

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..	32,956	35,085	37,747	41,823	50,564	47,495	46,904	57,677
Full owners.....number..	14,493	16,090	16,622	17,028	21,509	20,101	23,861	38,431
Part owners.....number..	13,425	13,573	14,530	12,856	14,738	15,252	12,420	11,840
Managers.....number..	251	267	317	297	332	514	367	899
All tenants.....number..	4,787	5,155	6,278	11,642	13,985	11,628	10,256	6,507
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	14.5	14.7	16.6	27.8	27.7	24.5	21.9	11.3
Cash tenants.....number..	852	930	2,086	3,324	(NA)	3,078	2,137	1,757
Share-cash tenants.....number..	724	611	352	1,139	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	160
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	2,771	2,999	3,409	6,424	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4,398
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	440	615	431	755	(NA)	(**)	(**)	192
All land in farms.....acres..	61,463,290	59,247,434	58,787,318	46,451,594	47,511,868	44,659,152	32,735,723	35,070,656
Full owners.....acres..	10,017,007	10,998,733	9,108,936	7,526,526	9,390,862	9,650,091	10,165,432	16,422,825
Part owners.....acres..	41,144,125	39,077,898	39,642,071	28,032,689	27,321,631	24,494,559	15,199,810	12,530,125
Managers.....acres..	5,248,943	3,999,904	5,291,348	3,032,002	2,772,783	3,014,961	1,911,682	2,859,873
All tenants.....acres..	5,053,215	5,170,899	4,744,963	7,860,377	8,026,592	7,499,541	5,458,799	3,257,833
Cash tenants.....acres..	1,083,176	1,210,637	1,864,840	2,618,243	(NA)	2,213,520	1,246,676	1,941,238
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	900,717	739,814	366,373	1,253,667	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	135,831
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	2,811,882	2,784,745	2,268,959	3,594,896	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2,038,266
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	237,440	435,703	244,791	435,791	(NA)	(**)	(**)	142,498
All cropland harvested.....acres..	8,393,827	7,576,173	7,439,470	5,748,069	4,592,453	7,840,979	6,416,335	2 ³ ,812,033
Full owners.....acres..	1,932,149	1,931,824	1,885,281	1,346,663	1,216,445	2,099,320	2,247,879	(NA)
Part owners.....acres..	5,137,739	4,412,871	4,395,608	2,920,035	2,198,476	3,875,618	2,576,701	(NA)
Managers.....acres..	160,108	176,809	227,242	143,562	107,386	185,774	152,931	(NA)
All tenants.....acres..	1,163,831	1,054,669	931,339	1,337,809	1,070,146	1,680,267	1,438,824	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres..	79,038	82,912	152,250	193,061	(NA)	249,707	192,287	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	200,451	138,230	71,384	187,103	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	844,174	777,165	647,079	911,839	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	40,168	56,362	60,626	45,806	(NA)	(**)	(**)	(NA)
ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS								
All white farm operators.....number..	32,476	34,281	36,508	40,747	48,797	46,311	(NA)	56,614
Full owners.....number..	14,314	15,732	15,853	15,346	20,113	19,259	(NA)	37,491
Part owners.....number..	13,168	13,239	14,168	12,662	14,540	15,073	(NA)	11,795
Managers.....number..	246	262	312	292	331	510	(NA)	889
All tenants.....number..	4,748	5,048	6,175	11,493	13,813	11,469	(NA)	6,439
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	14.6	14.7	16.9	28.2	28.3	24.8	(NA)	11.4
Cash tenants.....number..	832	909	2,017	3,261	(NA)	3,029	(NA)	1,722
Share-cash tenants.....number..	722	607	346	1,127	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	160
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	2,766	2,989	3,385	6,388	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4,368
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	428	543	427	717	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	189
All land in farms.....acres..	60,273,772	57,988,185	57,820,358	46,015,334	46,953,260	44,260,392	(NA)	34,419,041
Full owners.....acres..	9,912,750	10,871,902	8,882,162	7,359,857	9,082,284	9,441,984	(NA)	16,008,921
Part owners.....acres..	40,560,440	38,530,054	39,003,272	27,806,708	27,112,913	24,345,681	(NA)	12,337,744
