

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 3.—FARMS AND FARM ACREAGE, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUSES OF 1920 TO 1959

[Data for 1959 and 1954 are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Census of—									
	1959 (Oct.-Nov.)	1954 (Oct.-Nov.)	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.....	15,463	22,695	24,838	26,226	25,835	29,375	25,378	29,671	29,702	
Full owners.....number.....	10,883	17,713	19,557	19,759	19,448	22,007	19,564	23,875	20,752	
Part owners.....number.....	3,069	3,307	3,054	3,221	1,922	1,575	1,207	660	1,137	
Managers.....number.....	212	187	312	575	430	551	659	413	987	
All tenants.....number.....	1,299	1,488	1,915	2,671	4,035	5,242	3,948	4,723	6,826	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	8.4	6.6	7.7	10.2	15.6	17.8	15.6	15.9	23.0	
Cash tenants.....number.....	857	828	1,030	1,564	2,615	NA	2,049	1,864	12,983	
Share-cash tenants.....number.....	55	85	80	28	52	NA	NA	NA	40	
Crop-share tenants.....number.....	86	145	223	453	810	NA	NA	NA	3,600	
Livestock-share tenants.....number.....	50	95	71	626	558	NA	NA	NA	203	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number.....	251	335	511	626	558	NA	NA	NA	203	
All land in farms.....acres.....	1,378,298	1,677,048	1,725,441	1,818,103	1,874,402	1,914,110	1,758,027	1,924,545	2,282,585	
Full owners.....acres.....	630,466	926,013	1,007,860	1,051,479	1,213,239	1,176,845	1,136,041	1,349,249	1,331,425	
Part owners.....acres.....	487,586	484,649	402,823	364,492	205,448	130,598	99,515	55,041	93,266	
Managers.....acres.....	91,562	94,813	113,436	170,704	113,235	160,073	143,877	68,258	208,391	
All tenants.....acres.....	168,684	171,573	201,322	231,428	342,480	446,594	378,594	451,997	649,403	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	111,677	105,203	110,918	127,502	194,133	NA	172,424	138,336	1224,641	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	14,950	14,270	13,232	3,758	6,737	NA	NA	NA	5,519	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	11,147	18,020	27,771	58,726	95,047	NA	NA	NA	407,000	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	8,390	15,055	11,004	58,726	95,047	NA	NA	NA	407,000	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	22,520	19,025	38,397	41,442	46,563	NA	NA	NA	12,243	
All cropland harvested.....acres.....	674,030	796,432	781,820	915,729	778,809	864,743	776,954	907,754	2997,541	
Full owners.....acres.....	246,284	360,774	398,293	490,438	457,363	527,768	494,389	611,226	NA	
Part owners.....acres.....	300,333	297,216	237,961	228,118	120,901	79,851	55,415	35,985	NA	
Managers.....acres.....	37,129	43,475	46,434	75,173	45,343	50,561	49,466	30,709	NA	
All tenants.....acres.....	90,284	94,967	99,132	122,000	155,602	206,563	177,684	229,834	NA	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	59,030	55,622	53,127	65,350	84,389	NA	69,954	57,069	NA	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	9,275	10,695	9,073	2,823	3,901	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	8,264	11,840	16,595	34,571	52,522	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	4,555	7,980	5,775	34,571	52,522	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	9,160	8,830	14,562	19,256	14,790	NA	NA	NA	NA	
ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS										
White farm operators.....number.....	15,278	22,335	24,358	25,529	25,387	28,873	24,994	NA	29,167	
Full owners.....number.....	10,753	17,423	19,180	19,219	19,149	21,721	19,347	NA	20,493	
Part owners.....number.....	3,044	3,267	2,998	3,166	1,900	1,538	1,184	NA	1,111	
Managers.....number.....	207	172	308	566	425	542	644	NA	967	
All tenants.....number.....	1,274	1,473	1,872	2,578	3,913	5,072	3,819	NA	6,596	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	8.3	6.6	7.7	10.1	15.4	17.6	15.3	NA	22.6	
Cash tenants.....number.....	842	823	1,012	1,501	2,551	NA	2,007	NA	12,896	
Share-cash tenants.....number.....	55	85	80	27	49	NA	NA	NA	39	
Crop-share tenants.....number.....	81	145	213	442	773	NA	NA	NA	3,466	
Livestock-share tenants.....number.....	50	95	70	608	540	NA	NA	NA	195	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number.....	246	325	497	608	540	NA	NA	NA	195	
Land in farms.....acres.....	1,369,108	1,666,968	1,709,749	1,798,975	1,859,757	1,893,147	1,737,934	NA	2,256,265	
Full owners.....acres.....	623,256	920,143	997,341	1,039,740	1,206,250	1,168,518	1,129,626	NA	1,322,995	
