

**Table 24.14-- AGRICULTURAL AND NONAGRICULTURAL LANDHOLDINGS OF FOREIGN OWNERS: 2004 TO 2018**

[The source report is required annually under section 5 of the U.S. Agricultural Foreign Investment Disclosure Act of 1978. Under the Act, any person who holds an Immigration and Naturalization Service Form I-151 or I-551 (green card) is exempt from filing. For 2004 and 2005, approximate land area as established by the U.S. Census Bureau in conjunction with the 1990 Census of Population there were 4,111,000 acres of land in the state and for 2006 through 2015, 4,110,720 acres with the 2000 Census]

| Closing date 1/ | Parcels owned by foreigners | Privately owned agricultural land 2/ | Acres owned by foreigners | Percent of all privately owned agric. land 3/ | Agricultural acres owned by foreigners |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|
| Feb. 28, 2004   | 100                         | 1,986,000                            | 172,186                   | 8.4   | 167,206                                |
| Feb. 28, 2005   | 103                         | 1,986,000                            | 172,211                   | 8.4   | 167,600                                |
| Feb. 28, 2006   | 104                         | 1,803,038                            | 172,238                   | 9.3   | 167,627                                |
| Feb. 28, 2007   | 105                         | 1,803,038                            | 172,619                   | 9.3   | 168,008                                |
| Feb. 29, 2008   | 106                         | 1,803,038                            | 162,590                   | 8.8   | 157,974                                |
| Feb. 28, 2009   | 114                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,495                   | 8.8   | 158,874                                |
| Feb. 28, 2010   | 114                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,495                   | 8.8   | 158,874                                |
| Dec. 31, 2010   | 115                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,527                   | 8.8   | 158,884                                |
| Dec. 31, 2011   | 116                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,530                   | 8.8   | 158,887                                |
| Dec. 31, 2012   | 116                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,530                   | 8.8   | 158,887                                |
| Dec. 31, 2013   | 115                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,498                   | 8.8   | 158,887                                |
| Dec. 31, 2014   | 115                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,498                   | 8.8   | 158,877                                |
| Dec. 31, 2015   | 113                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,139                   | 8.8   | 158,529                                |
| Dec. 31, 2016   | 115                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,244                   | 8.8   | 158,634                                |
| Dec. 31, 2017   | 119                         | 1,803,038                            | 163,303                   | 8.8   | 158,692                                |
| Dec. 31, 2018   | 126                         | 1,803,038                            | 171,103                   | 9.2   | 166,451                                |

1/ Historically reports have covered the 12-month period ending the last day of February, however, a second report was issued for 2010, which contains data gathered between March 1, 2010 and December 31, 2010. Beginning with the 2011, the report will be published only as of the end of each calendar year.

2/ Preliminary estimate based on unpublished USDA, Economic Research Service 1997 data through 2005, and for 2006-2016, similar unpublished 2002 data of Ruben Lubowski, Economic Research Service. Total land area minus federal, state, county and municipal; Indian Trust; rural transportation; and urban lands. Includes forest land, pasture land, cropland, range, and miscellaneous. Estimates of urban and rural transportation lands are from U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, 2006 and estimates of federal and other public lands are from the General Services Administration, 2001 and National Resource Conservation Service, 2002 respectively.

3/ The December 31, 2018 percentage for Hawaii ranked 2nd (rank of 1 assigned to the highest) among the 50 States, exceeded only by Maine at 18.4 percent and well above the national percentage of 2.5 percent.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Farm Service Agency, *Foreign Ownership of U. S. Agricultural Land Through February 28* (annual except 2008 when it was through February 29), reports 1 and 3 and *Ibid. Foreign Holdings of U.S. Agricultural Land Through December 31* (annual), <<http://www.fsa.usda.gov/programs-and-services/economic-and-policy-analysis/afida/index>> accessed July 23, 2020.