Managers.....acres..	4,800,003	3,476,940	5,253,959	3,029,141	2,769,783	3,010,791	(NA)	2,855,278
All tenants.....acres..	5,000,579	5,109,289	4,680,965	7,819,628	7,988,280	7,461,936	(NA)	3,217,098
Cash tenants.....acres..	1,039,700	1,186,452	1,809,390	2,597,584	(NA)	2,202,573	(NA)	1,907,492
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	897,597	738,404	364,298	1,250,821	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	135,831
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	2,811,082	2,771,437	2,263,251	3,585,046	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2,032,397
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	252,240	412,996	386,177	386,177	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	141,378
All cropland harvested.....acres..	8,326,799	7,508,508	7,361,678	5,697,859	4,538,960	7,771,572	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners.....acres..	1,918,468	1,915,727	1,859,359	1,322,506	1,186,586	2,062,415	(NA)	(NA)
Part owners.....acres..	5,089,642	4,367,831	4,353,118	2,902,736	2,180,994	3,852,085	(NA)	(NA)
Managers.....acres..	159,413	176,189	225,724	142,985	107,147	185,480	(NA)	(NA)
All tenants.....acres..	1,159,276	1,048,761	923,477	1,329,632	1,064,233	1,671,592	(NA)	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres..	75,449	81,343	148,304	190,833	(NA)	247,715	(NA)	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	199,682	137,204	70,459	186,226	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	844,064	775,713	644,307	907,839	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	40,081	54,501	60,407	44,734	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	(NA)
ALL NONWHITE FARM OPERATORS								
All nonwhite farm operators.....number..	480	804	1,239	1,076	1,767	1,184	(NA)	1,063
Full owners.....number..	179	358	769	728	1,396	842	(NA)	940
Part owners.....number..	257	334	362	194	198	179	(NA)	45
Managers.....number..	5	5	5	5	1	4	(NA)	10
All tenants.....number..	39	107	103	149	172	159	(NA)	68
Proportion of tenancy.....percent..	8.1	13.3	8.3	13.8	9.7	13.4	(NA)	6.4
Cash tenants.....number..	20	21	69	63	(NA)	49	(NA)	135
Share-cash tenants.....number..	2	4	6	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	...
Share tenants and croppers.....number..	5	10	24	36	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	30
Other and unspecified tenants.....number..	12	72	4	38	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	3
All land in farms.....acres..	1,189,518	1,259,249	966,960	436,260	558,608	398,760	(NA)	651,615
Full owners.....acres..	104,257	126,831	226,774	166,669	308,578	208,107	(NA)	413,904
Part owners.....acres..	583,685	547,844	638,799	225,981	208,718	148,878	(NA)	192,381
Managers.....acres..	448,940	522,964	37,389	2,861	3,000	4,170	(NA)	4,595
All tenants.....acres..	52,636	61,610	63,998	40,749	38,312	37,605	(NA)	4,756
Cash tenants.....acres..	43,476	24,185	55,450	20,659	(NA)	10,947	(NA)	133,746
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	3,160	1,410	2,075	2,846	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	800	13,308	5,708	9,850	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5,869
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	5,200	22,707	765	7,394	(NA)	(**)	(NA)	1,120
All cropland harvested.....acres..	67,028	67,665	77,792	50,210	53,493	69,407	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners.....acres..	13,681	16,097	25,922	24,157	29,859	36,905	(NA)	(NA)
Part owners.....acres..	48,097	45,040	42,490	17,299	17,482	23,533	(NA)	(NA)
Managers.....acres..	695	620	1,518	577	239	593	(NA)	(NA)
All tenants.....acres..	4,555	5,908	7,862	8,177	5,913	8,675	(NA)	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres..	3,589	1,569	3,946	2,228	(NA)	1,992	(NA)	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres..	769	1,026	925	877	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants and croppers.....acres..	110	1,452	2,772	4,000	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres..	87	1,861	219	1,072	(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.