

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE: 1945

Table 14.—WORK OFF FARM BY FARM OPERATORS,

REGION, DIVISION, AND STATE	WORK OFF FARM FOR PAY OR PROFIT															
	Farm operators reporting								Number of days							
	Number				Percent of all farm operators				1944	1939	1934	1929	Average per operator reporting			
	1944	1939	1934	1929	1944	1939	1934	1929					1944	1939	1934	1929
1 United States.....	1,570,357	1,747,193	2,077,474	1,902,898	26.8	28.7	30.5	30.3	258,971.4	33	202,228,247	189,868,388	184	137	97	100
2 The North.....	651,012	736,051	876,065	719,403	26.2	28.5	31.1	28.1	121,227,438	99,200,186	82,565,889	73,755,106	186	135	94	103
3 The South.....	744,721	825,597	975,422	1,005,049	25.8	27.5	28.5	31.2	131,002,322	111,072,305	92,970,558	92,598,636	176	135	95	92
4 The West.....	174,624	185,545	225,987	177,446	35.3	36.4	39.6	35.3	36,657,673	29,382,201	26,691,800	23,514,556	210	158	118	133
<b>GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS:</b>																
5 New England.....	62,908	56,865	65,462	55,877	41.9	42.1	41.4	44.7	15,198,975	10,258,870	9,495,028	7,955,217	242	180	145	142
6 Middle Atlantic.....	123,919	117,224	127,413	124,644	35.7	35.7	32.0	34.9	28,497,163	18,656,795	15,322,183	15,544,549	230	159	120	125
7 East North Central.....	278,597	293,507	310,932	275,405	29.2	29.2	28.7	28.6	55,984,284	42,692,010	32,182,178	28,906,990	190	145	104	105
8 West North Central.....	165,588	268,455	372,258	262,477	18.0	24.6	31.6	23.6	24,550,066	27,592,511	25,566,500	21,848,440	132	103	69	81
9 South Atlantic.....	268,224	291,572	345,704	336,110	25.7	28.6	30.1	31.8	51,516,226	44,750,163	40,481,707	36,463,415	192	158	117	108
10 East South Central.....	232,417	276,283	291,719	347,628	24.2	27.0	25.7	32.7	37,784,320	38,731,598	26,297,719	29,876,520	162	122	90	86
11 West South Central.....	244,080	257,742	387,999	322,311	27.8	26.7	29.7	29.2	41,751,776	32,590,549	25,191,132	26,258,701	171	126	77	81
12 Mountain.....	64,057	77,533	116,999	80,030	30.1	33.2	43.1	33.2	11,431,467	10,623,154	11,029,964	9,407,509	178	137	94	118
13 Pacific.....	110,567	108,012	108,988	97,416	39.2	39.1	36.4	37.2	25,226,206	18,709,047	15,661,836	14,107,047	228	173	144	145
<b>NEW ENGLAND:</b>																
14 Maine.....	18,746	18,038	19,602	19,253	44.4	45.3	46.8	49.4	4,162,942	2,860,065	2,299,579	2,492,298	222	159	117	129
15 New Hampshire.....	8,794	7,756	8,970	7,071	46.8	46.9	50.7	47.4	1,684,823	1,388,184	1,143,000	984,240	208	179	127	139
