

State Table 3.—FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUSES OF 1920 TO 1954

[Data for 1954 are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Census of—								
	1954 (October)	1950 (April 1)	1945 (January 1)	1940 (April 1)	1935 (January 1)	1930 (April 1)	1925 (January 1)	1920 (January 1)	
ALL FARM OPERATORS									
All farm operators.....number..	12,754	15,615	22,241	21,163	32,157	17,195	23,240	22,655	
Full owners.....number..	9,422	12,263	18,287	17,778	27,731	14,271	20,120	18,369	
Part owners.....number..	2,755	2,426	1,492	1,492	1,595	1,315	1,138	1,297	
Managers.....number..	82	171	632	375	492	541	494	1,070	
All tenants.....number..	495	755	1,029	1,518	2,339	1,068	1,488	1,919	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	3.9	4.8	4.6	7.2	7.3	6.2	6.4	8.5	
Cash tenants.....number..	270	397	875	1,048	(NA)	798	1,054	1,565	
Share-cash tenants.....number..	20	16	12	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	30	
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	25	31	52	27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	313	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	180	311	90	438	(NA)	(**)	(**)	11	
All land in farms.....acres..	1,144,677	1,272,352	1,593,169	1,512,151	2,079,933	1,502,279	1,832,110	1,898,980	
Full owners.....acres..	596,172	770,217	1,057,884	1,108,565	1,599,459	1,120,233	1,471,821	1,405,167	
Part owners.....acres..	468,247	373,449	340,255	202,649	173,623	162,854	120,931	137,377	
Managers.....acres..	28,923	55,024	125,650	91,936	162,816	113,849	116,062	187,191	
All tenants.....acres..	51,335	73,662	69,380	109,001	144,035	105,343	123,296	169,245	
Cash tenants.....acres..	29,745	40,881	56,908	67,533	(NA)	73,482	84,123	130,050	
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	4,840	1,449	789	687	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1,989	
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	3,050	3,138	4,268	2,614	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	35,648	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	13,700	28,194	7,415	38,167	(NA)	(**)	(**)	1,558	
All cropland harvested.....acres..	284,276	308,500	433,339	362,577	484,386	372,147	497,435	245,934	
Full owners.....acres..	114,559	156,185	256,898	253,308	365,302	272,114	396,753	(NA)	
Part owners.....acres..	148,039	115,108	120,035	65,412	58,215	49,147	37,383	(NA)	
Managers.....acres..	8,748	19,413	38,382	21,314	29,636	25,725	30,996	(NA)	
All tenants.....acres..	12,930	17,794	18,024	22,543	31,233	25,161	32,303	(NA)	
Cash tenants.....acres..	7,840	10,530	14,575	15,474	(NA)	18,350	21,696	(NA)	
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	1,850	433	189	329	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	610	1,060	1,168	689	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	2,630	5,771	2,092	6,051	(NA)	(**)	(**)	(NA)	
ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS									
All white farm operators.....number..	12,724	15,586	22,177	21,118	32,088	17,158	(NA)	22,580	
Full owners.....number..	9,407	12,243	18,233	17,742	27,675	14,245	(NA)	18,324	
Part owners.....number..	2,740	2,418	1,489	1,489	1,591	1,313	(NA)	1,291	
Managers.....number..	82	171	630	374	492	538	(NA)	1,064	
All tenants.....number..	495	754	1,023	1,513	2,330	1,062	(NA)	1,901	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	3.9	4.8	4.6	7.2	7.3	6.2	(NA)	8.4	
Cash tenants.....number..	270	397	871	1,045	(NA)	794	(NA)	1,553	
Share-cash tenants.....number..	20	16	12	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	30	
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	25	30	51	26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	307	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	180	311	89	437	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	11	
All land in farms.....acres..	1,143,882	1,271,208	1,590,816	1,509,836	2,078,214	1,500,363	(NA)	1,891,735	
Full owners.....acres..	595,677	769,246	1,056,169	1,107,025	1,598,294	1,119,117	(NA)	1,403,572	
Part owners.....acres..	467,947	373,295	340,233	202,485	173,571	162,811	(NA)	137,219	
Managers.....acres..	28,923	55,024	125,622	91,791	162,816	113,724	(NA)	185,526	
All tenants.....acres..	51,335	73,643	68,792	108,535	143,533	104,711	(NA)	165,718	
Cash tenants.....acres..	29,745	40,881	56,472	67,469	(NA)	73,107	(NA)	129,276	
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	4,840	1,449	789	687	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1,989	
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	3,050	3,119	4,263	2,214	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	32,895	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	13,700	28,194	7,268	38,165	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	1,558	
All cropland harvested.....acres..	284,056	308,228	432,850	362,034	483,980	371,539	(NA)	(NA)	
Full owners.....acres..	114,544	156,009	256,510	252,950	364,972	271,805	(NA)	(NA)	
Part owners.....acres..	147,834	115,030	120,022	65,342	58,175	49,109	(NA)	(NA)	
Managers.....acres..	8,748	19,413	38,339	21,277	29,636	25,620	(NA)	(NA)	
All tenants.....acres..	12,930	17,776	17,959	22,465	31,197	25,005	(NA)	(NA)	
Cash tenants.....acres..	7,840	10,530	14,545	15,447	(NA)	18,322	(NA)	(NA)	
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	1,850	433	189	329	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	610	1,042	1,164	639	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	2,630	5,771	2,061	6,050	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	(NA)	
ALL NONWHITE FARM OPERATORS									
All nonwhite farm operators.....number..	30	29	64	45	69	37	(NA)	75	
Full owners.....number..	15	20	54	36	56	26	(NA)	45	
Part owners.....number..	15	8	2	3	4	2	(NA)	6	
Managers.....number..	...	...	6	1	...	3	(NA)	6	
All tenants.....number..	...	1	6	5	...	6	(NA)	18	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	...	3.4	9.4	11.1	13.0	16.2	(NA)	24.0	
Cash tenants.....number..	...	...	4	3	(NA)	4	(NA)	112	
Share-cash tenants.....number..	...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	...	
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	...	1	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	...	...	1	1	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	...	
All land in farms.....acres..	795	1,144	2,353	2,315	1,719	1,916	(NA)	7,245	
Full owners.....acres..	495	971	1,715	1,540	1,165	1,116	(NA)	1,595	
Part owners.....acres..	300	154	22	164	52	43	(NA)	158	
Managers.....acres..	...	...	588	145	...	125	(NA)	1,965	
All tenants.....acres..	...	19	28	466	502	632	(NA)	3,527	
Cash tenants.....acres..	...	...	436	64	(NA)	375	(NA)	774	
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	...	
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	...	19	...	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	...	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	...	...	147	2	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	2,753	
All cropland harvested.....acres..	220	272	489	543	406	608	(NA)	(NA)	
Full owners.....acres..	15	176	388	358	330	309	(NA)	(NA)	
Part owners.....acres..	205	78	13	70	40	38	(NA)	(NA)	
Managers.....acres..	...	...	23	37	...	105	(NA)	(NA)	
All tenants.....acres..	...	18	65	78	...	156	(NA)	(NA)	
Cash tenants.....acres..	...	...	30	27	(NA)	28	(NA)	(NA)	
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	...	18	...	50	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	...	...	31	1	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	(NA)	

**Available data not comparable. NA Not available. ¹For 1920, standing renters (renters paying a fixed quantity of products) were included with cash tenants. ²Total acreage of crops for which figures are available, except that corn out for forage was excluded as most of this acreage was probably duplicated in the acreage of corn harvested for grain.