

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

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

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	1954 (November)	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...	68,570	81,434	97,600	99,282	104,747	82,641	90,380	87,289
Full owners.....number...	56,243	67,583	78,398	71,542	68,981	60,581	70,203	66,220
Part owners.....number...	5,943	5,280	4,398	4,783	8,152	5,992	4,740	5,881
Managers.....number...	169	218	417	378	593	721	662	1,090
All tenants.....number...	6,215	8,353	14,387	22,579	27,021	15,347	14,775	14,098
Proportion of tenancy.....percent...	9.1	10.3	14.7	22.7	25.8	18.6	16.3	16.2
Cash tenants.....number...	2,768	3,346	8,976	12,774	(NA)	7,084	6,133	5,616
Share-cash tenants.....number...	121	148	84	411	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	212
Share tenants.....number...	846	970	1,820	3,206	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5,331
Croppers.....number...	319	625	1,642	1,122	3,043	1,834	1,226	1,628
Other and unspecified tenants.....number...	2,161	3,264	2,865	5,065	(**)	(**)	(**)	1,311
All land in farms.....acres...	7,358,659	8,214,626	8,719,579	8,908,803	9,423,655	8,802,348	8,979,847	9,569,795
Full owners.....acres...	5,614,746	6,410,191	6,774,545	6,370,918	6,435,087	6,320,792	6,960,337	7,105,251
Part owners.....acres...	1,095,309	882,062	676,778	610,270	876,960	824,431	522,493	708,127
Managers.....acres...	101,921	116,150	176,410	157,451	230,510	256,964	211,191	356,083
All tenants.....acres...	546,683	806,223	1,091,846	1,770,164	1,881,098	1,400,161	1,285,830	1,400,365
Cash tenants.....acres...	221,121	278,649	530,356	799,335	799,335	580,057	460,912	555,548
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	12,054	16,269	12,765	46,211	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	22,208
Share tenants.....acres...	105,005	139,746	214,334	351,581	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	563,250
Croppers.....acres...	38,560	79,487	85,451	150,047	223,427	175,850	107,657	147,390
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	169,943	292,072	248,940	422,990	(**)	(**)	(**)	111,969
All cropland harvested.....acres...	1,079,199	1,218,239	1,489,919	1,564,754	1,710,475	1,655,380	1,676,570	1,891,515
Full owners.....acres...	772,859	931,854	1,144,420	1,132,834	1,157,338	1,190,645	1,269,310	(NA)
Part owners.....acres...	195,717	148,510	130,029	124,057	180,737	161,648	111,932	(NA)
Managers.....acres...	23,082	27,510	46,087	39,719	49,350	47,926	41,455	(NA)
All tenants.....acres...	87,541	110,365	169,383	268,144	323,050	255,161	253,873	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres...	25,430	24,653	64,781	97,115	(NA)	78,561	68,624	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	3,652	3,798	2,085	5,793	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants.....acres...	33,706	35,834	48,522	84,766	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Croppers.....acres...	5,469	13,518	18,523	28,281	47,269	37,559	28,555	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	19,284	32,562	35,472	52,189	(**)	(**)	(**)	(NA)
Corn harvested for grain.....acres...	172,161	224,464	300,360	414,181	514,793	409,984	403,201	568,219
Full owners.....acres...	110,212	157,974	215,585	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Part owners.....acres...	36,049	31,027	31,190	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	318,746	(NA)
Managers.....acres...	2,120	3,640	6,174	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4,035	(NA)
All tenants.....acres...	23,780	31,823	47,411	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80,420	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres...	7,039	9,450	20,462	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	1,081	1,005	144	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants.....acres...	10,485	10,978	12,162	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Croppers.....acres...	1,046	3,482	6,498	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	4,130	6,908	8,145	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS								
All white farm operators.....number...	68,284	81,062	96,900	98,611	104,054	82,150	89,666	86,785
Full owners.....number...	56,033	67,310	77,875	71,146	68,525	60,253	69,699	65,854
Part owners.....number...	5,893	5,242	4,365	4,752	8,097	5,947	4,709	5,844
Managers.....number...	168	214	403	373	586	714	657	1,082
All tenants.....number...	6,190	8,296	14,257	22,340	26,846	15,236	14,601	14,005
Proportion of tenancy.....percent...	9.1	10.2	14.7	22.7	25.8	18.5	16.3	16.1
Cash tenants.....number...	2,758	3,313	8,894	12,584	(NA)	7,046	6,056	5,581
Share-cash tenants.....number...	121	148	84	411	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	211
Share tenants.....number...	841	964	1,807	3,188	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5,297
Croppers.....number...	319	622	1,636	1,114	3,032	1,811	1,209	1,616
Other and unspecified tenants.....number...	2,151	3,249	2,836	5,043	(**)	(**)	(**)	1,300
All land in farms.....acres...	7,341,539	8,195,392	8,689,470	8,885,062	9,395,425	8,774,263	8,949,841	9,542,246
Full owners.....acres...	5,605,561	6,397,895	6,754,928	6,355,867	6,418,082	6,305,051	6,941,351	7,088,514
Part owners.....acres...	1,091,024	879,893	675,107	608,713	874,656	821,630	521,346	705,776
Managers.....acres...	100,621	114,417	173,218	156,530	228,609	255,995	209,141	354,563
All tenants.....acres...	544,333	803,187	1,086,217	1,763,952	1,874,078	1,391,587	1,278,003	1,393,393
Cash tenants.....acres...	220,116	276,899	527,311	797,220	(NA)	577,884	459,677	553,626
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	12,054	16,269	12,765	46,211	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	22,173
Share tenants.....acres...	103,945	139,355	213,315	349,894	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	560,100
Croppers.....acres...	38,560	79,318	84,997	149,050	222,833	174,434	106,362	146,780
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	169,658	291,346	247,829	421,577	(**)	(**)	(**)	110,714
All cropland harvested.....acres...	1,077,042	1,215,216	1,483,922	1,559,503	1,704,606	1,648,716	1,668,580	(NA)
Full owners.....acres...	771,959	929,998	1,141,026	1,129,827	1,154,089	1,187,532	1,264,761	(NA)
Part owners.....acres...	195,197	148,059	129,480	123,610	180,056	160,989	111,519	(NA)
Managers.....acres...	22,675	27,194	45,087	39,312	48,818	47,510	41,141	(NA)
All tenants.....acres...	87,211	109,965	168,329	266,754	321,643	252,685	251,159	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres...	25,410	24,497	64,512	96,629	(NA)	78,157	68,283	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	3,652	3,798	2,085	5,793	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants.....acres...	33,411	35,694	48,205	84,263	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Croppers.....acres...	5,469	13,496	18,442	28,029	47,041	36,992	27,939	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	19,269	32,480	35,085	52,040	(**)	(**)	(**)	(NA)

