

PLANTATIONS

TABLE 18.—PLANTATIONS BY CLASS OF FAMILIES EMPLOYED—NUMBER OF PLANTATIONS, FAMILIES EMPLOYED, AND CROPLAND HARVESTED; FOR GROUP B* PLANTATIONS IN AREAS SELECTED FOR SPECIAL STUDY; BY STATES: CENSUS OF 1940—Continued

(Figures shown for plantations reporting specific items do not necessarily represent all plantations having these items; see text)

STATE AND ITEM (Group B* plantations)	REPORTING ANY FAMILIES EMPLOYED			REPORTING CROPPER FAMILIES, NO OTHER TENANT FAMILIES			REPORTING BOTH CROPPER AND OTHER TENANT FAMILIES			REPORTING OTHER TENANT FAMILIES, NO CROPPER FAMILIES		
	Total ¹	With no wage- hand families	With wage- hand fam- ilies ¹	Total	With no wage- hand families	With wage- hand families	Total	With no wage- hand fam- ilies	With wage- hand fam- ilies	Total	With no wage- hand fam- ilies	With wage- hand fam- ilies
SOUTH CAROLINA												
Plantations.....number..	949	398	561	738	302	436	176	75	135	30	13	17
percent distribution..	100.0	100.0	100.0	77.8	77.8	77.7	18.5	18.8	18.4	5.2	3.4	5.0
With home farms.....number..	916	361	555	710	279	431	173	70	103	28	12	16
Families employed.....number..	8,418	2,761	5,657	6,192	2,052	4,140	1,926	609	1,517	269	100	169
Wage-hand families.....number..	2,302	---	2,302	1,744	---	1,744	453	---	453	73	---	73
Cropper families.....number..	5,445	2,452	2,993	4,448	2,052	2,396	997	400	597	---	---	---
Other tenant families.....number..	671	309	362	---	---	---	476	209	267	195	100	95
Average families employed per plantation.....number..	8.9	7.1	10.1	8.4	6.8	9.5	10.9	8.3	12.9	8.9	7.7	9.9
Wage-hand families.....number..	2.4	---	4.1	2.4	---	4.0	2.6	---	4.4	2.4	---	4.3
Cropper families.....number..	5.7	6.3	5.3	6.0	6.8	5.5	5.7	5.5	5.8	---	---	---
Other tenant families.....number..	0.7	0.8	0.6	---	---	---	2.7	2.9	2.6	6.5	7.7	5.6
Cropland harvested.....acres..	298,777	98,046	200,731	222,161	72,863	149,278	66,424	21,320	45,104	9,081	3,845	5,238
Average per plantation.....acres..	314.8	252.7	357.8	301.0	241.3	342.4	377.4	292.1	437.9	302.7	295.6	308.1
Average per family employed.....acres..	35.5	35.5	35.5	35.9	35.5	36.1	34.5	35.0	34.2	33.9	38.4	31.2
On home farms.....acres..	151,382	34,359	117,023	115,604	24,059	89,545	31,770	8,394	23,376	5,047	1,906	5,141
Average per home farm.....acres..	165.3	95.2	210.9	160.0	86.2	207.8	185.6	119.9	227.0	180.2	156.8	196.3
On cropper and tenant farms.....acres..	147,395	63,687	83,708	108,557	48,824	59,733	34,654	12,926	21,728	4,034	1,937	2,097
Average per plantation.....acres..	155.3	164.1	149.2	147.1	161.7	137.0	196.9	177.1	211.0	154.5	149.0	125.4
Average per cropper or other tenant family employed.....acres..	24.1	23.1	25.0	24.4	23.8	24.9	23.5	21.2	25.1	20.7	19.4	22.1
TENNESSEE												
Plantations.....number..	389	263	126	266	184	82	108	72	36	14	7	7
percent distribution..	100.0	100.0	100.0	68.4	70.0	65.1	27.8	27.4	28.8	3.6	2.7	5.6
With home farms.....number..	390	254	126	262	180	82	106	70	36	11	4	7
Families employed.....number..	3,455	1,989	1,466	2,285	1,571	924	1,051	591	480	108	37	71
Wage-hand families.....number..	354	---	354	237	---	237	101	---	101	15	---	15
Cropper families.....number..	2,893	1,760	933	2,038	1,371	687	655	389	248	---	---	---
Other tenant families.....number..	408	239	169	---	---	---	315	202	113	93	37	56