Part owners.....acres.....	486,051	483,279	400,236	362,086	204,699	129,227	98,248	NA	92,794	
Managers.....acres.....	91,532	92,893	113,023	169,982	112,399	158,962	141,891	NA	206,413	
All tenants.....acres.....	168,269	170,653	199,149	227,167	336,409	436,440	368,169	NA	634,063	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	111,577	105,188	110,218	124,962	192,490	NA	170,400	NA	1221,314	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	14,950	14,270	13,232	3,670	6,557	NA	NA	NA	5,489	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	10,877	18,020	26,981	57,315	91,888	NA	NA	NA	395,392	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	8,390	15,055	10,862	57,315	91,888	NA	NA	NA	395,392	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	22,495	18,120	37,856	41,220	45,474	NA	NA	NA	11,868	
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	671,055	792,352	776,047	906,211	772,797	855,721	768,476	NA	NA	
Full owners.....acres.....	244,214	359,474	395,216	485,100	455,063	524,744	491,669	NA	NA	
Part owners.....acres.....	299,773	296,546	236,506	226,634	120,073	79,144	54,884	NA	NA	
Managers.....acres.....	37,129	42,050	46,268	74,740	44,889	49,979	48,605	NA	NA	
All tenants.....acres.....	89,939	94,282	98,057	119,737	152,772	201,854	173,318	NA	NA	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	58,920	55,612	52,728	64,105	83,764	NA	69,318	NA	NA	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	9,275	10,695	9,073	2,787	3,784	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	8,044	11,840	16,126	33,711	50,785	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	4,555	7,980	5,660	33,711	50,785	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	9,145	8,155	14,470	19,134	14,439	NA	NA	NA	NA	
ALL NONWHITE FARM OPERATORS										
Nonwhite farm operators.....number.....	185	360	480	697	448	502	384	NA	535	
Full owners.....number.....	130	290	377	540	299	286	217	NA	259	
Part owners.....number.....	25	40	56	55	22	37	23	NA	26	
Managers.....number.....	5	15	4	9	5	9	15	NA	20	
All tenants.....number.....	25	15	43	93	122	170	129	NA	230	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	13.5	4.2	9.0	13.3	27.2	33.9	33.6	NA	43.0	
Cash tenants.....number.....	15	5	18	63	64	NA	42	NA	187	
Share-cash tenants.....number.....	...	...	...	1	3	NA	NA	NA	1	
Crop-share tenants.....number.....	5	...	10	11	37	NA	NA	NA	134	
Livestock-share tenants.....number.....	...	...	1	18	18	NA	NA	NA	8	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number.....	5	10	14	18	18	NA	NA	NA	8	
Land in farms.....acres.....	9,190	10,080	15,692	19,128	14,645	20,963	20,093	NA	26,320	
Full owners.....acres.....	7,210	5,870	10,519	11,739	6,989	8,327	6,415	NA	8,430	
Part owners.....acres.....	1,535	1,370	2,587	2,406	749	1,371	1,267	NA	572	
Managers.....acres.....	30	1,920	413	722	836	1,111	1,986	NA	1,978	
All tenants.....acres.....	415	920	2,173	4,261	6,071	10,154	10,425	NA	15,340	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	120	15	700	2,540	1,643	NA	2,024	NA	13,327	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	...	...	...	88	180	NA	NA	NA	30	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	270	...	790	1,411	3,159	NA	NA	NA	11,608	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	...	...	142	222	1,089	NA	NA	NA	375	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	25	905	541	222	1,089	NA	NA	NA	375	
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	2,975	4,080	5,773	9,518	6,012	9,022	8,478	NA	NA	
Full owners.....acres.....	2,070	1,300	3,077	5,338	2,300	3,024	2,720	NA	NA	
Part owners.....acres.....	560	670	1,455	1,484	428	707	531	NA	NA	
Managers.....acres.....	...	1,425	166	433	454	582	861	NA	NA	
All tenants.....acres.....	345	685	1,075	2,263	2,830	4,709	4,366	NA	NA	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	110	10	399	1,245	625	NA	636	NA	NA	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	...	...	...	36	117	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	220	...	469	860	1,737	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	...	...	115	122	351	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	15	675	92	122	351	NA	NA	NA	NA	

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 cut for forage was excluded as most of this acreage was probably duplicated in the acreage of corn harvested for grain.