

Table 356. Land Cover/Use by State: 2003

[In thousands of acres (1,937,664 represents 1,937,664,000), except percent. Excludes Alaska, District of Columbia, Hawaii, and Island Areas]

State	Total surface area	Selected nonfederal rural land, percent of total			State	Total surface area	Selected nonfederal rural land, percent of total		
		Crop-land	Range-land	Forest land			Crop-land	Range-land	Forest land
United States . . .	1,937,664	19.0	20.9	20.9	Nebraska	49,510	39.5	46.6	1.6
Alabama	33,424	7.5	0.2	64.4	Nevada	70,763	0.9	11.7	0.4
Arizona	72,964	1.3	44.2	5.7	New Hampshire	5,941	2.1	—	65.6
Arkansas	34,037	22.1	0.1	44.1	New Jersey	5,216	10.1	—	30.8
California	101,510	9.3	17.5	13.7	New Mexico	77,823	2.0	51.3	7.0
Colorado	66,625	12.5	37.2	4.9	New York	31,361	17.1	—	56.1
Connecticut	3,195	5.4	—	53.4	North Carolina	33,709	16.4	—	45.9
Delaware	1,534	29.8	—	22.2	North Dakota	45,251	53.6	24.5	1.0
Florida	37,534	7.7	7.2	33.9	Ohio	26,445	42.5	—	27.3
Georgia	37,741	11.0	—	58.0	Oklahoma	44,738	20.1	31.6	16.5
Idaho	53,488	10.2	12.0	7.5	Oregon	62,161	6.0	15.1	20.5
Illinois	36,059	66.5	—	11.0	Pennsylvania	28,995	17.7	—	53.9
Indiana	23,158	57.5	—	16.5	Rhode Island	813	2.5	—	45.9
Iowa	36,017	70.8	—	6.4	South Carolina	19,939	11.9	—	56.0
Kansas	52,661	50.3	30.1	2.9	South Dakota	49,358	34.6	44.7	1.0
Kentucky	25,863	21.2	—	40.6	Tennessee	26,974	17.6	—	44.3
Louisiana	31,377	17.3	0.9	42.5	Texas	171,052	14.9	56.2	6.2
Maine	20,966	1.8	—	84.0	Utah	54,339	3.1	19.6	3.5
Maryland	7,870	19.3	—	30.1	Vermont	6,154	9.5	—	67.1
Massachusetts	5,339	4.7	—	49.9	Virginia	27,087	10.6	—	48.7
Michigan	37,349	21.7	—	44.7	Washington	44,035	14.7	13.3	28.9
Minnesota	54,010	39.1	—	30.3	West Virginia	15,508	5.3	—	68.1
Mississippi	30,527	16.3	—	54.9	Wisconsin	35,920	28.7	—	40.4
Missouri	44,614	30.7	0.2	28.1	Wyoming	62,603	3.5	44.0	1.5
Montana	94,110	15.4	39.0	5.7					

—Represents zero.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Conservation Service, Summary Report, 2003 Annual National Resources Inventory. See also <<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/NRI/>>.