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n.

A rural property, especially a large farm or ranch, in Spanish America.

[American Spanish, from Spanish, real estate, from Old Spanish *fincar*, to pitch tents, reside, from Vulgar Latin **fīgicāre*, to fasten, from Latin *fīgere*; see **dhīg^w**- [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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