

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.....	15,869	20,977	23,599	29,695	34,105	41,369	31,404	31,687	29,844	
Full owners.....number.....	8,959	12,769	14,533	18,232	22,164	27,377	19,930	21,415	21,533	
Part owners.....number.....	4,963	5,656	5,731	7,088	5,866	5,741	4,810	4,590	4,223	
Managers.....number.....	249	249	278	299	264	394	334	256	433	
All tenants.....number.....	1,698	2,303	3,057	4,076	5,811	7,857	6,330	5,426	3,655	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	10.7	11.0	13.0	13.7	17.0	19.0	20.2	17.1	12.2	
Cash tenants.....number.....	468	564	609	1,325	1,642	NA	1,528	1,082	1,894	
Share-cash tenants.....number.....	99	111	170	173	222	NA	NA	NA	39	
Crop-share tenants.....number.....	698	1,233	1,651	2,003	3,295	NA	NA	NA	2,469	
Livestock-share tenants.....number.....	104	77	125	575	652	NA	NA	NA	253	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number.....	329	318	502	575	652	NA	NA	NA	253	
All land in farms.....acres.....	46,268,314	49,454,872	47,521,809	49,608,445	38,860,427	34,397,205	30,822,034	27,850,325	24,409,633	
Full owners.....acres.....	6,160,219	7,103,666	7,725,595	8,702,685	9,771,742	7,786,647	6,336,817	6,938,511	8,949,423	
Part owners.....acres.....	26,245,820	26,721,595	24,072,592	24,749,764	19,157,595	15,986,958	15,520,008	12,861,845	8,904,583	
Managers.....acres.....	11,461,678	12,981,123	12,735,121	13,132,746	5,745,521	6,054,333	5,250,383	4,732,575	3,862,989	
All tenants.....acres.....	2,400,597	2,648,488	2,988,501	3,023,250	4,185,569	4,569,267	3,614,826	3,317,394	2,692,638	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	1,522,102	1,651,568	1,797,290	1,912,902	2,472,210	NA	1,789,190	2,160,188	1,862,612	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	112,367	114,554	118,355	70,001	188,458	NA	NA	NA	21,318	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	262,888	432,418	506,674	708,745	996,248	NA	NA	NA	579,066	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	93,092	110,627	147,109	708,745	996,248	NA	NA	NA	579,066	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	410,148	339,321	419,073	331,602	528,653	NA	NA	NA	229,642	
All cropland harvested.....acres.....	1,081,391	1,139,316	1,897,813	1,956,827	1,572,507	743,840	1,493,998	1,345,705	2,131,832	
Full owners.....acres.....	291,516	345,397	625,118	652,849	586,396	319,874	588,420	657,345	NA	
Part owners.....acres.....	538,419	496,144	794,189	767,681	539,294	183,193	454,291	329,213	NA	
Managers.....acres.....	41,519	34,986	67,972	88,403	35,386	18,042	46,588	NA	NA	
All tenants.....acres.....	209,937	242,789	410,534	447,894	411,431	222,731	416,967	312,559	NA	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	20,500	14,670	39,607	93,733	65,630	NA	64,586	33,975	NA	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	16,564	18,676	31,982	24,372	25,528	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	142,799	190,288	285,568	278,328	293,969	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	20,715	8,873	22,503	278,328	293,969	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	9,359	10,282	30,874	51,461	26,304	NA	NA	NA	NA	
ALL WHITE FARM OPERATORS										
White farm operators.....number.....	15,082	19,488	21,815	27,895	28,541	37,177	28,059	NA	27,969	
Full owners.....number.....	8,348	11,488	12,872	16,523	16,745	23,274	16,728	NA	19,894	
Part owners.....number.....	4,925	5,514	5,668	7,058	5,764	5,712	4,723	NA	4,219	
Managers.....number.....	212	216	253	284	263	394	334	NA	431	
All tenants.....number.....	1,597	2,270	3,022	4,030	5,769	7,797	6,274	NA	3,425	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	10.6	11.6	13.9	14.4	20.2	21.0	22.4	NA	12.2	
Cash tenants.....number.....	459	559	597	1,313	1,631	NA	1,505	NA	1,884	
Share-cash tenants.....number.....	99	111	170	173	221	NA	NA	NA	39	
Crop-share tenants.....number.....	698	1,228	1,643	1,985	3,272	NA	NA	NA	2,250	
Livestock-share tenants.....number.....	104	77	125	559	645	NA	NA	NA	252	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number.....	237	295	487	559	645	NA	NA	NA	252	
Land in farms.....acres.....	39,733,967	42,667,161	40,827,526	46,451,278	35,343,945	34,170,218	30,577,683	NA	24,345,274	
Full owners.....acres.....	5,695,312	6,980,944	7,523,425	6,949,095	6,462,027	7,567,625	6,186,883	NA	8,895,673	
Part owners.....acres.....	26,228,975	26,604,515	24,039,298	24,713,767	18,981,748	15,984,187	15,447,592	NA	8,898,493	
