

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 10.—HIRED FARM LABOR AND WAGE RATES

[Figures on number of workers and wage rates are for hired persons working the week of

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Type of farm				
		Cash-grain	Cotton	Other field-crop	Vegetable	Fruit-and- nut
Hired workers..... farms reporting..	17,577	241	7,341	362	94	86
persons..	69,426	568	37,765	1,863	448	338
1 hired worker.....	5,717	113	1,692	84	11	20
2 hired workers.....	3,695	44	1,328	60	35	25
3 or 4 hired workers.....	3,662	52	1,622	84	30	21
5 to 9 hired workers.....	3,021	30	1,706	85	6	10
10 hired workers or more.....	1,482	2	993	49	12	10
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....	4,781	56	1,085	136	37	31
persons..	11,785	131	2,776	318	79	48
1 hired worker.....	2,466	19	549	62	15	15
2 hired workers.....	1,068	20	232	27	11	15
3 or 4 hired workers.....	731	14	160	36	10	1
5 to 9 hired workers.....	387	2	107	6	1	...
10 hired workers or more.....	129	1	37	5	...	...
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....	14,337	205	6,694	284	84	55
persons..	57,641	437	34,989	1,545	369	290
1 hired worker.....	4,529	106	1,433	68	31	5
2 hired workers.....	2,992	31	1,218	27	15	10
3 or 4 hired workers.....	2,943	49	1,477	66	20	20
5 to 9 hired workers.....	2,609	18	1,630	91	6	10
10 hired workers or more.....	1,264	1	936	32	12	10
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....	3,240	36	647	78	10	31
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....	1,541	20	438	58	27	...
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....	12,796	185	6,256	226	57	55
Paid on a monthly basis..... farms reporting..	1,660	26	242	25	10	6
Under \$25 per month.....	14	...	1	...	...	...
\$25 to \$34 per month.....	59	...	9	...	...	...
\$35 to \$49 per month.....	131	...	18	...	...	...
\$50 to \$84 per month.....	579	5	115	20	10	...
\$85 to \$109 per month.....	382	5	69	1	...	...
\$110 to \$129 per month.....	168	7	10	1	...	5
\$130 to \$169 per month.....	168	7	11	1	...	1
\$170 to \$214 per month.....	92	1	6	1	...	...
\$215 to \$274 per month.....	52	1	2	1	...	...
\$275 to \$324 per month.....	11	...	1	...	...	...
\$325 and over per month.....	4	...	...	...	...	...
Paid on a weekly basis..... farms reporting..	2,272	30	372	79	7	20
Under \$5 per week.....	10	...	...	...	...	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....	12	...	...	...	...	...
\$8 to \$11 per week.....	155	...	48	...	...	...
\$12 to \$19 per week.....	628	5	135	20	...	...
\$20 to \$24 per week.....	482	7	71	11	6	5
\$25 to \$29 per week.....	361	7	37	13	...	...
\$30 to \$39 per week.....	413	11	55	20	1	10
\$40 to \$49 per week.....	119	...	12	10	...	5
\$50 to \$59 per week.....	72	...	14	5	...	...
\$60 to \$69 per week.....	16	...	...	...	...	...
\$70 to \$79 per week.....	2	...	...	...	...	...
\$80 and over per week.....	2	...	...	...	...	...
Paid on a daily basis..... farms reporting..	9,599	166	3,825	235	36	40
\$1.00 per day.....	77	...	27	...	...	...
\$2.00 per day.....	1,491	6	673	16	5	10
\$3.00 per day.....	3,794	51	1,499	55	...	25
\$4.00 per day.....	2,713	66	1,185	100	31	5
\$5.00 per day.....	1,120	28	347	55	...	...
\$6.00 per day.....	296	15	67	4	...	...
\$7.00 per day.....	26	...	7	...	...	...
\$8.00 per day.....	23	...	5	5	...	...
\$9.00 per day.....	10	...	...	...	...	...
\$10.00 and over per day.....	49	...	15	...	...	...
Paid on an hourly basis..... farms reporting..	1,242	33	313	16	26	...
Under \$0.25 per hour.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....	103	...	33	...	...	...
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....	258	1	92	5	5	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....	447	15	118	11	10	...
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....	23	...	10	...	...	...
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....	15	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....	268	16	50	...	11	...
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....	48	1	...	...	...	...
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....	53	...	5	...	...	...
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....	5	...	...	...	...	...
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$1.45 and over per hour.....	22	...	5	...	...	...
Paid on a piece-work basis..... farms reporting..	4,316	16	3,018	47	17	25
Expenditures for hired labor in 1954..... farms reporting..	72,530	603	37,737	1,194	316	367
dollars.....	29,539,218	263,721	12,314,002	997,329	249,620	333,465
\$1 to \$99.....	33,568	227	15,931	320	65	50
\$100 to \$199.....	13,932	135	8,213	256	55	65
\$200 to \$499.....	13,320	113	8,113	259	96	75
\$500 to \$999.....	5,296	67	3,017	119	41	70
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	4,093	38	1,659	153	35	86
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	1,439	19	524	50	12	10
\$5,000 and over.....	882	4	280	37	12	11
Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported..... farms reporting..	54,953	362	30,396	832	222	281
\$1 to \$99.....	29,574	187	14,243	275	55	50
\$100 to \$199.....	11,304	88	6,984	211	45	65
\$200 to \$499.....	9,556	61	6,229	179	70	50
\$500 to \$999.....	2,834	16	1,895	85	26	55
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	1,353	10	835	70	20	51
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	271	...	160	12	6	5
\$5,000 and over.....	61	...	50	...	...	5

