

State Table 8.—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	Economic class			
		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	41,053	38,042	14,937	9,906	6,094
persons.....	277,753	270,624	171,169	48,793	29,240
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	15,719	13,832	3,536	4,294	2,650
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	7,088	6,676	2,687	1,721	1,043
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	6,046	5,727	2,726	1,331	772
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	5,572	5,280	2,363	1,123	669
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	6,628	6,527	3,625	1,437	760
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	22,277	21,596	12,757	5,211	1,920
persons.....	80,605	79,406	66,238	8,129	2,858
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	11,272	10,718	4,214	3,671	1,417
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	4,474	4,407	2,917	963	318
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,101	3,067	2,464	417	138
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,040	2,027	1,819	138	38
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	1,390	1,377	1,343	22	12
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	26,125	23,686	7,022	6,287	4,624
persons.....	197,148	191,218	104,931	40,664	22,382
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	9,854	8,388	2,016	2,269	1,720
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,988	3,645	943	934	739
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,439	3,151	839	871	682
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,717	3,462	931	888	742
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	5,127	5,040	2,293	1,325	1,470
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	14,928	14,356	7,915	3,619	450
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	7,349	7,240	4,842	1,592	4,500
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting..	18,776	16,446	2,180	4,695	4,174
Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting..	12,930	12,472	7,518	2,824	1,144
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	21	11	...	...	...
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	27	27	...	...	6
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	76	51	6	20	15
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	379	312	24	74	136
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	566	545	137	181	94
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting..	343	323	64	139	58
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting..	1,074	981	336	314	179
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting..	2,566	2,472	1,170	777	275
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting..	3,300	3,228	2,071	764	230
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting..	2,541	2,500	1,934	411	94
\$325 and over per month.....farms reporting..	2,037	2,022	1,776	138	57
Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting..	2,768	2,644	1,431	584	320
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	5	5	...	...	5
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	40	25	5	5	15
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	98	93	34	16	23
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	76	66	19	12	25
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	138	128	11	41	25
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	210	189	61	38	59
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	373	357	140	113	53
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	759	727	388	166	82
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	559	549	362	132	23
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	270	265	212	30	10
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	240	240	199	31	...
Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting..	3,330	2,996	1,521	610	378
\$1 per day.....farms reporting..	37	37	6	6	...
\$2 per day.....farms reporting..	34	29	2	15	6
\$3 per day.....farms reporting..	62	42	8	11	18
\$4 per day.....farms reporting..	79	59	6	13	19
\$5 per day.....farms reporting..	306	240	76	53	59
\$6 per day.....farms reporting..	231	191	73	48	29
\$7 per day.....farms reporting..	234	213	99	74	31
\$8 per day.....farms reporting..	631	591	251	130	63
\$9 per day.....farms reporting..	295	280	150	97	6
\$10 and over per day.....farms reporting..	1,421	1,314	850	163	147
Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting..	22,346	20,800	8,029	5,507	3,414
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	19	14	12	1	...
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	10	10	...	5	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	91	71	5	15	36
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	79	69	22	21	20
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	821	780	398	199	102
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting..	1,109	988	275	300	137
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting..	3,178	3,084	1,486	880	417
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting..	10,891	10,244	3,947	2,694	1,716
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting..	4,059	3,753	1,295	1,019	658
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	416	391	187	71	68
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting..	1,673	1,396	402	302	260
Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting..	8,334	7,608	2,002	2,033	1,539
Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting..	76,136	67,277	17,486	17,144	13,899
dollars.....	410,711,854	406,278,344	323,001,300	50,048,578	19,618,714
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	7,711	4,159	131	478	959
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	6,496	4,593	95	681	996
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	11,267	9,365	374	1,679	2,287
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	9,905	9,138	516	2,157	2,483
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	14,512	14,011	1,650	4,206	4,822
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	10,022	9,855	2,597	4,595	1,863
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	16,223	16,156	12,123	3,348	489
Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....farms reporting..	35,083	29,235	2,549	7,238	7,805
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	6,306	3,470	54	418	833
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	4,863	3,471	71	536	762
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	7,360	6,227	251	1,097	1,518
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	5,615	5,282	304	1,166	1,478
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	6,285	6,153	466	1,765	2,410
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	2,848	2,827	420	1,524	744
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	1,806	1,805	983	732	60

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	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Residential	Abnormal
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	4,191	2,426	488	1,742	1,207	62
.....persons..	16,177	8,119	1,126	4,567	1,993	569
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	1,917	1,174	261	1,020	866	1
.....persons..	754	370	101	214	191	7
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	502	320	76	202	100	17
.....persons..	548	342	35	241	30	21
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	470	220	15	65	20	16
.....persons..	548	342	35	241	30	21
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	470	220	15	65	20	16
.....persons..	548	342	35	241	30	21
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	1,079	500	129	300	325	56
.....persons..	1,359	646	176	338	380	481
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	885	429	102	273	275	6
.....persons..	1,555	37	17	21	45	1
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	19	22	10	5	5	24
.....persons..	20	12	...	1	...	12
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	13
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	26
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,377	1,985	391	1,491	922	26
.....persons..	14,818	7,473	950	4,229	1,613	88
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,352	818	213	819	641	6
.....persons..	625	337	67	176	156	11
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	413	280	66	201	80	7
.....persons..	537	335	30	230	25	...
