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Land Ownership and Tenure (acres) by Island in Hawai'i: Fall 1988

Island	Government Land				Private Land	Total	
	Federal	State ^a	Counties	Total			
Hawai'i	229,848	817,391	1,278	1,048,517	1,448,537	2,497,055	61.9%
Maui	26,875	102,345	1,568	130,788	317,381	448,170	11.1%
Kaho'olawe ^b	28,800	(X)	(X)	28,800	(X)	28,800	0.7%
Lāna'i	5	124	14	143	88,843	88,985	2.2%
Moloka'i	211	47,601	265	48,077	122,831	170,910	4.2%
O'ahu	48,861	69,541	11,162	129,564	273,590	403,154	10.0%
Kaua'i	3,158	150,984	610	154,752	196,540	351,292	8.7%
Ni'ihau	(X)	(X)	(X)	0	46,705	46,705	1.2%
Other	275	256	(X)	531	(X)	531	0.0%
Total	338,035	1,188,242	14,898	1,541,175	2,494,426	4,035,601	
	8.4%	29.4%	0.4%	38.2%	61.8%		

Note: Data is stated as reported in source.

^a At present there is no accurate/available accounting on the amount of ceded lands in the Islands. Best estimates set the amount to be a little less than the area "owned" by the State, a little over one-million acres.

^b Kaho'olawe was conveyed to the State of Hawai'i on May 7, 1994.

(X) Not applicable

Source: Hawai'i State. Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism. *The State of Hawaii Data Book: A Statistical Abstract 1999*. (Honolulu, 2000).

- *Non-federal lands comprised about 92% of the land area in the State of Hawai'i. Of the non-federal lands only 4% has been developed, the remainder is classified as rural.*

Note: Data last reported in 1999 edition using 1988 data.