

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 (November)	1950 (April 1)	1945 (January 1)	1940 (April 1)	1935 (January 1)	1930 (April 1)	1925 (January 1)	1920 (January 1)
<b>ALL FARM OPERATORS</b>								
All farm operators.....number..	175,705	195,268	204,239	213,439	231,312	214,497	225,601	237,181
Full owners.....number..	75,640	87,234	87,527	87,004	86,862	85,069	96,200	100,903
Part owners.....number..	38,270	39,771	35,266	32,826	39,698	34,823	32,874	31,671
Managers.....number..	525	793	1,680	1,627	1,896	2,123	1,877	3,411
All tenants.....number..	61,270	67,470	79,766	91,982	102,856	92,482	94,650	101,196
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	34.9	34.6	39.1	43.1	44.5	43.1	42.0	42.7
Cash tenants.....number..	5,152	7,568	12,122	18,821	(NA)	19,158	18,930	126,300
Share-cash tenants.....number..	27,004	31,369	20,651	37,167	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	27,379
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	25,650	23,926	39,596	29,921	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	45,281
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	3,464	4,607	7,397	6,073	(NA)	(**)	(**)	2,236
All land in farms.....acres..	30,462,749	30,978,495	31,602,186	31,032,572	31,661,205	30,695,339	30,731,947	31,974,775
Full owners.....acres..	8,385,496	8,747,968	8,928,706	9,136,105	8,961,846	9,186,892	10,478,248	11,368,258
Part owners.....acres..	9,039,764	8,881,664	7,856,361	6,564,667	6,670,637	6,039,652	5,319,258	4,896,818
Managers.....acres..	322,513	363,977	524,277	456,784	470,468	511,892	449,793	712,850
All tenants.....acres..	12,714,976	12,984,886	14,292,842	14,875,016	15,558,254	14,956,903	14,484,648	14,996,849
Cash tenants.....acres..	621,346	883,978	1,232,460	1,827,198	(NA)	2,218,427	2,210,049	13,259,774
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	6,039,689	6,651,879	4,232,430	6,984,496	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4,725,582
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	5,654,344	4,874,366	7,718,667	5,299,033	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6,726,958
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	399,597	574,663	1,109,285	764,289	(NA)	(**)	(**)	284,535
All cropland harvested.....acres..	20,609,672	20,364,489	20,301,602	18,270,025	17,566,770	18,958,337	19,755,447	20,372,347
Full owners.....acres..	4,753,952	4,727,468	4,840,293	4,657,873	4,266,397	4,854,225	5,838,654	(NA)
Part owners.....acres..	6,140,659	5,949,844	5,111,218	3,946,894	3,847,681	3,786,102	3,496,842	(NA)
Managers.....acres..	195,403	228,073	328,858	254,230	254,192	283,145	254,904	(NA)
All tenants.....acres..	9,519,658	9,459,104	10,021,233	9,411,028	9,198,500	10,034,865	10,165,047	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres..	416,149	572,637	766,594	1,025,768	(NA)	1,409,937	1,472,098	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	4,751,047	5,141,075	3,172,556	4,753,554	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	4,103,133	3,386,142	5,364,239	3,206,366	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	249,329	359,250	717,844	425,340	(NA)	(**)	(**)	(NA)
<b>ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS</b>								
All white farm operators.....number..	175,028	194,438	203,325	212,654	230,176	213,603	(NA)	236,288
Full owners.....number..	75,234	86,766	87,075	86,642	86,532	84,760	(NA)	100,521
Part owners.....number..	38,094	39,583	35,106	32,733	39,538	34,672	(NA)	31,519
Managers.....number..	525	792	1,676	1,626	1,894	2,117	(NA)	3,402
All tenants.....number..	61,175	67,297	79,468	91,653	102,212	92,054	(NA)	100,846
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	35.0	34.6	39.1	43.1	44.4	43.1	(NA)	42.7
Cash tenants.....number..	5,132	7,541	12,084	18,744	(NA)	19,093	(NA)	126,230
Share-cash tenants.....number..	26,994	31,348	20,648	37,148	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	27,352
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	25,600	23,826	39,421	29,721	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	45,037
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	3,449	4,582	7,315	6,040	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	2,227
All land in farms.....acres..	30,415,458	30,926,050	31,548,959	30,988,471	31,607,550	30,637,528	(NA)	31,917,073
Full owners.....acres..	8,365,913	8,730,730	8,909,135	9,122,087	8,948,684	9,171,021	(NA)	11,346,023