Managers.....acres.....	5,442,214	6,443,284	6,279,763	11,769,159	5,730,721	6,054,333	5,350,383	NA	3,862,963	
All tenants.....acres.....	2,367,466	2,638,418	2,985,040	3,019,257	4,169,449	4,564,073	3,592,825	NA	2,688,145	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	1,519,652	1,651,368	1,796,331	1,911,656	2,459,643	NA	1,779,921	NA	1,861,496	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	112,367	114,554	118,355	70,001	188,410	NA	NA	NA	21,318	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	262,888	432,203	505,809	706,259	994,908	NA	NA	NA	575,749	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	93,092	110,627	147,109	706,259	994,908	NA	NA	NA	575,749	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	379,467	329,666	417,436	331,341	526,488	NA	NA	NA	229,582	
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	1,064,071	1,111,812	1,854,565	1,928,284	1,531,364	714,485	1,469,984	NA	NA	
Full owners.....acres.....	286,969	333,521	607,789	643,376	547,146	292,220	567,246	NA	NA	
Part owners.....acres.....	535,419	495,163	792,847	766,389	538,281	182,859	453,233	NA	NA	
Managers.....acres.....	32,087	40,749	64,660	72,103	35,386	18,042	34,320	NA	NA	
All tenants.....acres.....	209,936	242,379	409,269	446,416	410,551	221,364	415,185	NA	NA	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	20,165	14,470	39,024	93,516	65,573	NA	63,804	NA	NA	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	16,564	18,676	31,982	24,372	25,492	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	142,799	190,098	285,016	277,297	293,221	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	20,715	8,873	22,503	277,297	293,221	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	9,353	10,262	30,744	51,231	26,265	NA	NA	NA	NA	
ALL NONWHITE FARM OPERATORS										
Nonwhite farm operators.....number.....	787	1,489	1,784	1,800	5,564	4,192	3,345	NA	1,875	
Full owners.....number.....	611	1,281	1,661	1,709	5,419	4,103	3,202	NA	1,639	
Part owners.....number.....	38	142	63	30	102	29	87	NA	4	
Managers.....number.....	37	33	25	15	1	...	...	NA	2	
All tenants.....number.....	101	33	35	46	42	60	56	NA	230	
Proportion of tenancy.....percent.....	12.8	2.2	2.0	2.6	0.8	1.4	1.7	NA	12.3	
Cash tenants.....number.....	9	5	12	12	11	NA	23	NA	210	
Share-cash tenants.....number.....	...	...	...	...	...	NA	NA	NA	...	
Crop-share tenants.....number.....	...	...	8	18	23	NA	NA	NA	219	
Livestock-share tenants.....number.....	...	...	...	18	1	NA	NA	NA	...	
Other and unspecified tenants.....number.....	92	23	15	16	7	NA	NA	NA	1	
Land in farms.....acres.....	6,534,347	6,787,711	6,694,283	3,157,167	3,516,482	226,987	244,351	NA	64,359	
Full owners.....acres.....	464,907	122,722	202,170	1,753,590	3,309,715	219,022	149,934	NA	53,750	
Part owners.....acres.....	16,845	117,080	33,294	35,997	175,847	2,771	72,416	NA	6,090	
Managers.....acres.....	6,019,464	6,537,839	6,455,358	1,363,587	14,800	...	...	NA	26	
All tenants.....acres.....	33,131	10,070	3,461	3,993	16,120	5,194	22,001	NA	4,493	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	2,450	200	959	1,246	12,567	NA	9,269	NA	11,116	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	...	...	...	...	48	NA	NA	NA	...	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	...	215	865	2,486	1,340	NA	NA	NA	3,317	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	...	...	...	2,486	1,340	NA	NA	NA	...	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	30,681	9,655	1,637	261	2,165	NA	NA	NA	60	
Cropland harvested.....acres.....	17,320	27,504	43,248	28,543	41,143	29,355	24,014	NA	NA	
Full owners.....acres.....	4,547	11,876	17,329	9,473	39,250	27,654	21,174	NA	NA	
Part owners.....acres.....	3,000	981	1,342	1,292	1,013	334	1,058	NA	NA	
Managers.....acres.....	9,432	14,237	23,312	16,300	...	...	...	NA	NA	
All tenants.....acres.....	341	410	2,265	1,478	880	1,367	1,782	NA	NA	
Cash tenants.....acres.....	335	200	583	217	57	NA	782	NA	NA	
Share-cash tenants.....acres.....	...	...	...	...	36	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Crop-share tenants.....acres.....	...	190	552	1,031	748	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Livestock-share tenants.....acres.....	...	...	...	...	...	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Other and unspecified tenants.....acres.....	6	20	130	230	39	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.