

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE: 1940

TABLE 6.—FARM OPERATORS IN EACH COLOR AND TENURE CLASS, BY YEAR OF OCCUPANCY, WITH PERCENT DISTRIBUTION, FOR THE UNITED STATES: CENSUS OF 1940

("White" includes Mexicans. "Nonwhite" includes Negroes, Indians, Chinese, Japanese, and all other nonwhite races. Figures for divisions and States in tables 14 and 15)

COLOR AND TENURE	FARM OPERATORS BY YEAR OF OCCUPANCY											PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF COLOR-TENURE CLASSES BY YEAR OF OCCUPANCY				
	Total reporting	1940	1939	1938	1937	1936	1931 to 1935	1926 to 1930	1920 to 1925	Before 1900	Average year of occupancy	Total reporting	1940	1939	1938	
All farm operators	5,605,047	441,830	556,506	449,568	381,145	518,094	945,401	685,728	1,696,342	132,433	1928	100.0	7.9	9.9	6.0	
Full owners	2,802,089	74,480	148,451	140,838	134,947	125,405	457,657	594,462	1,228,030	118,519	1923	100.0	2.7	5.3	5.0	
Part owners	574,704	12,411	25,152	25,256	27,349	25,938	93,293	95,075	262,460	9,856	1924	100.0	2.2	4.4	4.4	
Managers	31,825	2,875	4,921	4,018	3,305	2,534	6,381	5,530	4,057	208	1933	100.0	9.0	15.5	12.6	
Tenants	2,196,429	352,064	377,982	279,956	215,547	164,217	408,155	194,661	201,785	4,052	1934	100.0	16.0	17.2	12.7	
Cash	476,764	72,341	89,502	83,198	46,287	34,464	86,206	39,440	44,233	1,075	1934	100.0	15.2	18.8	13.3	
Share-cash	263,796	31,533	36,474	29,550	26,607	22,790	54,936	28,215	33,226	465	1933	100.0	12.0	13.6	11.2	
Share 1	762,823	110,205	123,402	95,499	75,115	58,188	145,960	76,453	78,840	1,183	1934	100.0	14.4	16.2	12.3	
Croppers (South only)	505,755	112,427	97,605	70,513	50,189	35,693	83,145	32,288	23,504	391	1936	100.0	22.2	19.3	13.9	
Other	187,291	25,560	30,999	23,196	17,349	13,082	55,908	18,235	21,972	960	1933	100.0	13.6	16.6	12.4	
White farm operators	4,937,102	361,080	472,605	379,241	325,187	274,013	820,112	613,269	1,566,673	124,922	1927	100.0	7.3	9.6	7.7	
Full owners	2,648,733	71,215	142,219	133,679	128,395	119,142	414,185	371,455	1,166,104	112,359	1923	100.0	2.7	5.4	5.0	
Part owners	543,555	11,482	23,566	23,632	25,638	24,361	87,845	88,167	249,466	9,398	1924	100.0	2.1	4.3	4.3	
Managers	31,188	2,840	4,887	3,942	3,235	2,476	6,252	3,430	3,945	205	1933	100.0	9.1	15.6	12.6	
Tenants	1,713,626	275,543	301,953	217,988	167,921	128,034	311,630	150,237	157,158	2,962	1934	100.0	16.1	17.6	12.7	
Cash	411,301	65,823	80,845	55,832	40,344	29,665	71,477	31,716	34,819	782	1935	100.0	16.0	19.7	13.6	
Share-cash	257,152	30,753	35,535	28,784	25,979	22,297	53,592	27,405	32,363	444	1933	100.0	12.0	13.8	11.2	
Share 1	675,688	99,178	111,372	83,297	66,826	51,546	128,328	66,550	67,697	894	1934	100.0	14.7	16.5	12.3	
Croppers (South only)	225,955	58,978	49,415	31,568	21,375	14,496	31,871	11,656	7,459	137	1936	100.0	26.1	21.4	14.0	
Other	143,530	20,811	25,788	18,507	13,397	10,030	26,582	12,910	14,820	705	1934	100.0	14.5	18.0	12.9	
Nonwhite farm operators	667,945	80,750	83,901	70,327	55,958	44,081	123,289	72,459	129,669	7,511	1931	100.0	12.1	12.6	10.5	
Full owners	153,356	3,265	6,232	6,659	6,552	6,263	23,472	23,027	71,926	5,960	1923	100.0	2.1	4.1	4.3	
Part owners	31,149	929	1,586	1,710	1,577	1,577	5,363	4,908	12,994	458	1925	100.0	3.0	5.1	5.2	
Managers	637	35	54	76	70	58	129	100	112	3	1931	100.0	5.5	8.5	11.9	
Tenants	482,803	76,521	76,029	61,968	47,626	36,183	94,325	44,424	44,637	1,090	1934	100.0	15.8	15.7	12.8	
Cash	65,463	6,518	8,659	7,566	5,943	4,799	14,729	7,724	9,434	291	1932	100.0	10.0	13.2	11.3	
