

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
<b>Hired workers.....farms reporting..</b>	33,527	15,353	30	45	301	238
persons.....	53,584	21,928	165	95	2,035	1,029
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	24,211	11,472	5	30	70	50
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	5,978	2,625	5	10	40	55
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,266	979	5	...	36	75
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	851	255	10	5	87	41
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	221	22	5	...	68	17
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	17,309	7,097	...	15	121	133
persons.....	23,909	8,714	...	15	615	322
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	13,978	5,982	...	15	45	65
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,307	814	...	...	30	30
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	716	253	...	...	11	25
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	231	44	...	...	23	12
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	77	4	...	...	12	1
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	19,152	9,529	30	35	221	157
persons.....	29,675	13,214	165	80	1,420	707
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	14,604	7,453	5	25	70	45
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,695	1,256	5	5	10	20
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,236	532	5	...	20	60
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	468	170	10	5	65	15
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	149	18	5	...	56	17
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	14,375	5,824	...	10	80	81
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,934	1,273	...	5	41	52
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting..	16,218	8,256	30	30	180	105
<b>Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	12,766	4,860	...	10	51	26
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	15	...	...	...	...	...
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	35	10	...	...	...	...
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	130	40	...	...	...	...
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	1,097	347	...	...	...	5
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	1,452	514	...	...	5	5
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting..	1,197	475	...	...	5	...
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting..	3,942	1,737	...	5	25	...
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting..	3,801	1,381	...	5	10	11
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting..	769	262	...	...	...	...
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting..	244	84	...	...	...	5
\$325 and over per month.....farms reporting..	84	10	...	...	6	...
<b>Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	4,410	1,965	...	5	15	26
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	5	...	...	...	...	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	15	10	...	...	...	...
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	95	50	...	...	...	...
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	221	45	...	...	...	5
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	226	106	...	...	...	...
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	320	137	...	...	...	...
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	1,320	634	...	...	5	5
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	1,343	669	...	5	5	10
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	554	224	...	...	5	6
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	202	63	...	...	...	...
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	76	21	...	...	...	...
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	33	6	...	...	...	...
<b>Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting..</b>	9,813	5,465	10	10	55	30
\$1.00 per day.....farms reporting..	51	11	...	...	...	...
\$2.00 per day.....farms reporting..	120	45	...	...	...	...
\$3.00 per day.....farms reporting..	141	55	...	...	...	...
\$4.00 per day.....farms reporting..	426	199	5	...	...	5
\$5.00 per day.....farms reporting..	2,254	1,122	5	5	15	10
\$6.00 per day.....farms reporting..	2,213	1,295	...	5	5	5
\$7.00 per day.....farms reporting..	1,327	836	...	...	5	5
\$8.00 per day.....farms reporting..	1,643	973	...	...	...	...
\$9.00 per day.....farms reporting..	176	91	...	...	...	5
\$10.00 and over per day.....farms reporting..	1,462	838	...	...	30	...
<b>Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	8,804	4,129	5	10	160	148
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	5	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	36	15	5	...	...	16
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	300	111	...	...	...	25
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	193	56	...	...	10	15
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	245	102	...	5	65	55
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting..	1,275	514	...	...	30	12
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting..	209	67	...	...	37	15
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting..	5,132	2,632	...	5	5	5
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting..	758	341	...	...	5	...
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	49	15	...	...	10	5
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting..	602	276	...	...	...	...
<b>Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting..</b>	1,086	427	15	10	60	52
<b>Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting..</b>	81,289	35,811	50	80	677	458
dollars.....	67,424,586	22,768,798	15,715	168,750	4,167,254	1,470,331
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	24,903	10,391	5	...	70	30
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	14,026	6,533	20	5	60	35
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	15,542	7,576	15	10	130	100
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	8,753	4,140	10	15	60	60
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	12,200	5,268	...	30	135	75
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	4,153	1,470	...	15	95	70
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	1,712	433	...	5	127	88
<b>Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....farms reporting..</b>	47,762	20,458	20	35	376	220
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	21,997	8,976	...	...	70	25
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	10,920	4,867	15	...	50	30
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	9,532	4,335	...	...	110	55
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	3,349	1,548	5	10	35	40
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	1,611	607	...	15	45	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	276	114	...	10	20	25
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	77	11	...	...	46	5

