## NCREIF Farmland Property Index 2020 4th Quarter Results

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The <u>National Council of Real Estate Investment Fiduciaries (NCREIF)</u> has collected institutional commercial property investment performance on a quarterly basis for over 40 years. The <u>Farmland Index</u> measures investment performance of a large pool of individual farmland properties acquired in the private market for investment purposes only.

NCREIF recently released the 4th quarter results of the Farmland Index. The top-performing region this quarter for All Farmland was Lake States at 4.58% and the lowest-performing region this quarter for All Farmland was Pacific Northwest at –2.51%. The annual total return top performing region was Southern Plains at 7.42%, followed closely by Lake States at 6.13%. Of note, the Pacific West total annual return for annual cropland was 7.68%. Overall all farmland (total) returned 3.08% for the year; permanent cropland returned 1.27% for the year and annual cropland returned 4.20% for the year.

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	1Q20	2Q20	3Q20	4Q20	Annual Total Return
All Farmland	-0.10%	0.61%	0.96%	1.59%	3.08%
Permanent Cropland (Total)	-1.35%	0.26%	0.80%	1.58%	1.27%
Annual Cropland (Total)	0.66%	0.82%	1.07%	1.60%	4.20%
Pacific Northwest - All Farmland	-0.60%	1.07%	-0.37%	-2.51%	-2.42%
Pacific Northwest - Permanent Cropland	-0.74%	1.25%	0.15%	-6.10%	-5.48%
Pacific West - All	-1.24%	-0.04%	1.38%	2.49%	2.57%
Pacific West - Permanent Cropland	-1.59%	-0.16%	0.91%	2.47%	1.60%
Pacific West - Annual Cropland	0.55%	0.60%	3.77%	2.59%	7.68%
Mountain States - All	0.94%	0.23%	1.16%	0.81%	3.16%
Southern Plains - Annual (All)	2.10%	1.04%	2.46%	1.62%	7.42%

Lake States - All (Majority Annual)	-0.57%	0.92%	1.13%	4.58%	6.13%
Corn Belt - Annual (All)	0.14%	0.97%	1.39%	1.80%	4.36%
Delta States - Annual (All)	1.47%	1.00%	0.34%	1.24%	4.11%
Southeast - Annual Cropland	0.91%	1.23%	1.05%	2.08%	5.36%
Southeast - Permanent Cropland	1.36%	6.23%	-0.76%	-1.67%	5.07%