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	450	215	15	65	20	2
.....persons..	814	441	97	251	285	36
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	265	59	32	49	40	20
.....persons..	3,112	1,926	359	1,442	882	6
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting..	543	349	94	207	195	56
.....persons..	1	10	...	10	...	...
Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting..	10	5	...	25	...	...
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	5	5	...	10	57	...
.....persons..	50	18	10	21	...	...
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	71	46	16	15	5	...
.....persons..	30	32	...	48	35	10
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	90	46	16	51	35	8
.....persons..	124	105	21	20	37	15
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	85	65	13	7	20	14
.....persons..	42	12	7	...	6	9
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	35	5	11	...	...	...
.....persons..	183	111	15	48	75	1
Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	15	5	...	5	...	...
.....persons..	10	...	...	5	...	...
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	10	...	...	5	...	...
.....persons..	40	11	...	10	...	...
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	16	15	...	6	15	...
.....persons..	26	20	5	10	5	1
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	41	45	5	7	25	...
.....persons..	23	9	...	...	10	...
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	7	6	...	...	5	...
.....persons..	23	9	...	...	10	...
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	41	45	5	7	25	...
.....persons..	23	9	...	...	10	...
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	7	6	...	...	5	...
.....persons..	5	...	5	...	...	...
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting..	281	147	59	189	145	...
.....persons..	20	...	5	...	...	...
\$1 per day.....farms reporting..	1	5	...	5	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	20	...	...
\$2 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$3 per day.....farms reporting..	10	11	...	10	10	...
.....persons..	22	15	15	21	45	...
\$4 per day.....farms reporting..	16	17	8	40	...	...
.....persons..	7	2	...	6	15	...
\$5 per day.....farms reporting..	90	37	20	25	15	...
.....persons..	8	13	6	...	15	...
\$6 per day.....farms reporting..	107	42	5	62	45	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$7 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$8 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$9 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$10 and over per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting..	2,425	1,174	251	886	642	18
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	1	...	...	...	5	...
.....persons..	5	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	5	10	...	5	15	...
.....persons..	1	...	...	...	10	...
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	1	...	...	...	15	...
.....persons..	66	15	...	20	21	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	164	71	41	81	40	...
.....persons..	205	81	15	52	40	2
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	1,232	557	98	360	281	6
.....persons..	413	301	67	196	100	10
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	45	20	...	15	10	...
.....persons..	288	119	25	157	120	...
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting..	1,142	796	96	520	205	1
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting..	10,245	7,004	1,499	5,524	3,237	98
.....dollars..	9,176,845	3,673,536	759,371	1,624,383	1,133,838	1,675,289
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	1,035	1,209	347	2,081	1,466	5
.....persons..	1,121	1,281	419	1,372	520	11
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	2,419	2,230	376	1,239	657	6
.....persons..	2,529	1,314	139	477	273	17
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	2,453	738	142	271	229	1
.....persons..	535	200	65	79	82	6
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	153	32	11	5	10	52
.....persons..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	6,054	4,578	1,011	3,782	2,030	36
.....persons..	844	1,015	306	1,680	1,151	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	846	978	278	1,036	345	11
.....persons..	1,571	1,532	258	762	365	6
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	1,527	696	111	224	97	12
.....persons..	1,132	327	53	60	72	...
Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....farms reporting..	109	30	...	20	...	1
.....persons..	25	...	5	...	...	1