Share-cash	6,644	780	939	766	628	495	1,344	810	863	21	1933	100.0	11.7	14.1	11.5	
Share 1	87,135	11,025	12,050	10,202	8,299	6,642	17,632	9,903	11,143	269	1933	100.0	12.7	13.8	11.7	
Croppers (South only)	279,800	53,449	49,190	38,945	28,814	21,197	51,274	20,632	16,045	254	1935	100.0	19.1	17.6	13.9	
Other	43,761	4,749	5,211	4,689	3,952	3,052	9,346	5,355	7,152	255	1932	100.0	10.9	11.9	10.7	
	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF COLOR-TENURE CLASSES BY YEAR OF OCCUPANCY—Continued						PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF OCCUPANCY GROUPS BY TENURE									
	1937	1936	1931 to 1935	1926 to 1930	1920 to 1925	Before 1900	Total reporting	1940	1939	1938	1937	1936	1931 to 1935	1926 to 1930	1920 to 1925	Before 1900
All farm operators	6.8	5.7	16.8	12.2	30.3	2.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Full owners	4.8	4.5	15.6	14.1	43.8	4.2	50.0	16.9	26.7	31.2	35.4	39.4	46.4	57.5	72.4	89.3
Part owners	4.8	4.5	16.2	16.2	45.7	1.7	10.3	2.8	4.5	5.6	7.2	8.2	9.9	13.6	15.5	7.4
Managers	10.4	8.0	20.1	11.1	12.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2
Tenants	9.6	7.5	18.5	8.9	9.2	0.2	39.2	79.7	67.9	62.3	56.6	51.6	43.1	28.4	11.9	3.1
Cash	9.7	7.2	18.1	8.3	9.3	0.2	8.5	16.4	16.1	14.1	12.1	10.8	9.1	5.8	2.6	0.8
Share-cash	10.1	8.6	20.8	10.7	12.6	0.2	4.7	7.1	6.6	6.6	7.0	7.2	5.8	4.1	2.0	0.4
Share 1	9.8	7.6	19.1	10.0	10.3	0.2	13.6	24.9	22.2	20.8	19.7	18.3	15.5	11.1	4.6	0.9
Croppers (South only)	9.9	7.1	16.4	6.4	4.6	0.1	9.0	25.4	17.5	15.2	13.2	11.2	8.8	4.7	1.4	0.3
Other	9.3	7.0	19.2	9.8	11.7	0.5	3.3	5.8	5.6	5.2	4.6	4.1	3.8	2.7	1.3	0.7
White farm operators	6.6	5.6	16.6	12.4	31.7	2.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Full owners	4.8	4.5	15.6	14.0	43.6	4.2	53.6	19.7	30.1	35.2	39.5	43.5	50.5	60.6	73.8	89.9
Part owners	4.7	4.5	16.2	16.2	45.9	1.7	11.0	3.2	5.0	6.2	7.9	8.9	10.7	14.4	15.9	7.5
Managers	10.4	7.9	20.0	11.0	12.8	0.7	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.2
Tenants	9.8	7.5	18.2	8.8	9.2	0.2	34.7	76.3	63.9	57.5	51.6	46.7	38.0	24.5	10.0	2.4
Cash	9.8	7.2	17.4	7.7	8.5	0.2	6.3	18.2	17.1	14.7	12.4	10.8	8.7	5.2	2.2	0.6
Share-cash	10.1	8.7	20.8	10.7	12.6	0.2	5.2	8.5	7.5	7.6	8.0	8.1	6.5	4.5	2.1	0.4
Share 1	9.9	7.6	19.0	9.8	10.0	0.1	13.7	27.5	23.6	22.0	20.6	18.8	15.6	10.9	4.3	0.7
Croppers (South only)	9.5	8.4	14.1	5.2	3.3	0.1	4.6	16.3	10.2	8.3	6.6	5.3	3.9	1.9	0.5	0.1
Other	9.3	7.0	18.5	9.0	10.3	0.5	2.9	5.8	5.5	4.9	4.1	3.7	3.2	2.1	0.9	0.6
Nonwhite farm operators	8.4	6.6	18.5	10.8	19.4	1.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Full owners	4.3	4.1	15.3	15.0	46.9	3.9	23.0	4.0	7.4	9.5	11.7	14.2	19.0	31.8	55.5	79.4
Part owners	5.5	5.1	17.2	15.8	41.7	1.5	4.7	1.2	1.9	2.3	3.1	3.6	4.3	6.8	10.0	6.1
Managers	11.0	9.1	20.3	15.7	17.6	0.5	0.1	(2)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(2)	(2)
Tenants	9.9	7.5	19.5	9.2	9.2	0.2	72.3	94.8	90.6	86.1	85.1	82.1	78.5	61.3	34.4	14.5
Cash	9.1	7.3	22.5	11.8	14.4	0.4	9.8	8.1	10.3	10.5	10.6	10.9	11.9	10.7	7.3	3.9
Share-cash	9.5	7.4	20.2	12.2	13.0	0.3	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.7	0.3
Share 1	9.5	7.6	20.2	11.4	12.8	0.3	13.0	13.7	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.1	14.3	13.7	8.6	3.6
Croppers (South only)	10.3	7.6	18.3	7.4	5.7	0.1	41.9	66.2	58.6	55.4	51.5	48.1	41.6	28.5	12.4	3.4
Other	9.0	7.0	21.4	12.2	16.3	0.6	6.6	5.9	6.2	6.7	7.1	6.9	7.6	7.4	5.5	3.4

¹ Includes croppers for the northern and western States.
² Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.