16 Vermont.....	8,034	9,505	11,226	12,294	30.3	40.3	41.5	49.4	1,796,233	1,474,162	1,391,076	1,592,017	224	155	124	129
17 Massachusetts.....	16,815	12,778	12,088	9,852	45.4	40.1	34.4	38.5	4,514,926	2,708,722	2,066,431	1,692,327	268	212	171	170
18 Rhode Island.....	1,421	1,004	1,508	987	39.4	35.3	34.9	29.7	386,135	203,397	275,492	186,206	272	203	183	189
19 Connecticut.....	9,098	7,784	12,068	6,420	40.9	36.8	37.5	37.3	2,507,856	1,629,340	2,319,450	1,028,119	276	209	192	160
<b>MIDDLE ATLANTIC:</b>																
20 New York.....	46,817	46,934	49,950	49,036	31.3	30.6	28.2	30.7	10,569,602	7,576,046	6,862,648	6,286,869	228	161	137	128
21 New Jersey.....	7,265	6,422	6,018	5,891	27.7	24.9	20.5	23.2	1,744,680	1,237,571	838,996	909,571	240	193	139	154
22 Pennsylvania.....	69,837	63,868	71,445	69,717	40.7	37.8	37.4	40.4	16,082,881	9,843,398	7,620,539	8,348,109	230	154	107	120
<b>EAST NORTH CENTRAL:</b>																
23 Ohio.....	74,659	75,106	75,388	63,643	33.8	32.1	29.5	29.0	16,093,443	12,183,375	9,220,037	7,672,594	216	162	122	121
24 Indiana.....	56,644	57,524	61,734	56,089	32.2	31.2	30.7	30.9	11,347,086	9,028,777	7,077,021	6,393,709	200	157	115	114
25 Illinois.....	48,740	54,041	54,041	51,561	23.9	25.9	23.4	24.0	7,496,319	6,802,795	5,046,929	4,548,348	154	123	93	88
26 Michigan.....	60,133	60,468	56,782	60,311	34.3	32.2	28.9	35.6	12,637,770	9,638,294	6,410,201	6,347,179	213	159	113	105
27 Wisconsin.....	38,421	45,228	62,987	44,781	21.6	24.2	31.5	24.6	5,203,611	5,048,769	4,427,990	3,945,165	135	112	70	88
<b>WEST NORTH CENTRAL:</b>																
28 Minnesota.....	37,500	47,459	64,709	42,315	19.8	24.0	31.8	22.8	4,877,230	4,984,487	3,727,172	3,272,961	130	105	58	77
29 Iowa.....	39,118	40,707	40,707	38,430	18.9	17.9	18.3	17.9	3,330,218	3,335,919	3,546,271	3,328,467	115	101	87	87
30 Missouri.....	55,009	71,274	81,812	74,083	22.6	27.8	29.4	28.9	9,236,688	9,541,512	7,158,783	7,274,513	168	134	88	96
31 North Dakota.....	8,890	16,142	36,514	18,004	12.8	21.8	43.2	23.1	1,666,211	1,626,211	1,547,664	885,969	71	72	46	46
32 South Dakota.....	7,823	15,401	50,106	15,715	11.4	21.3	60.1	18.9	705,673	1,192,187	2,902,339	999,407	90	77	58	53
33 Nebraska.....	18,201	31,888	36,392	28,859	16.3	26.3	27.2	17.7	1,600,722	2,299,955	1,959,943	1,617,714	88	72	54	71
34 Kansas.....	29,126	48,173	62,018	51,071	20.6	30.8	35.5	30.8	4,171,080	4,572,260	4,724,328	4,029,409	148	95	76	79
<b>SOUTH ATLANTIC:</b>																
35 Delaware.....	1,748	1,940	2,159	2,911	18.8	21.6	20.8	30.0	374,651	304,878	277,382	338,898	214	157	128	115
