

**Distribution of Farms by Acreage, 1860 \***

	TOTAL FARMS	3-10 ACRES	10-19 ACRES	20-49 ACRES	50-99 ACRES	100-499 ACRES	500-999 ACRES	1000+ ACRES
ALABAMA	50,064	1,409 (2.8%)	4,379 (8.7%)	16,049 (32.1%)	12,060 (24.1%)	13,455 (26.9%)	2,016 (4.0%)	696 (1.4%)
ARKANSAS	33,190	1,823 (5.5%)	6,075 (18.3%)	13,728 (41.4%)	6,957 (21.0%)	4,231 (12.7%)	307 (0.9%)	69 (0.2%)
FLORIDA	6,396	430 (6.7%)	945 (14.8%)	2,139 (33.4%)	1,162 (18.2%)	1,432 (22.4%)	211 (3.3%)	77 (1.2%)
GEORGIA	53,897	906 (1.7%)	2,803 (5.2%)	13,644 (25.3%)	14,129 (26.2%)	18,821 (34.9%)	2,692 (5.0%)	902 (1.7%)
LOUISIANA	17,281	626 (3.6%)	2,222 (12.9%)	4,882 (28.3%)	3,064 (17.7%)	4,955 (28.7%)	1,161 (6.7%)	371 (2.1%)
MISSISSIPPI	37,007	563 (1.5%)	2,516 (6.8%)	10,967 (29.6%)	9,204 (24.9%)	11,408 (30.8%)	1,868 (5.0%)	481 (1.3%)
NORTH CAROLINA	67,002	2,050 (3.1%)	4,879 (7.3%)	20,882 (31.2%)	18,496 (27.6%)	19,220 (28.7%)	1,184 (1.8%)	311 (0.5%)
SOUTH CAROLINA	28,456	352 (1.2%)	1,219 (4.3%)	6,695 (23.5%)	6,980 (24.5%)	11,369 (40.0%)	1,359 (4.8%)	482 (1.7%)
TENNESSEE	77,741	1,687 (2.2%)	7,245 (9.3%)	22,998 (29.6%)	22,829 (29.4%)	21,903 (28.2%)	921 (1.2%)	158 (0.2%)
TEXAS	37,363	1,832 (4.9%)	6,156 (16.5%)	14,132 (37.8%)	7,857 (21.0%)	6,831 (18.3%)	468 (1.3%)	87 (0.2%)
VIRGINIA	86,468	2,351 (2.7%)	5,565 (6.4%)	19,584 (22.6%)	21,145 (24.5%)	34,300 (39.7%)	2,882 (3.3%)	641 (0.7%)
TOTAL	494,865	14,029 (2.8%)	44,004 (8.9%)	145,700 (29.4%)	123,883 (25.0%)	147,925 (29.9%)	15,069 (3.0%)	4,275 (0.9%)

\* Only farms of three acres or larger are presented in the table. All percentages are rounded to the nearest tenth.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Office, Eighth Census [1860], *Agriculture of the United States in 1860*, Washington, D.C., 1864.