Average families employed per plantation.....number..	8.9	7.6	11.6	8.6	7.5	11.3	9.7	8.2	12.8	7.7	5.3	10.1
Wage-hand families.....number..	0.9	---	2.8	0.9	---	2.9	0.9	---	2.8	1.1	---	2.1
Cropper families.....number..	6.9	6.7	7.4	7.7	7.5	8.4	5.9	5.4	6.8	---	---	---
Other tenant families.....number..	1.0	0.9	1.3	---	---	---	2.9	2.8	3.1	6.6	5.3	8.0
Cropland harvested.....acres..	108,355	63,925	44,430	75,057	45,777	27,280	32,416	17,237	15,179	2,541	911	1,630
Average per plantation.....acres..	278.5	243.1	352.6	274.7	248.8	332.7	300.1	239.4	421.6	181.5	130.1	252.9
Average per family employed.....acres..	31.4	32.0	30.5	31.8	33.4	29.5	30.8	29.2	35.0	25.5	24.6	23.0
On home farms.....acres..	52,384	27,781	24,813	37,093	21,389	15,704	14,407	6,048	8,359	945	344	601
Average per home farm.....acres..	138.4	109.4	196.9	141.6	118.8	191.5	135.9	86.4	252.2	85.9	86.0	85.9
On cropper and tenant farms.....acres..	55,781	36,144	19,617	35,964	24,388	11,576	18,009	11,189	6,820	1,596	567	1,029
Average per plantation.....acres..	143.3	137.4	155.7	135.2	132.5	141.2	166.8	155.4	189.4	114.0	81.0	147.0
Average per cropper or other tenant family employed.....acres..	18.0	18.1	17.8	15.7	17.8	16.9	19.0	18.9	19.0	17.2	15.3	18.4
VIRGINIA												
Plantations.....number..	48	26	22	31	17	14	9	5	4	8	4	4
percent distribution..	100.0	100.0	100.0	64.6	65.4	63.6	18.8	19.2	18.2	16.7	15.4	18.2
With home farms.....number..	43	22	21	30	16	14	7	4	3	6	2	4
Families employed.....number..	386	174	212	193	89	104	113	61	62	80	34	46
Wage-hand families.....number..	50	---	50	24	---	24	20	---	20	6	---	6
Cropper families.....number..	229	113	116	169	89	80	60	24	36	---	---	---
Other tenant families.....number..	107	61	46	---	---	---	33	27	6	74	34	40
Average families employed per plantation.....number..	8.0	6.7	9.6	6.2	5.2	7.4	12.6	10.2	15.5	10.0	8.5	11.5
Wage-hand families.....number..	1.0	---	2.3	0.8	---	1.7	2.2	---	5.0	0.8	---	1.5
Cropper families.....number..	4.8	4.3	5.3	5.5	5.2	5.7	6.7	4.8	9.0	---	---	---
Other tenant families.....number..	2.2	2.3	2.1	---	---	---	3.7	5.4	1.5	9.2	8.5	10.0
Cropland harvested.....acres..	8,923	3,644	5,279	4,888	1,971	2,912	2,555	1,001	1,554	1,485	672	813
Average per plantation.....acres..	185.9	140.2	240.0	157.5	115.9	208.0	283.9	200.2	388.5	185.6	168.0	203.2
Average per family employed.....acres..	23.1	20.9	24.9	25.3	22.1	28.0	22.6	19.6	25.1	18.6	19.8	17.7
On home farms.....acres..	2,827	774	2,053	1,916	736	1,180	706	36	670	205	2	205
Average per home farm.....acres..	65.7	35.2	97.8	63.9	48.0	84.3	100.9	9.0	225.3	34.2	1.0	50.8
On cropper and tenant farms.....acres..	6,096	2,870	3,226	2,967	1,235	1,732	1,849	965	884	1,280	670	610
Average per plantation.....acres..	127.0	110.4	146.6	95.7	72.6	123.7	205.4	193.0	221.0	160.0	167.5	152.5
Average per cropper or other tenant family employed.....acres..	18.1	16.5	19.9	17.6	13.9	21.6	19.9	18.9	21.0	17.3	19.7	15.2

*Group B plantations are those for which enumerators submitted reports on special Plantation Schedules (see text).

¹Includes data for 31 plantations with only wage-hand families employed, as follows: Alabama, 2; Arkansas, 4; Georgia, 5; Louisiana, 2; Mississippi, 10; Missouri, 1; North Carolina, 1; South Carolina, 5; Tennessee, 1.