BY TYPE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1954

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	Dairy	Poultry	Livestock other than dairy and poultry	General			
				Primarily crop	Primarily livestock	Crop and livestock	
<b>Hired workers</b> .....farms reporting..	2,915	277	10,900	115	421	1,793	1,139
.....persons..	4,040	819	16,106	240	520	2,623	3,984
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	2,165	145	8,038	50	370	1,270	546
.....persons..	540	60	1,908	40	25	365	305
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	172	25	707	10	25	127	105
.....persons..	37	36	206	15	...	31	128
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	1	11	41	...	1	...	55
.....persons..	1,830	177	6,433	70	161	803	484
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,390	359	8,241	90	205	962	1,996
.....persons..	1,460	115	5,260	35	145	690	126
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	280	30	898	15	5	80	165
.....persons..	62	10	218	...	10	32	95
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	27	21	45	5	...	1	53
.....persons..	1	1	12	...	1	...	45
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	1,315	130	5,436	70	270	1,136	823
.....persons..	1,650	460	7,865	150	315	1,661	1,988
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,080	65	4,260	30	240	806	525
.....persons..	165	35	649	20	15	225	190
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	65	10	378	10	15	80	61
.....persons..	5	10	128	10	...	25	25
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	...	10	21	...	...	...	22
.....persons..	1,600	147	5,464	45	151	657	316
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	230	30	969	10	10	146	168
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,085	100	4,467	60	260	990	655
.....persons..	1,784	86	4,963	30	131	575	250
<b>Paid on a monthly basis</b> .....farms reporting..	10	...	5	...	...	...	...
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	10	...	10	...	...	...	5
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	35	...	40	...	...	...	15
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	280	15	320	...	10	90	30
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	265	10	523	...	35	80	15
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	185	5	452	...	15	50	10
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting..	405	10	1,579	5	26	140	10
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting..	448	30	1,615	15	45	166	75
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting..	91	6	343	...	...	22	45
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting..	45	5	60	10	...	2	33
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting..	10	5	16	...	...	10	27
\$325 and over per month.....farms reporting..	292	76	1,528	10	15	244	234
<b>Paid on a weekly basis</b> .....farms reporting..	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	10	...	25	...	...	10	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	56	10	50	...	5	30	20
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	35	...	50	...	...	30	5
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	30	5	118	...	...	30	...
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	25	15	523	10	10	68	25
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	90	30	449	...	...	55	30
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	26	5	217	...	...	10	61
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	20	11	46	...	...	11	51
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	29	...	...	...	26
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	11	...	...	...	16
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	40	...	20	...	...	...	...
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	5	...	25	...	...	...	...
<b>Paid on a daily basis</b> .....farms reporting..	500	40	2,806	35	145	506	211
Under \$1.00 per day.....farms reporting..	5	...	20	...	...	...	15
\$1.00 to \$1.99 per day.....farms reporting..	25	5	25	...	5	10	5
\$2.00 to \$2.99 per day.....farms reporting..	10	...	56	...	5	10	5
\$3.00 to \$3.99 per day.....farms reporting..	40	...	122	...	15	30	15
\$4.00 to \$4.99 per day.....farms reporting..	130	10	657	5	45	205	60
\$5.00 to \$5.99 per day.....farms reporting..	105	5	633	15	20	75	35
\$6.00 to \$6.99 per day.....farms reporting..	25	10	389	...	15	31	11
\$7.00 to \$7.99 per day.....farms reporting..	70	...	460	...	30	85	20
\$8.00 to \$8.99 per day.....farms reporting..	5	...	75	...	...	...	...
\$9.00 to \$9.99 per day.....farms reporting..	85	10	369	10	10	65	40
\$10.00 and over per day.....farms reporting..	515	121	2,447	40	130	591	508
<b>Paid on an hourly basis</b> .....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	11	...	...	...	5
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	20	5	93	10	15	15	15
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	5	32	10	...	25	40
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	83	...	...	15	20
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	50	15	340	10	5	95	121
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	10	60	5	...	...	25
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting..	310	71	1,445	...	95	381	141
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting..	70	5	236	...	5	35	56
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	5	1	...	5	...	20
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	65	5	141	5	5	25	65
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting..	100	5	252	10	10	55	90
<b>Paid on a piece-work basis</b> .....farms reporting..	6,856	677	24,840	295	1,426	6,000	4,119
<b>Expenditures for hired labor in 1954</b> .....farms reporting..	5,302,737	1,056,691	21,271,793	354,940	506,990	2,918,870	7,421,717
.....dollars..	1,965	240	6,550	110	705	2,516	2,321
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	1,150	100	4,072	40	230	1,191	590
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	1,285	90	4,616	45	240	960	475
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	755	70	2,828	25	100	545	145
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	1,231	75	4,455	45	125	586	175
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	356	45	1,835	5	25	122	115
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	114	57	484	25	1	80	298
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	3,941	400	13,940	180	1,005	4,207	2,980
<b>Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported</b> .....farms reporting..	1,775	225	5,855	95	635	2,306	2,035
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	940	85	3,337	30	170	946	450
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	815	60	3,017	30	155	625	330
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	285	5	1,106	15	30	210	60
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	110	20	564	10	10	105	85
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	16	5	56	...	5	15	10
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	...	...	5	...	...	...	...