....	50,643	51,327	45,515	52,401	60,089	55,523
Part owners.....number.....	9,224	10,615	8,955	7,568	7,635	8,827
Managers.....number.....	507	636	693	368	738	863
All tenants.....number.....	77,184	102,926	102,768	112,430	124,231	111,221
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	56.1	62.2	65.1	65.1	64.5	63.0
Croppers.....number.....	33,474	46,238	48,939	46,361	43,789	(²)
By size:						
Under 3 acres.....number.....	88	401	297	28	299	53
3 to 9 acres.....number.....	10,419	17,272	11,615	13,679	10,479	14,218
10 to 19 acres.....number.....	19,463	23,874	24,004	32,728	30,047	23,714
20 to 49 acres.....number.....	45,977	53,245	63,297	69,777	84,893	70,582
20 to 29 acres.....number.....	20,312	24,225	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....number.....	25,665	29,020	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....number.....	32,047	37,134	33,316	30,996	37,530	33,147
50 to 69 acres.....number.....	18,150	21,013	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....number.....	13,897	16,121	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....number.....	17,301	20,164	15,448	15,446	18,166	19,427
100 to 139 acres.....number.....	12,120	14,081	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....number.....	5,181	6,083	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....number.....	5,944	6,690	4,919	4,946	5,600	7,164
175 to 179 acres.....number.....	545	601	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....number.....	3,433	3,985	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....number.....	1,966	2,104	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....number.....	4,235	4,568	3,408	3,477	3,752	5,375
260 to 379 acres.....number.....	3,032	3,259	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....number.....	1,203	1,309	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....number.....	1,438	1,549	1,167	1,203	1,343	1,942
500 to 699 acres.....number.....	907	965	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....number.....	531	584	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....number.....	646	607	458	487	584	812
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....number.....	601	577	431	453	546	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....number.....	30	24	20	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....number.....	15	6	7	(²)	(²)	(²)
Approximate land area.....acres.....	19,580,160	19,516,800	19,516,800	19,516,800	19,516,800	19,516,800
Proportion in farms.....percent.....	57.4	63.2	53.3	54.5	63.7	69.2
All land in farms.....acres.....	11,238,697	12,329,958	10,393,113	10,638,900	12,426,675	13,512,028
Average size of farm.....acres.....	81.7	74.5	65.8	61.6	64.5	76.6
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹acres.....	8,456,860	8,840,706	7,221,137	7,419,147	8,046,672	9,571,552
Nonwhite operators.....acres.....	2,781,837	3,489,252	3,171,976	3,219,753	4,380,003	3,940,476
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres.....	5,163,542	4,933,292	4,475,132	5,487,499	6,201,640	8,051,503
Part owners.....acres.....	1,111,485	932,675	752,833	499,564	515,597	(²)
Portion owned.....acres.....	661,854	537,815	446,239	323,087	(²)	(²)
Portion rented from others.....acres.....	449,631	394,860	306,594	176,477	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres.....	656,701	567,676	437,034	293,204	424,522	547,412
All tenants.....acres.....	4,300,969	5,896,315	4,728,114	4,358,633	5,284,916	4,913,113
Croppers.....acres.....	1,410,878	1,986,987	1,849,630	1,419,006	1,384,694	(²)
By size of farm:						
Under 3 acres.....acres.....	127	592	430	53	556	(²)
3 to 9 acres.....acres.....	61,183	95,553	68,124	80,352	61,214	412,235
10 to 19 acres.....acres.....	278,846	338,899	348,305	469,346	435,849	(²)
20 to 49 acres.....acres.....	1,450,606	1,665,361	1,949,603	2,070,641	2,533,757	2,072,476
20 to 29 acres.....acres.....	481,912	571,857	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....acres.....	968,694	1,093,504	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....acres.....	2,176,646	2,516,094	2,214,940	2,053,728	2,464,832	2,205,541
50 to 69 acres.....acres.....	1,036,215	1,196,772	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....acres.....	1,140,431	1,319,312	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....acres.....	2,174,738	2,527,207	1,924,756	1,918,846	2,250,658	2,433,404
100 to 139 acres.....acres.....	1,376,809	1,590,219	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....acres.....	797,929	936,988	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....acres.....	1,242,942	1,394,067	1,027,501	1,033,092	1,171,098	(²)
175 to 179 acres.....acres.....	95,988	105,895	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....acres.....	678,697	787,424	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....acres.....	468,257	500,748	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....acres.....	1,452,947	1,566,281	1,166,590	1,190,688	1,277,587	(²)
260 to 379 acres.....acres.....	937,883	1,005,711	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....acres.....	515,064	560,570	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....acres.....	952,243	1,027,129	769,012	786,535	859,101	1,277,578
500 to 699 acres.....acres.....	516,626	562,771	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....acres.....	435,617	474,358	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....acres.....	1,448,419	1,198,785	923,852	1,035,619	1,372,023	1,760,892
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....acres.....	1,013,899	931,569	706,978	724,518	931,318	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....acres.....	196,318	161,453	127,693	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....acres.....	238,202	105,763	89,181	(²)	(²)	(²)
	1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Farm land according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	4,321,962	4,177,861	4,136,809	4,311,136	(²)	(²)
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres.....	1,724,729	1,395,189	1,315,959	1,463,181	(²)	(²)
Part owners.....acres.....	455,210	354,991	307,359	217,689	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres.....	101,191	87,889	79,409	41,781	(²)	(²)
All tenants.....acres.....	2,040,832	2,339,792	2,434,082	2,588,485	(²)	(²)
Croppers.....acres.....	800,242	969,488	1,096,383	979,369	(²)	(²)
Crop failure.....acres.....	34,832	87,450	97,494	92,450	(²)	(²)
Cropland, idle or fallow.....acres.....	568,689	1,020,938	802,695	632,370	(²)	(²)
Plowable pasture.....acres.....	604,350	356,922	350,839	310,566	(²)	(²)
Woodland.....acres.....	4,862,909	5,690,873	3,902,535	3,570,365	(²)	(²)
All other land.....acres.....	945,955	895,914	1,102,741	1,722,013	(²)	(²)
Land used for crops (harvested and failure).....acres.....	4,356,794	4,265,311	4,234,303	4,403,586	(²)	(²)
Land available for crops (harvested, failure, idle or fallow, and plowable pasture).....acres.....	5,529,833	5,643,171	5,387,837	5,346,522	(²)	(²)

¹ Includes Mexicans.

² Not available.