

NEPAL - Agricultural Census 2002 - Main Results

NUMBER AND AREA OF HOLDINGS		
	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
Total	3 364 139	2 654 037

NUMBER AND AREA OF HOLDINGS BY SIZE		
	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
Total	3 364 139	2 654 037
Without land	26 700	118
Under 0.1	260 547	13 242
0.1 and under 0.2 ha	346 113	49 864
0.2 and under 0.5 ha	972 258	327 061
0.5 and under 1 ha	915 674	641 659
1 and under 2 ha	588 649	791 965
2 and under 3 ha	157 026	371 223
3 and under 4 ha	51 573	175 690
4 and under 5 ha	20 241	89 258
5 and under 10 ha	21 575	139 750
10 ha and over	3 783	54 207

FRAGMENTATION		
	Number of holdings	Number of parcels
Total	3 364 139	10 987 412
Holdings consisting of:		
1 parcels	717 984	-
2- 3 parcels	1 546 050	-
4- 5 parcels	645 315	-
6- 9 parcels	339 031	-
10 parcels and over	101 789	-

LEGAL STATUS		
	Number of holdings	
Total number of holdings	3 364 139	-
Holdings operated by:		
An individual or a household	3 268 845	-
Two or more individuals/households	93 892	-
Others	1 402	-

TENURE OF LAND		
	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
Total	3 364 139	2 654 009
Under one form of tenure	2 952 275	2 241 199
Owned	2 907 426	2 212 864
Rented from others	35 844	26 307
for fixed amount of money	3 377	1 561
for fixed quantity of produce	7 581	4 124
for a share of produce	18 350	17 503
in exchange for services	2 424	517
other rental arrangements	4 112	2 602
Other single forms of tenure	9 005	2 028
More than one form of ten.	411 864	412 810

HOLDERS BY SEX		
	Number of holders	
Total	3 364 139	-
Male	3 092 632	-
Female	271 507	-

HOLDERS AND HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS		
	Number of persons	
Total	19 811 649	-
Male	10 267 646	-
Female	9 544 003	-

PERMANENT WORKERS		
	Number of workers	
Total	178 981	-
Male	138 745	-
Female	40 236	-

LAND USE		
	Number of holdings	Area (ha)
All land	3 364 139	2 654 050
Agricultural land	-	2 494 212
Cropland	-	2 474 462
Arable land	3 309 823	2 356 981
Temporary crops	3 307 391	2 326 124
Temporary meadows	60 285	10 720
Temporarily fallow	120 880	18 384
All other arable land	17 401	1 754
Permanent crops	618 095	117 481
Permanent mead./pastures	79 038	19 750
Wood or forest land	204 834	37 221
All other land	-	122 617

MAIN TEMPORARY CROPS		
	Holdings reporting	Area (ha)
Paddy	-	1 544 604
Wheat	1 935 109	793 509
Maize, total	1 953 351	769 421
Millet	1 059 995	250 495
Barley/Naked barley	250 992	39 311
Buckwheat	250 992	39 310
Soybeans	257 218	17 765
Chick peas (grams)	81 111	11 539
Black/red/green grams	292 753	35 462
Horse beans	82 008	10 592
Grass peas	95 105	25 523
Lentils	756 094	236 783
Peas	177 806	18 149
Cow peas	171 095	10 594
Winter potatoes	649 158	48 794
Summer potatoes	231 721	35 062
Mustard seed	851 605	148 969
Linseed	202 971	54 513
Sugarcane	85 142	51 923
Ginger	103 717	10 198

PERMANENT CROPS		
	Holdings reporting	Area in compact plantation
Oranges	265 870	3 200
Lemons	191 890	623
Limes	130 961	292
Sweet oranges	36 991	228
Mangoes	565 678	18 478
Bananas	467 383	3 140
Guavas	229 423	484
Jackfruit	136 047	676
Pineapple	26 390	229
Lychee	79 415	779
Apples	35 010	1 380

LIVESTOCK		
	Holdings reporting	Number of head
Cattle	2 297 356	7 215 162
Buffaloes	1 586 755	3 477 727
Sheep	67 694	471 159
Goats	1 686 362	6 932 943
Pigs	327 804	632 551
Chickens	1 594 366	17 631 318
Ducks	110 120	393 092
Pigeons	202 098	1 845 234

MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT		
	Holdings reporting use	
Tractors	272 871	-
Threshers	249 450	-
Power tillers	15 609	-