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ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS—Continued								
Corn harvested for grain.....acres...	171,521	223,724	299,971	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners.....acres...	109,932	157,519	215,279	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Part owners.....acres...	35,874	30,872	31,190	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Managers.....acres...	1,995	3,580	6,109	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All tenants.....acres...	23,720	31,753	47,393	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres...	7,028	9,410	20,444	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	1,081	1,005	144	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants.....acres...	10,440	10,978	12,162	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Croppers.....acres...	1,046	3,482	6,498	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	4,125	6,878	8,145	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
ALL NONWHITE FARM OPERATORS								
All nonwhite farm operators.....number...	286	372	700	671	693	491	714	504
Full owners.....number...	210	273	523	396	456	328	504	366
Part owners.....number...	50	38	33	31	55	45	31	37
Managers.....number...	1	4	14	5	7	7	5	8
All tenants.....number...	25	57	130	239	175	111	174	93
Proportion of tenancy.....percent...	8.7	15.3	18.6	35.6	25.3	22.6	24.4	18.5
Cash tenants.....number...	10	33	82	190	(NA)	38	77	35
Share-cash tenants.....number...	...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1
Share tenants.....number...	5	6	13	18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	34
Croppers.....number...	...	3	6	9	11	23	17	12
Other and unspecified tenants.....number...	10	15	29	22	(**)	(**)	(**)	11
All land in farms.....acres...	17,120	19,234	30,109	23,741	28,230	28,085	30,006	27,544
Full owners.....acres...	9,185	12,296	19,617	15,051	17,005	15,741	18,982	16,701
Part owners.....acres...	4,285	2,169	1,671	1,557	2,304	2,801	1,147	2,351
Managers.....acres...	1,300	1,733	3,192	921	1,901	969	2,050	1,520
All tenants.....acres...	2,350	3,036	5,629	6,212	7,020	8,574	7,827	6,972
Cash tenants.....acres...	1,005	1,750	3,045	2,115	(NA)	2,173	1,235	1,922
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	35
Share tenants.....acres...	1,060	391	1,019	1,687	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3,150
Croppers.....acres...	...	169	454	997	594	1,416	1,295	610
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	285	726	1,111	1,413	(**)	(**)	(NA)	1,255
All cropland harvested.....acres...	2,157	3,023	5,997	5,251	5,869	6,664	7,990	(NA)
Full owners.....acres...	900	1,856	3,394	3,007	3,249	3,113	4,549	(NA)
Part owners.....acres...	520	451	549	447	681	659	413	(NA)
Managers.....acres...	407	316	1,000	407	532	416	314	(NA)
All tenants.....acres...	330	400	1,054	1,390	1,407	2,476	2,714	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres...	20	156	269	486	(NA)	204	341	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants.....acres...	295	140	317	503	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Croppers.....acres...	...	22	81	252	228	567	616	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	15	82	387	149	(**)	(**)	(NA)	(NA)
Corn harvested for grain.....acres...	640	740	389	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners.....acres...	280	455	306	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Part owners.....acres...	175	155	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Managers.....acres...	125	60	65	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All tenants.....acres...	60	70	18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cash tenants.....acres...	10	40	19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share-cash tenants.....acres...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Share tenants.....acres...	45	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Croppers.....acres...	...	...	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres...	5	30	...	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Available data not comparable. NA Not available. Total acreage of crops for which figures are available, except that corn cut for forage was excluded as most of this acreage was probably duplicated in the acreage of corn harvested for grain.