BY TYPE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1954

Oct. 24-30. Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

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	Dairy	Poultry	Livestock other than dairy and poultry	General			Miscel- laneous and un- classified
				Primarily crop	Primarily livestock	Crop and livestock	
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,032	512	2,735	744	62	727	3,641
persons..	2,969	1,187	7,988	3,336	192	2,983	9,789
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	378	276	1,050	190	27	271	1,605
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	269	110	713	110	15	130	856
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	204	85	546	177	12	142	687
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	157	23	312	168	5	134	385
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	24	18	114	99	3	50	108
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	720	234	1,380	196	17	284	605
persons..	1,861	400	3,042	469	66	799	1,796
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	326	156	743	92	4	142	343
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	150	38	329	62	5	61	118
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	157	31	182	21	3	48	68
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	75	8	93	14	4	28	49
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	12	1	33	7	1	5	27
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	517	332	1,759	631	53	550	3,173
persons..	1,108	787	4,946	2,867	126	2,184	7,993
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	263	174	673	162	26	200	1,388
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	121	102	475	80	14	109	790
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	94	29	346	150	9	89	594
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	32	11	208	164	2	113	324
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	7	16	57	75	2	39	77
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	515	180	976	113	9	177	468
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	205	54	404	83	8	107	137
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting..	312	278	1,355	548	45	443	3,036
Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting..	293	117	530	75	9	74	253
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	1	...	2	...	...	...	10
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	...	5	17	5	...	...	22
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	1	11	46	...	...	8	47
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	99	12	187	38	3	33	57
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	73	36	128	12	1	9	48
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting..	37	27	43	6	4	10	18
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting..	46	14	45	9	1	10	23
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting..	28	5	36	4	...	2	16
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting..	5	7	19	1	...	...	2
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting..	3	...	5	...	...	...	1
\$325 and over per month.....farms reporting..	...	...	2	...	...	...	1
Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting..	505	142	562	65	19	106	365
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	...	5	...	...	...	...	5
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	...	5	6	...	...	...	1
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	16	15	45	2	5	5	19
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	100	18	181	36	10	41	82
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	108	31	127	7	2	20	87
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	110	27	99	5	2	17	44
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	105	13	72	13	...	19	94
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	40	10	22	2	...	3	15
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	22	13	7	...	...	...	11
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	3	5	2	...	...	...	6
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	1	...	...	1	...
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting..	362	166	1,669	519	40	492	2,049
\$1.00 per day.....farms reporting..	22	...	7	...	...	5	16
\$2.00 per day.....farms reporting..	34	24	238	54	3	72	356
\$3.00 per day.....farms reporting..	198	61	786	170	29	187	733
\$4.00 per day.....farms reporting..	68	45	385	151	7	134	536
\$5.00 per day.....farms reporting..	29	36	205	109	...	75	236
\$6.00 per day.....farms reporting..	4	...	27	30	1	17	131
\$7.00 per day.....farms reporting..	1	...	1	5	...	2	10
\$8.00 per day.....farms reporting..	6	...	6	...	...	...	1
\$9.00 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
\$10.00 and over per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	4	...	...	...	30
Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting..	54	70	205	37	6	45	437
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	1	15	27	...	5	3	19
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	10	8	37	10	1	16	73
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	29	32	74	25	...	18	115
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	1	...	...	...	12
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	1	...	1	...	...	...	13
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting..	7	5	45	1	...	8	125
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	5	1	1	...	...	40
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting..	5	5	8	...	...	...	30
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting..	1	...	6	...	...	...	10
Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting..	40	58	162	141	3	92	697
Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting..	1,656	1,536	5,648	2,082	121	2,320	18,950
dollars..	3,000,347	989,644	4,845,923	1,074,831	145,556	1,334,670	3,990,110
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	288	455	1,462	537	50	709	13,474
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	160	251	907	462	5	509	2,914
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	267	390	1,170	580	28	577	1,652
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	174	190	783	221	3	229	382
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	408	150	846	196	21	178	323
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	204	69	320	62	8	68	93
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	155	31	160	24	6	50	112
Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....farms reporting..	624	1,024	2,913	1,338	59	1,593	15,309
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	251	390	1,249	431	40	602	11,801
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	133	230	631	332	5	438	2,142
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	168	262	609	385	8	399	1,136
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	35	95	269	111	...	105	142
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	34	37	121	69	5	38	63
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	2	10	32	8	1	11	24
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	1	...	2	2	...	...	1