36 Maryland.....	12,307	12,221	12,071	14,889	29.8	29.2	27.2	33.3	2,617,056	2,207,698	1,724,949	1,897,596	213	180	143	132
37 District of Columbia.....	4	8	20	20	10.0	12.3	22.5	19.2	1,296	1,642	4,341	4,778	324	205	217	239
38 Virginia.....	59,719	61,955	72,485	69,471	34.5	35.4	36.7	40.7	12,349,713	10,545,890	9,315,255	8,748,323	207	170	129	126
39 West Virginia.....	45,837	45,688	48,519	39,503	46.5	48.0	46.3	47.8	10,169,252	7,474,126	5,462,154	5,104,346	224	164	113	129
40 North Carolina.....	55,212	69,068	74,247	78,371	19.2	24.8	24.7	28.0	9,569,587	10,067,562	8,784,248	7,278,461	173	146	118	93
41 South Carolina.....	32,527	32,065	55,965	49,484	22.0	23.3	33.8	31.3	5,377,817	4,585,232	5,303,521	4,572,353	165	143	95	92
42 Georgia.....	43,957	48,040	58,381	63,146	19.5	22.2	21.3	24.7	7,219,396	5,912,465	5,805,326	5,667,862	164	123	109	90
43 Florida.....	17,413	20,519	26,897	18,315	28.5	33.0	36.9	31.9	3,837,508	3,650,630	3,804,131	2,855,798	220	178	142	152
<b>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:</b>																
44 Kentucky.....	59,974	79,405	81,798	88,488	25.1	31.4	29.4	35.9	10,923,468	10,622,654	7,613,757	8,804,404	182	134	93	99
45 Tennessee.....	60,219	76,932	74,204	92,434	25.7	31.1	27.1	37.6	10,787,879	10,672,794	7,889,916	8,644,011	179	139	106	94
46 Alabama.....	62,944	56,388	68,348	74,498	28.2	24.3	25.0	28.9	10,550,640	6,138,966	6,024,007	5,830,197	168	109	88	78
47 Mississippi.....	49,180	65,558	67,369	92,213	18.7	21.8	21.6	29.5	5,472,633	6,297,179	4,770,039	6,597,908	111	99	71	72
<b>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:</b>																
48 Arkansas.....	57,510	60,941	70,222	77,266	28.9	28.1	27.8	31.9	8,124,742	6,963,176	5,001,070	5,707,007	141	114	71	74
49 Louisiana.....	31,727	34,890	36,612	43,097	24.5	23.3	21.5	29.8	4,771,188	3,946,089	3,328,773	3,885,251	150	113	91	81
50 Oklahoma.....	49,607	52,940	61,605	61,605	30.1	29.5	44.5	30.2	8,705,729	6,102,758	5,063,639	5,089,808	175	115	59	83
51 Texas.....	105,236	108,971	136,231	135,343	27.3	28.1	27.2	27.3	20,150,117	15,978,526	12,797,650	11,576,635	191	143	94	86
<b>MOUNTAIN:</b>																
52 Montana.....	8,149	15,042	18,059	14,202	21.6	31.2	35.7	29.9	1,301,434	1,640,181	1,632,269	1,331,826	160	126	90	94
53 Idaho.....	12,769	15,594	17,765	15,348	30.8	35.7	39.4	36.8	2,039,684	1,951,256	1,623,037	1,626,626	160	125	91	106
54 Wyoming.....	3,237	4,586	7,298	4,938	24.8	30.5	41.4	30.3	437,660	572,977	703,292	550,996	154	125	98	113
55 Colorado.....	11,828	15,540	25,096	17,238	24.8	30.2	39.4	28.8	1,860,131	1,980,750	2,108,790	1,984,432	157	127	84	115