Part owners.....acres..	9,020,041	8,862,671	7,842,345	6,556,904	6,660,950	6,027,882	(NA)	4,885,596
Managers.....acres..	322,513	359,877	523,834	456,084	469,622	511,136	(NA)	711,773
All tenants.....acres..	12,706,991	12,972,772	14,273,645	14,853,396	15,528,294	14,927,489	(NA)	14,973,681
Cash tenants.....acres..	621,001	882,633	1,230,998	1,822,782	(NA)	2,215,523	(NA)	13,255,636
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	6,036,489	6,648,791	4,231,942	6,980,808	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4,721,709
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	5,650,059	4,867,650	7,705,777	5,287,065	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6,712,194
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	399,442	573,698	1,104,928	762,741	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	284,142
All cropland harvested.....acres..	20,582,337	20,339,839	20,274,888	18,252,440	17,538,550	18,933,105	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners.....acres..	4,745,877	4,720,880	4,832,285	4,652,594	4,260,771	4,848,415	(NA)	(NA)
Part owners.....acres..	6,126,879	5,939,407	5,103,429	3,943,354	3,842,306	3,779,887	(NA)	(NA)
Managers.....acres..	195,403	227,321	328,671	253,830	253,757	282,747	(NA)	(NA)
All tenants.....acres..	9,514,178	9,452,231	10,010,503	9,402,662	9,181,726	10,022,056	(NA)	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres..	415,979	572,062	765,940	1,024,376	(NA)	1,408,651	(NA)	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	4,748,357	5,138,995	3,172,228	4,752,174	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	4,100,588	3,382,329	5,357,230	3,201,282	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	249,254	358,845	715,105	424,830	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>ALL NONWHITE FARM OPERATORS</b>								
All nonwhite farm operators.....number..	677	830	914	785	1,136	894	(NA)	893
Full owners.....number..	406	468	452	362	330	309	(NA)	382
Part owners.....number..	176	188	160	93	160	151	(NA)	152
Managers.....number..	...	1	4	1	2	6	(NA)	9
All tenants.....number..	95	173	298	329	644	428	(NA)	350
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	14.0	20.8	32.6	41.9	56.7	47.9	(NA)	39.2
Cash tenants.....number..	20	27	38	77	77	65	(NA)	170
Share-cash tenants.....number..	10	21	3	19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	27
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	50	100	175	200	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	244
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	15	25	82	33	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	9
All land in farms.....acres..	47,291	52,445	53,227	44,101	53,655	57,811	(NA)	57,702
Full owners.....acres..	19,583	17,238	19,571	14,018	13,162	15,871	(NA)	22,235
Part owners.....acres..	19,723	18,993	14,016	7,763	9,687	11,770	(NA)	11,222
Managers.....acres..	...	443	700	700	846	756	(NA)	1,077
All tenants.....acres..	7,985	12,114	19,197	21,620	29,960	29,414	(NA)	23,168
Cash tenants.....acres..	345	345	1,462	4,436	(NA)	2,904	(NA)	14,138
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	3,200	3,088	488	3,688	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3,873
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	4,285	6,716	12,890	11,968	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	14,764
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	155	965	4,357	1,548	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	393
All cropland harvested.....acres..	27,335	24,650	26,714	17,585	28,220	25,232	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners.....acres..	8,075	6,588	8,008	5,279	5,636	5,810	(NA)	(NA)
Part owners.....acres..	13,780	10,437	7,789	3,540	5,375	6,215	(NA)	(NA)
Managers.....acres..	...	752	187	400	435	398	(NA)	(NA)
All tenants.....acres..	5,480	6,873	10,730	8,366	16,774	12,809	(NA)	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres..	170	575	654	1,392	(NA)	1,286	(NA)	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	2,690	2,080	328	1,380	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	2,545	3,813	7,009	5,084	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	75	405	7,739	510	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	(NA)

\*\*Available data not comparable.

NA Not available.

<sup>1</sup>For 1920, standing renters (renters paying a fixed quantity of products) were included with cash tenants.<sup>2</sup>Total 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.