

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—KENTUCKY

STATE TABLE 9.—WORK OFF FARM FOR PAY OR INCOME, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR:
1939, 1934, AND 1929

WORK OFF FARM FOR PAY OR INCOME (For definitions and explanations, see text)	TOTAL	OWNERS			TENANTS				
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	Total	Cash	Share cash	Share	Croppers
All farm operators:									
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 79,405	42,365	6,532	43	30,465	7,543	1,250	10,407	7,885
1934..	81,798	36,566	8,616	47	36,569	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	12,450
1929..	88,488	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939.. 31.4	28.3	34.5	9.2	36.3	55.9	39.8	29.7	33.5
1934..	28.4	24.5	33.6	11.1	35.4	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	37.7
1929..	35.9	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	1939.. 10,622,654	6,632,048	642,878	8,339	3,339,389	1,158,012	115,675	943,673	685,778
1934..	7,613,757	4,567,932	588,983	8,664	2,448,178	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	713,729
1929..	8,804,404	4,757,047	681,174	16,684	3,349,489	621,126	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Average for operators reporting....days.....	1939.. 134	157	88	194	110	154	93	91	87
1934..	93	125	68	184	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	57
1929..	99	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Reporting 100 or more days of work off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 45,790	27,895	2,765	32	15,098	5,378	518	4,187	3,031
1934..	28,870	17,761	2,153	30	8,926	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2,420
1929..	36,547	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939.. 18.1	18.6	14.6	6.9	18.0	39.9	16.5	11.9	12.9
1934..	10.4	11.9	8.4	7.1	8.6	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	7.3
1929..	14.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
All land in farms.....acres.....	1939.. 2,205,577	1,449,470	160,618	7,350	588,139	228,467	15,897	173,500	83,548
Value of farms (land and buildings).....dollars.....	1939.. 94,028,055	68,542,250	6,084,768	1,039,025	18,362,012	6,599,722	945,625	5,004,289	3,575,059
Reporting "None" for days worked off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 158,925	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
1934..	192,138	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
1929..	14,564	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Not reporting.....number.....	1934.. 4,362	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Reporting—									
Under 25 days.....number.....	1939.. 10,196	4,446	1,367	4	4,379	370	226	2,034	1,393
1934..	21,411	7,438	2,861	5	11,109	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	3,747
1929..	17,682	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
25 to 49 days.....number.....	1939.. 9,454	3,914	1,069	5	4,471	601	222	1,760	1,516
1934..	16,984	5,672	2,025	5	9,282	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	3,498
1929..	15,678	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
50 to 74 days.....number.....	1939.. 8,353	3,597	823	4	3,929	622	188	1,471	1,271
1934..	9,856	3,641	1,124	3	5,088	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2,009
1929..	12,297	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
75 to 99 days.....number.....	1939.. 5,612	2,513	508	3	2,588	572	96	955	674
1934..	4,677	2,056	453	4	2,164	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	776
1929..	6,314	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
100 to 149 days.....number.....	1939.. 13,367	6,592	1,052	5	5,718	1,553	224	1,907	1,368
1934..	8,643	4,098	811	2	3,732	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1,212
1929..	12,213	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
150 to 199 days.....number.....	1939.. 10,685	5,830	750	5	4,100	1,426	141	1,143	852
1934..	5,500	2,948	523	6	2,023	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	579
1929..	7,380	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
200 to 249 days.....number.....	1939.. 7,442	4,543	390	4	2,505	1,051	87	599	439
1934..	4,166	2,548	304	1	1,313	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	341
1929..	6,929	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
250 days and over.....number.....	1939.. 14,296	10,930	573	18	2,775	1,348	66	538	372
1934..	10,561	8,167	515	21	1,858	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	288
1929..	10,025	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Kind of off-farm work reported, 1939:									
Work on other farms.....operators reporting.....	21,310	7,205	2,048	12	12,045	1,111	677	4,150	5,153
days worked.....	1,308,002	456,778	81,231	1,292	768,701	83,621	38,189	213,276	366,231
average.....	61	63	40	108	64	75	56	51	71
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.....	60,305	36,051	4,788	32	19,434	6,640	622	6,660	2,986
days worked.....	9,314,652	6,175,270	561,647	7,047	2,570,688	1,074,491	77,486	730,397	319,547
average.....	154	171	117	220	132	162	125	110	107
And work on other farms.....operators reporting.....	2,210	891	304	1	1,014	208	49	403	254
Principal occupation of farm operators off their farms in 1934:									
Agricultural.....operators reporting.....	14,889	3,280	1,431	10	10,168	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	5,306
Nonagricultural.....operators reporting.....	60,556	31,065	6,517	33	22,941	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	5,784
Unclassified (or not reported).....operators.....	6,353	2,221	668	4	3,460	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1,360
White farm operators, 1939:									
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	77,457	41,515	6,377	43	29,522	7,475	1,217	10,252	7,261
Proportion of all white operators.....percent.....	31.3	28.2	34.6	9.3	36.2	55.9	39.7	29.7	33.0
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	10,420,913	6,519,419	633,094	8,339	3,260,061	1,147,286	113,325	930,831	639,743
Average for operators reporting....days.....	135	157	99	194	110	153	93	91	88
Reporting—									
Under 50 days.....number.....	18,982	8,165	2,356	4	8,457	960	432	3,727	2,624
50 to 100 days.....number.....	13,582	5,950	1,297	7	6,308	1,182	273	2,394	1,804
100 days and over.....number.....	44,913	27,400	2,724	32	14,757	5,333	512	4,131	2,833
Kind of off-farm work reported—									
Work on other farms.....operators reporting.....	19,961	6,773	1,930	12	11,246	1,094	645	4,094	4,571
days worked.....	1,204,707	417,236	75,304	1,292	710,875	79,552	36,104	206,181	326,008
average.....	60	62	39	108	63	73	56	51	71
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.....	59,666	35,612	4,746	32	19,276	6,596	619	6,617	2,941
days worked.....	9,216,206	6,102,183	557,790	7,047	2,549,186	1,067,794	77,221	724,650	313,735
average.....	154	171	118	220	132	162	125	110	107
And work on other farms.....operators reporting.....	2,170	870	299	1	1,000	205	47	399	251
Nonwhite farm operators, 1939:									
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	1,948	850	155	.....	943	69	33	155	624
Proportion of all nonwhite operators.....percent.....	35.1	31.5	33.5	.....	39.7	61.3	47.8	29.2	41.4
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	201,741	112,629	9,794	.....	79,328	10,726	2,350	12,842	46,035
Average for operators reporting....days.....	104	133	63	.....	84	158	71	83	74
Reporting—									
Under 50 days.....number.....	668	195	80	.....	393	11	16	67	285
50 to 100 days.....number.....	403	180	34	.....	209	12	11	32	141
100 days and over.....number.....	877	495	41	.....	341	45	6	56	198
Kind of off-farm work reported—									
Work on other farms.....operators reporting.....	1,349	432	118	.....	799	27	32	116	582
days worked.....	103,295	39,542	5,927	.....	57,826	3,969	2,085	7,095	40,223
average.....	77	92	50	.....	72	147	65	61	69
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.....	639	439	42	.....	158	44	3	43	45
days worked.....	98,446	73,087	3,857	.....	21,502	6,757	265	5,747	5,812
average.....	154	166	92	.....	136	152	88	134	129
And work on other farms.....operators reporting.....	40	21	5	.....	14	3	2	4	3

¹Not available.