56 New Mexico.....	9,435	5,847	20,607	9,895	31.8	31.8	49.8	31.5	1,774,520	1,708,421	1,375,620	1,340,404	188	158	96	155
57 Arizona.....	5,050	5,847	9,423	4,465	38.4	30.6	50.1	31.6	1,257,858	1,010,914	1,215,023	747,430	249	179	129	167
58 Utah.....	12,524	11,157	17,330	13,037	47.6	45.9	56.6	48.0	2,501,628	1,572,618	1,509,925	1,704,044	200	141	93	131
59 Nevada.....	1,066	1,157	1,431	987</												

# AGE, RESIDENCE, YEARS ON FARM, AND WORK OFF FARM 273

BY DIVISIONS AND STATES: 1929 TO 1944

FARM OPERATORS REPORTING DAYS WORKED OFF FARM, BY NUMBER OF DAYS WORKED																								
Number												Percent of all farm operators												
Under 50 days				50 to 99 days				100 days and over				Under 50 days				50 to 99 days				100 days and over				
1944	1939	1934	1929	1944	1939	1934	1929	1944	1939	1934	1929	1944	1939	1934	1929	1944	1939	1934	1929	1944	1939	1934	1929	
512,852	545,714	956,100	844,170	178,471	259,698	360,602	555,459	1,079,054	945,591	780,772	725,269	5.5	8.9	14.0	15.4	5.0	4.5	5.5	5.5	18.4	15.5	11.2	11.5	1
148,064	251,435	418,643	532,279	59,885	95,260	142,619	102,572	445,065	391,358	514,805	284,552	6.0	9.7	14.8	15.0	2.4	3.6	5.1	4.0	17.8	15.2	11.2	11.1	2
141,234	246,417	457,669	454,008	101,484	159,558	172,572	202,751	502,005	457,822	545,181	649,310	4.9	3.3	13.4	14.1	3.5	4.8	5.0	6.5	17.4	14.6	10.1	10.8	3
25,534	43,864	79,788	57,885	17,104	27,280	45,411	30,158	135,986	114,401	100,788	89,407	4.8	8.6	14.0	11.5	5.5	5.4	8.0	6.0	27.1	22.4	17.7	17.8	4
5,966	9,690	15,826	15,565	3,184	6,488	10,327	8,118	55,758	40,887	59,509	52,196	2.6	7.2	10.0	12.5	2.1	4.8	6.5	6.5	37.1	30.1	24.8	25.8	5
11,649	26,425	42,183	44,066	8,178	14,226	21,054	17,886	104,092	76,575	64,176	62,692	3.4	7.6	10.6	12.5	2.4	4.1	5.3	5.0	50.0	22.0	16.1	17.5	6
58,478	84,733	132,287	122,769	27,114	36,440	50,865	39,839	195,005	172,354	127,782	113,797	6.1	8.4	12.2	12.7	2.8	3.6	4.7	4.1	20.2	17.1	11.8	11.8	7
73,971	130,585	228,547	149,881	21,407	36,106	60,375	36,729	90,210	101,764	85,556	75,867	7.2	12.0	19.4	13.5	2.1	3.3	5.1	3.3	8.7	9.3	7.1	6.8	8
39,690	65,751	117,645	125,576	29,152	44,519	67,887	63,451	199,582	181,502	160,174	147,085	3.8	6.4	10.3	11.9	2.8	4.3	5.9	6.0	19.1	17.8	14.0	13.9	9
50,865	92,335	141,984	164,286	36,331	48,891	52,134	70,754	145,425	154,957	97,601	112,588	5.3	9.0	12.5	15.5	3.8	4.8	4.6	6.7	15.2	13.2	8.8	10.6	10
50,881	90,331	196,042	184,146	36,001	46,048	52,551	68,526	157,198	121,563	87,408	89,659	5.8	9.4	17.4	14.9	4.1	4.8	4.6	6.2	17.9	12.6	7.7	8.1	11
