

TONGA - Agricultural Census 2001 - Main Results

NUMBER OF HOLDINGS		
	Number of holdings	Agricultural area (ha)
Total	10 328	27 096
Subsistence only	6 013	-
Subsistence and cash cropping	4 061	-
Cash cropping only	254	-

NUMBER AND AREA OF PARCELS BY SIZE OF PARCELS		
	Number of parcels	
Total	15 084	-
Less than 0.4 ha	2 709	-
0.4 and under 4.0 ha	11 998	-
4.0 and under 8.0 ha	276	-
8.0 and under 20.2 ha	74	-
20.2 and under 40.5 ha	11	-
40.5 ha and over	16	-

LEGAL STATUS		
	Number of holdings	Agricultural area (ha)
Total	10 328	27 096
Individuals / households	10 316	26 843
Institutions	12	253

PARCELS (OF INDIVIDUALS / HOUSEHOLDS) BY TENURE		
	Number of parcels	Agricultural area (ha)
Total	15 084	26 843
Owned	4 244	11 452
Rented from others	1 075	2 366
Used for free by permission of owner	9 723	12 992
Other forms of tenure	42	33

PARCELS BY LAND USE		
	Number of parcels	
Total land	15 084	-
Productive land	15 045	-
Agricultural land	14 930	-
Cropland	14 837	-
Arable land	13 386	-
Permanent crops	1 176	-
Fallow land	275	-
Permanent meadows & pastures	93	-
Wood or forest land	115	-
Unproductive land (All other land)	39	-

TEMPORARY CROPS		
	Area harvested (ha)	
Squash	1 420	-
Cassava (manioc)	1 168	-
Yams	945	-
Futuna (American) Taro	728	-
Common Taro	887	-
Kape	286	-
Sweet potatoes	291	-
Kava Tonga	286	-

LIVESTOCK		
	Households reporting	Number of head
Cattle	2 311	10 354
Pigs	11 594	113 580
Horses	1 640	3 255
Goats	805	2 741
Chickens	7 729	177 829
Ducks	126	1 119

EMPLOYMENT IN AGRICULTURE		
	Number of workers	
Total workers (15 years and over)	38 269	-
Total household and non-household workers	15 593	-
Male	13 144	-
Female	449	-
Household members by sex and age	12 949	-
Male	12 525	-
Female	424	-
15 to 24 years of age	1 821	-
25 to 34	2 860	-
35 to 44	2 779	-
45 to 54	2 278	-
55 to 64	1 820	-
65 years of age and over	1 391	-
Average age	44	-
Household members by type		
Total	12 949	-
Holders/operators	10 245	-
Paid workers	10	-
Unpaid workers	2 694	-
Non-household memb. by sex and age		
Total	644	-
Male	619	-
Female	25	-
15 to 24 years of age	187	-
25 to 34	233	-
35 to 44	130	-
45 to 54	57	-
55 to 64	30	-
65 years of age and over	7	-
Average age	31	-
Non-household members by type	644	-
Holders/operators	71	-
Paid workers	269	-
Unpaid workers	304	-
Hired workers		
Total	22 676	-
Male	22 466	-
Female	210	-

PERMANENT CROPS		
	Area harvested (ha)	
Vanilla	43	-

MACHINERY		
	Units	
Tractors	574	-
Rotary hoes	68	-
Copra dryers	40	-
Knapsack sprayers	1 325	-
Mist blowers	819	-
Weed eaters	312	-
Chainsaws	471	-

HOLDINGS BY USE OF FERTILIZERS		
	Holdings reporting use	
Organic fertilizers	610	-
Inorganic fertilizers	1 125	-