

IRAN (ISLAMIC REP. of) Agricultural Census 1988 – Main Results

Please refer to the Explanatory Notes given at the end of the tables.

NUMBER AND AREA OF HOLDINGS CLASSIFIED BY SIZE OF TOTAL AREA OF HOLDINGS		
Holding size classes	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
Total	3 326 000	17 150 000
Holdings without land	506 000	-
Under 0.1 ha	116 000	6 000
0.1 and under 0.2 ha	108 000	14 000
0.2 and under 0.5 ha	245 000	76 000
0.5 and under 1 ha	286 000	189 000
1 and under 2 ha	420 000	544 000
2 and under 3 ha	295 000	663 000
3 and under 4 ha	214 000	690 000
4 and under 5 ha	179 000	754 000
5 and under 10 ha	482 000	3 238 000
10 and under 20 ha	306 000	3 974 000
20 and under 50 ha	136 000	3 784 000
50 and under 100 ha	22 000	1 427 000
100 and under 200 ha	7 000	879 000
200 ha and above	4 000	912 000

LAND USE	Area (ha)
Total land	17 150 000
Cropland	16 872 000
Arable land	15 660 000
Land under temporary crops	10 296 000
Land temporarily fallow	5 364 000
Land under permanent crops	1 212 000
All other land	278 000

TEMPORARY CROPS (on arable land)	Area (ha)			Production (metric tons)
	Total	Irrigated	Non irrigated	
Wheat	5 337 647	1 782 701	3 554 946	5 775 427
Rice	436 122	-	-	1 227 325
Barley	2 099 751	818 354	1 281 397	2 589 810
Lentils	105 850	22 903	82 947	55 313
Beans, dry edible	50 144	-	-	67 127
Potatoes	77 288	-	-	815 813
Onions	26 065	-	-	508 734
Sugar cane	28 000	-	-	131 000
Sugar beets	154 000	-	-	3 755 000
Cotton	191 000	-	-	387 000
Tobacco	18 000	-	-	19 000
Leguminous forage plants	785 414	-	-	2 770 348
Other fodder crops	106 460	-	-	618 532

PERMANENT CROPS (number of trees)	Number of trees			Production (metric tons)
	Total	Productive age	Non productive age	
Oranges	18 110 000	13 331 000	4 779 000	432 939
Tangerines/Lemons	12 904 000	9 214 000	3 690 000	223 554
Apples	45 437 000	37 046 000	8 391 000	860 725
Dates	10 794 000	6 619 000	4 175 000	165 819

PERMANENT CROPS (area)	Area (ha)	Production (metric tons)
Grapes	217 240	789 329
Tea	32 000	247 000

LIVESTOCK	Total number of head
Cattle	6 368 000
Sheep	40 665 000
Goats	21 759 000

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Historical outline: The first national census of agriculture in Iran was conducted in 1960 (Mehr 1339) on a sample enumeration basis. Data here presented refer to the nationwide agricultural census conducted in 1988.

Organization: Agricultural censuses are conducted under the responsibility of the Statistical Centre of Iran, Plan and Budget Organization, of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

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