13,225	23,362	52,761	50,449	9,085	13,857	25,469	14,874	41,747	40,314	36,789	34,707	8.2	10.0	19.4	12.6	4.3	5.9	9.4	6.2	19.6	17.3	14.3	14.4	12
10,309	20,502	27,027	27,434	8,019	13,423	19,942	15,282	92,239	74,087	62,019	54,700	5.7	7.4	9.0	10.5	2.8	4.9	6.7	5.8	32.7	26.8	20.7	20.9	13
1,714	3,988	6,382	5,864	1,374	2,469	3,704	3,024	15,658	11,581	9,506	10,565	4.1	10.2	15.3	15.0	3.3	6.5	8.8	7.8	37.1	29.7	22.7	26.6	14
795	1,267	2,507	1,874	542	965	1,072	7,457	7,457	5,584	4,801	4,125	4.2	7.7	14.2	12.6	2.9	5.5	9.4	7.2	39.7	35.7	27.1	27.7	15
905	2,449	3,843	4,241	523	1,276	1,676	1,790	6,606	5,780	5,707	6,263	3.4	10.4	14.2	17.0	2.0	5.4	6.2	7.2	24.9	24.5	21.1	25.2	16
514	1,098	1,599	1,972	456	1,071	1,845	1,291	16,045	10,609	8,644	6,589	0.8	3.4	4.6	7.7	1.2	3.4	5.5	5.0	43.4	35.3	24.6	26.7	17
55	89	198	166	45	109	177	102	1,341	806	1,153	719	1.0	3.0	4.6	5.0	1.2	3.6	4.1	3.1	37.2	26.7	26.2	21.6	18
205	799	1,287	1,446	248	658	1,265	859	8,651	6,527	9,518	4,135	0.9	3.8	4.0	8.4	1.1	5.1	5.9	4.9	38.9	29.9	29.6	24.0	19
4,540	11,502	15,775	17,318	3,280	5,665	7,855	6,962	39,997	29,789	28,250	24,756	5.0	7.5	7.8	10.8	2.2	3.7	4.4	4.3	26.1	19.4	18.0	15.5	20
478	952	1,488	1,484	408	677	1,049	826	6,979	4,753	5,481	5,581	1.8	3.8	5.1	5.8	1.6	2.6	3.6	5.4	24.3	18.4	11.9	14.1	21
6,651	13,951	26,920	25,264	4,490	7,886	12,150	10,098	58,716	42,051	32,375	34,555	3.9	8.2	14.1	14.7	2.6	4.7	6.4	5.9	34.2	24.9	16.9	19.9	22
10,884	17,009	24,217	24,197	5,485	8,195	12,452	8,665	58,482	49,904	38,719	30,781	4.8	7.5	9.5	11.0	2.5	3.5	4.9	4.0	26.5	21.3	15.2	14.0	23
10,042	14,185	22,441	22,052	4,919	7,114	10,185	8,512	41,885	36,225	29,108	25,545	5.7	7.7	11.2	12.1	2.8	3.9	5.1	4.7	23.7	19.6	14.5	14.1	24
15,958	20,829	26,069	27,089	5,182	8,758	7,218	27,218	27,600	27,114	18,997	17,274	7.8	9.8	11.3	12.6	2.5	3.4	5.9	5.4	15.5	12.7	8.2	8.1	25
8,087	12,815	20,403	26,258	6,105	7,861	10,810	8,918	45,941	39,792	25,569	25,135	4.6	6.8	10.4	15.5	3.5	4.2	5.5	5.3	26.2	21.2	13.0	14.8	26
13,707	19,895	39,157	28,195	5,425	8,054	8,441	6,526	19,289	19,289	15,989	15,062	7.7	10.7	19.6	12.8	3.1	5.2	4.2	3.6	10.9	10.3	7.7	8.5	27
15,184	21,820	45,015	24,257	4,369	6,070	7,828	5,988	17,967	19,589	11,866	12,070	8.0	11.1	22.1	15.1	2.3	3.1	5.9	3.2	9.5	9.9	5.8	6.5	28
14,164	19,668	21,908	21,910	5,011	4,950	6,068	4,850	11,864	13,520	12,751	11,870	6.8	9.2	9.9	10.2	1.4	2.3	2.7	2.2	5.7	6.3	5.7	5.5	29
13,045	25,094	45,698	35,914	6,894	10,592	12,872	13,028	55,272	37,598	25,242	27,141	5.4	9.0	15.7	15.5	2.8	4.1	4.6	5.1	14.5	14.7	9.1	10.6	30
