

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—WASHINGTON

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...	81,686	84,381	70,904	73,267	66,288	56,192
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹number...	80,179	82,861	69,555	(²)	65,022	55,067
Nonwhite operators.....number...	1,507	1,520	1,349	(²)	1,266	1,125
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....number...	58,083	58,564	49,702	53,440	44,832	41,729
Part owners.....number...	8,478	7,925	7,886	6,949	7,869	5,776
Managers.....number...	663	1,057	1,238	935	1,168	961
All tenants.....number...	14,462	16,835	12,078	11,943	12,419	7,726
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	17.7	20.0	17.0	16.3	18.7	13.7
By size:						
Under 3 acres.....number...	1,172	1,239	1,871	653	949	563
3 to 9 acres.....number...	16,239	16,038	10,427	11,427	6,546	4,593
10 to 19 acres.....number...	13,890	14,378	11,051	11,936	8,578	5,373
20 to 49 acres.....number...	19,469	20,181	16,833	17,567	15,255	10,252
20 to 29 acres.....number...	8,614	8,692	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....number...	10,855	11,489	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....number...	10,182	10,599	9,414	9,506	9,048	7,105
50 to 69 acres.....number...	3,891	3,945	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....number...	6,291	6,654	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....number...	7,482	8,308	7,774	8,522	9,958	13,884
100 to 139 acres.....number...	3,565	3,659	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....number...	3,917	4,649	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....number...	2,914	2,927	2,768	2,902	3,340	3,089
175 to 179 acres.....number...	122	115	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....number...	1,472	1,477	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....number...	1,320	1,335	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....number...	4,177	4,446	4,464	5,003	6,297	6,128
260 to 379 acres.....number...	2,611	2,754	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....number...	1,566	1,692	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....number...	3,125	3,996	3,518	3,601	4,042	3,481
500 to 699 acres.....number...	1,674	1,768	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....number...	1,451	1,628	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....number...	3,036	2,869	2,739	2,150	2,275	1,726
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....number...	2,807	2,661	2,567	2,018	2,187	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....number...	144	134	110	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....number...	85	74	62	(²)	(²)	(²)
Approximate land area.....acres....	42,865,280	42,775,040	42,775,040	42,775,040	42,775,040	42,775,040
Proportion in farms.....percent..	35.4	34.3	31.6	29.5	31.0	27.4
All land in farms.....acres....	15,181,815	14,680,097	13,533,778	12,610,310	13,244,720	11,712,235
Average size of farm.....acres....	185.9	174.0	190.9	172.1	199.8	208.4
By color of operator:						
White operators ¹acres....	15,059,899	14,548,196	13,404,445	(²)	13,143,321	11,611,390
Nonwhite operators.....acres....	121,916	131,901	129,333	(²)	101,399	100,845
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres....	4,687,058	4,552,202	4,344,812	4,729,186	5,231,884	9,115,171
Part owners.....acres....	6,719,004	5,305,062	5,034,411	4,312,392	4,027,916	(²)
Portion owned.....acres....	3,238,251	2,552,859	2,507,973	2,130,904	(²)	(²)
Portion rented from others.....acres....	3,480,753	2,752,203	2,526,438	2,181,488	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres....	733,492	650,377	560,038	360,265	541,136	529,082
All tenants.....acres....	3,042,261	4,172,456	3,594,517	3,208,467	3,443,784	2,067,982
By size of farm:						
Under 3 acres.....acres....	1,826	1,988	2,949	1,058	1,547	(²)
3 to 9 acres.....acres....	87,318	87,216	58,136	62,319	36,242	91,282
10 to 19 acres.....acres....	171,710	177,010	138,164	145,478	106,494	(²)
20 to 49 acres.....acres....	604,751	628,667	529,386	547,881	488,310	328,883
20 to 29 acres.....acres....	189,215	190,311	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
30 to 49 acres.....acres....	415,536	438,356	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....acres....	734,051	764,990	683,533	687,642	654,446	523,088
50 to 69 acres.....acres....	225,643	228,146	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
70 to 99 acres.....acres....	508,408	536,844	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....acres....	1,032,462	1,158,683	1,086,146	1,212,970	1,431,398	2,082,832
100 to 139 acres.....acres....	414,958	425,149	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
140 to 174 acres.....acres....	617,504	733,534	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....acres....	626,206	628,397	597,762	624,165	727,556	(²)
175 to 179 acres.....acres....	21,534	20,268	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
180 to 219 acres.....acres....	290,386	290,541	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
220 to 259 acres.....acres....	314,286	317,588	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....acres....	1,506,580	1,614,943	1,624,589	1,827,047	2,286,837	2,898,427
260 to 379 acres.....acres....	820,089	866,374	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
380 to 499 acres.....acres....	686,491	747,969	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....acres....	2,203,016	2,421,060	2,491,091	2,540,923	2,824,573	2,442,948
500 to 699 acres.....acres....	992,871	1,054,124	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
700 to 999 acres.....acres....	1,210,145	1,366,936	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....acres....	8,213,855	7,197,743	6,322,022	4,960,827	4,687,317	3,344,775
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....acres....	5,257,517	4,691,226	4,426,515	3,329,968	3,618,886	(²)
5,000 to 9,999 acres.....acres....	962,423	873,216	708,566	(²)	(²)	(²)
10,000 acres and over.....acres....	1,993,915	1,633,301	1,186,941	(²)	(²)	(²)
	1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Farm land according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....acres....	3,569,803	3,635,796	3,658,514	3,262,824	(²)	(²)
By tenure of operator:						
Full owners.....acres....	1,128,435	1,150,446	1,088,232	1,154,530	(²)	(²)
Part owners.....acres....	1,456,711	1,202,142	1,272,051	944,595	(²)	(²)
Managers.....acres....	86,031	85,316	95,027	104,706	(²)	(²)
All tenants.....acres....	898,626	1,197,892	1,203,204	1,058,993	(²)	(²)
Crop failure.....acres....	61,013	97,303	178,465	491,268	(²)	(²)
Cropland, idle or fallow.....acres....	2,588,523	2,437,743	2,438,371	2,329,557	(²)	(²)
Plowable pasture.....acres....	950,815	572,979	577,901	444,156	(²)	(²)
Woodland.....acres....	1,460,546	2,354,168	1,874,240	1,855,583	(²)	(²)
All other land.....acres....	6,541,115	5,582,108	4,806,287	4,226,922	(²)	(²)
Land used for crops (harvested and failure).....acres....	3,630,816	3,733,089	3,836,979	3,754,092	(²)	(²)
Land available for crops (harvested, failure, idle or fallow, and plowable pasture).....acres....	7,180,154	6,743,821	6,853,251	6,527,805	(²)	(²)

¹Includes Mexicans.

²Not available.