

Economic Area Table 12--FARM LABOR: CENSUS OF 1954

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text]

| | Item (For definitions and explanations, see text) | The State | Areas 1 and A | Areas B and C | Area 2 |
|---------------------------------|---|------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|
| FARM LABOR | | | | | |
| Week of September 26-October 2: | | | | | |
| 1 | Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting... | 11,774 | 2,507 | 3,844 | 5,423 |
| 2 | persons..... | 30,642 | 5,628 | 13,256 | 11,758 |
| 3 | Average per farm reporting.....persons... | 2.6 | 2.2 | 3.4 | 2.2 |
| 4 | Family workers, including | | | | |
| 5 | operator.....farms reporting... | 11,533 | 2,405 | 3,756 | 5,372 |
| | persons..... | 17,901 | 3,590 | 5,777 | 8,534 |
| 6 | Operators working 1 or more | | | | |
| 7 | hours.....farms reporting... | 11,198 | 2,350 | 3,631 | 5,217 |
| 8 | 1 to 14 hours.....farms reporting... | 2,951 | 758 | 1,442 | 1,442 |
| | 15 or more hours.....farms reporting... | 8,247 | 1,592 | 2,880 | 3,775 |
| 9 | Operators not working or not | | | | |
| 10 | reporting.....number of farms... | 1,556 | 372 | 628 | 556 |
| 11 | Unpaid members of operator's family | | | | |
| 12 | working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting... | 4,763 | 838 | 1,511 | 2,414 |
| | persons..... | 6,703 | 1,240 | 2,146 | 3,317 |
| | No unpaid members of operator's family | | | | |
| | working 15 hours or more or not | | | | |
| | reporting.....number of farms... | 7,991 | 1,884 | 2,748 | 3,359 |
| 13 | Hired workers.....farms reporting... | 3,592 | 953 | 1,469 | 1,170 |
| 14 | persons..... | 12,741 | 2,038 | 7,479 | 3,224 |
| 15 | 1 hired worker.....farms reporting... | 1,523 | 447 | 475 | 601 |
| 16 | 2 hired workers.....farms reporting... | 862 | 234 | 305 | 323 |
| 17 | 3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting... | 665 | 217 | 335 | 113 |
| 18 | 5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting... | 341 | 47 | 222 | 72 |
| 19 | 10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting... | 201 | 8 | 132 | 61 |
| 20 | Regular workers (to be employed 150 days | | | | |
| 21 | or more).....farms reporting... | 2,284 | 652 | 914 | 718 |
| 22 | persons..... | 6,181 | 1,195 | 3,195 | 1,791 |
| 23 | 1 worker.....farms reporting... | 1,191 | 346 | 445 | 400 |
| 24 | 2 workers.....farms reporting... | 573 | 179 | 220 | 174 |
| 25 | 3 or 4 workers.....farms reporting... | 326 | 98 | 155 | 73 |
| 26 | 5 to 9 workers.....farms reporting... | 125 | 27 | 57 | 41 |
| | 10 or more workers.....farms reporting... | 69 | 2 | 37 | 30 |
| 27 | Seasonal workers (to be employed less than | | | | |
| 28 | 150 days).....farms reporting... | 1,970 | 473 | 880 | 617 |
| 29 | persons..... | 6,560 | 843 | 4,284 | 1,433 |
| 30 | 1 worker.....farms reporting... | 1,048 | 316 | 325 | 407 |
| 31 | 2 workers.....farms reporting... | 317 | 70 | 130 | 117 |
| 32 | 3 or 4 workers.....farms reporting... | 317 | 70 | 206 | 41 |
| 33 | 5 to 9 workers.....farms reporting... | 155 | 10 | 125 | 20 |
| | 10 or more workers.....farms reporting... | 133 | 7 | 94 | 32 |
| 34 | Farms by kind of workers: | | | | |
| | Both family workers and hired | | | | |
| 35 | workers.....farms reporting... | 3,351 | 851 | 1,381 | 1,119 |
| 36 | Family workers only.....farms reporting... | 8,182 | 1,554 | 2,375 | 4,253 |
| 37 | Operator only.....farms reporting... | 4,715 | 999 | 1,405 | 2,311 |
| | Unpaid members of operator's | | | | |
| | family only.....farms reporting... | 250 | 40 | 85 | 125 |
| 38 | Hired workers only.....farms reporting... | 241 | 102 | 88 | 51 |
| 39 | Operator and hired workers only.....farms reporting... | 2,055 | 568 | 840 | 647 |
| 40 | Hired workers by basis of payment: | | | | |
| 41 | Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting... | 1,224 | 572 | 376 | 276 |
| 42 | persons..... | 2,125 | 892 | 745 | 488 |
| 43 | Average hours worked per month.....hours... | 241 | 252 | 244 | 215 |
| | Average wage per month.....dollars... | 183 | 179 | 194 | 176 |
| 44 | Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting... | 1,161 | 208 | 554 | 399 |
| 45 | persons..... | 2,963 | 339 | 1,782 | 842 |
| 46 | Average hours worked per week.....hours... | 52 | 54 | 50 | 53 |
| 47 | Average wage per week.....dollars... | 50 | 51 | 49 | 53 |
| 48 | Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting... | 361 | 90 | 153 | 118 |
| 49 | persons..... | 1,842 | 115 | 1,380 | 347 |
| 50 | Average hours worked per day.....hours... | 8.2 | 8.5 | 8.3 | 8.1 |
| 51 | Average wage per day.....dollars... | 8.47 | 6.65 | 8.93 | 7.25 |
| 52 | Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting... | 1,552 | 312 | 707 | 533 |
| 53 | persons..... | 5,131 | 518 | 3,242 | 1,371 |
| 54 | Average wage per hour.....dollars... | 1.03 | 1.12 | 1.01 | 1.04 |
| 55 | Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting... | 187 | 41 | 80 | 66 |
| 56 | persons..... | 680 | 174 | 330 | 176 |
| EXPENDITURES FOR HIRED LABOR | | | | | |
| 57 | Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting... | 5,700 | 1,254 | 2,139 | 2,307 |
| 58 | dollars..... | 18,251,772 | 2,871,830 | 10,656,375 | 4,723,567 |
| 59 | \$1 to \$99.....farms reporting... | 800 | 165 | 170 | 465 |
| 60 | \$100 to \$199.....farms reporting... | 572 | 106 | 170 | 296 |
| 61 | \$200 to \$499.....farms reporting... | 977 | 175 | 315 | 487 |
| 62 | \$500 to \$999.....farms reporting... | 767 | 130 | 310 | 327 |
| 63 | \$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting... | 981 | 285 | 390 | 306 |
| 64 | \$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting... | 819 | 238 | 370 | 211 |
| 65 | \$5,000 and over.....farms reporting... | 784 | 155 | 414 | 215 |
| 66 | Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no | | | | |
| 67 | hired workers reported.....farms reporting... | 2,108 | 301 | 670 | 1,137 |
| 68 | \$1 to \$99.....farms reporting... | 650 | 120 | 130 | 400 |
| 69 | \$100 to \$199.....farms reporting... | 381 | 45 | 105 | 231 |
| 70 | \$200 to \$499.....farms reporting... | 491 | 70 | 135 | 286 |
| 71 | \$500 to \$999.....farms reporting... | 270 | 20 | 115 | 135 |
| 72 | \$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting... | 191 | 26 | 95 | 70 |
| 73 | \$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting... | 110 | 20 | 85 | 5 |
| | \$5,000 and over.....farms reporting... | 15 | ... | 5 | 10 |