5,887	10,286	29,159	15,845	1,041	2,016	4,509	1,619	2,182	3,840	4,047	2,540	8.2	15.9	33.5	17.8	1.5	2.7	5.1	2.1	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.5	31
4,271	9,464	26,322	10,492	1,014	1,934	16,085	2,014	2,558	4,023	7,701	5,209	6.2	13.1	31.6	12.8	1.5	2.6	19.5	2.4	3.7	5.6	9.2	5.9	32
10,588	20,445	28,445	15,050	2,133	4,084	3,910	2,584	5,300	7,555	6,057	5,235	9.5	16.9	19.8	11.6	1.9	3.4	2.9	2.0	4.9	6.1	4.5	4.0	33
11,094	25,808	36,801	30,433	3,145	6,500	9,306	6,836	14,887	15,865	15,912	13,902	7.9	16.5	21.1	18.5	2.2	4.2	5.3	4.1	10.5	10.1	9.1	8.5	34
195	456	565	989	150	275	412	588	1,425	1,209	1,184	1,556	2.1	5.1	5.4	10.2	1.4	3.1	4.0	5.8	15.3	13.4	11.4	14.0	35
1,401	2,132	2,722	4,327	990	1,488	2,006	2,208	9,918	8,873	7,543	7,854	3.4	5.1	6.1	10.0	2.4	3.5	4.5	5.1	24.0	20.6	16.5	18.2	36
6,681	10,878	22,080	19,957	4,609	7,726	12,398	12,525	48,419	43,551	38,007	37,209	5.9	6.2	11.2	11.7	2.7	4.4	6.3	7.2	28.0	24.8	19.2	21.8	37
3,562	6,087	15,118	11,007	2,916	6,247	10,845	6,757	38,859	35,352	22,558	21,759	3.6	6.1	14.4	13.5	5.0	6.5	10.4	8.2	39.8	33.6	21.5	26.5	38
9,928	17,251	23,591	35,188	7,184	11,401	15,714	18,488	58,100	40,416	34,942	28,715	5.5	6.2	7.8	11.9	2.5	4.1	6.2	5.9	15.5	14.5	11.6	10.5	39
5,884	8,077	25,865	21,224	5,511	5,821	10,328	10,580	21,132	18,167	19,778	17,700	4.0	5.9	15.6	13.4	5.7	4.2	6.2	6.7	14.5	13.2	11.9	11.2	41
10,323	17,414	21,361	31,022	6,343	8,552	10,073	11,385	27,291	22,094	21,947	20,741	4.6	8.1	8.5	12.1	2.8	3.9	4.0	4.5	12.1	10.2	8.8	8.1	42
1,708	3,455	6,346	3,899	1,469	2,850	6,111	3,183	14,238	14,254	14,400	11,753	2.8	5.6	8.7	6.6	2.4	4.5	8.4	6.4	23.3	22.9	19.8	19.9	43
8,692	19,650	38,395	33,330	6,956	15,985	14,535	16,611	44,526	45,790	28,870	36,547	3.8	7.8	13.8	13.5	2.9	5.5	5.2	7.6	18.6	18.1	10.4	14.8	44
11,057	21,456	30,350	39,225	7,262	12,439	14,119	19,585	42,000	45,057	29,755	35,844	4.7	8.7	11.1	16.0	3.1	5.0	5.2	7.9	17.9	17.4	10.9	13.8	45
13,342	23,518	32,041	38,914	10,580	9,531	13,309	15,009	59,042	25,339	22,998	20,570	6.0	10.1	11.7	15.1	4.7	4.1	4.9	5.8	17.5	10.2	8.4	8.0	46
17,572	27,951	41,198	32,817	11,535	13,056	10,175	17,789	20,055	22,571	15,998	21,627	6.7	9.6	13.2	16.9	4.4	4.5	3.3	5.7	7.6	7.8	5.1	6.9	47
14,876	22,320	40,499	39,982	11,146	11,622	12,966	17,475	31,488	26,999	16,757	19,829	7.5	10.3	16.0	16.5	5.8	5.4	5.1	7.2	15.8	12.5	6.6	8.2	48
7,499	13,710	17,876	25,536	6,896	6,895	7,095	12,226	17,342	14,287	11,641	12,335	5.8	9.1	10.5	14.6	5.5	4.6	4.2	7.6	13.4	9.5	6.8	7.6	49
11,543	20,546	70,849	35,228	5,847	9,718																			