

Parish Table 6.—FARM LABOR AND SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES: CENSUSES OF 1954 AND 1950; AND USE OF

COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER: 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	Acadia	Allen	Ascension	Assumption	Avoyelles	Beauregard	Bienville
1 Estimated number of farms.....1954...	111,234	3,319	1,190	1,301	268	4,432	1,288	1,710
2 1950...	124,181	3,346	1,295	1,455	409	4,563	1,702	2,126
FARM LABOR								
Week of September 26-October 2: ¹								
3 Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	97,933	2,894	998	891	268	3,912	1,145	1,270
4 1950...	100,388	2,859	1,023	1,036	276	3,995	1,319	1,860
5 persons 1954...	283,555	9,391	1,655	2,220	1,772	11,405	1,713	3,149
6 1950...	189,585	4,789	1,504	2,387	1,828	6,255	2,000	3,109
7 Family workers, including								
8 operator.....farms reporting 1954...	96,729	2,845	993	876	251	3,881	1,133	1,265
9 1950...	98,980	2,807	1,001	1,019	261	3,934	1,301	1,850
10 Operators working 1 or more								
11 hours.....persons 1954...	94,475	2,788	983	866	251	3,844	1,112	1,219
12 1950...	93,648	2,726	945	979	251	3,759	1,198	1,764
13 1 to 14 hours.....persons 1954...	23,952	612	249	580	105	871	523	409
14 15 or more hours.....persons 1954...	70,523	2,176	734	286	146	2,973	589	810
15 Unpaid members of operator's								
16 family.....farms reporting 1954...	42,654	1,099	235	181	61	1,824	223	473
17 1950...	36,395	754	270	320	50	1,288	525	894
18 persons 1954...	81,283	2,147	454	266	91	3,011	382	958
19 1950...	53,965	1,085	305	494	50	1,728	699	1,132
20 Hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	18,509	990	135	191	133	839	137	111
21 1950...	11,931	438	121	176	151	292	75	137
22 persons 1954...	107,797	4,456	218	1,088	1,430	4,550	219	972
23 1950...	41,972	978	254	914	1,527	768	103	213
24 Regular workers (employed 150								
25 or more days).....farms reporting 1954...	4,602	259	45	71	87	72	30	37
26 1950...	16,594	468	80	536	1,015	279	37	62
27 Seasonal workers (employed less								
28 than 150 days).....farms reporting 1954...	15,722	902	104	163	87	795	92	82
29 1950...	91,203	3,988	138	552	415	4,271	182	910
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES								
30 Specified farm expenditures ²farms reporting 1954...	108,330	3,314	1,050	976	253	4,392	1,223	1,520
31 1949...	102,341	2,992	1,036	1,298	357	4,124	1,441	2,017
32 Machine hire and/or hired								
33 labor.....farms reporting 1954...	61,694	1,982	360	391	163	2,663	421	663
34 1949...	56,861	1,619	381	517	252	2,259	477	1,060
35 Machine hire.....farms reporting 1954...	40,968	923	200	217	52	1,743	325	471
36 1949...	34,476	658	187	259	125	1,268	301	723
37 dollars 1954...	10,799,793	625,405	47,445	49,745	89,578	245,706	38,688	45,175
38 1949...	6,230,552	253,675	95,173	14,127	157,328	101,048	43,620	58,707
39 Hired labor.....farms reporting 1954...	44,059	1,787	233	321	148	1,853	209	346
40 1949...	43,362	1,538	316	362	247	1,714	280	738
41 dollars 1954...	39,378,095	1,254,859	230,184	835,459	1,716,846	808,684	83,690	177,405
42 1949...	38,912,330	926,211	201,477	815,052	1,619,277	806,780	51,608	169,260
43 \$1 to \$99.....farms reporting 1954...	15,234	421	36	91	64	641	116	170
44 \$100 to \$199.....farms reporting 1954...	8,239	362	31	80	10	310	26	70
45 \$200 to \$499.....farms reporting 1954...	9,758	401	55	36	5	523	22	37
46 \$500 to \$999.....farms reporting 1954...	3,943	233	34	39	20	197	20	6
47 \$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting 1954...	3,921	249	54	25	20	131	17	43
48 \$2,500 and over.....farms reporting 1954...	2,964	121	23	50	77	51	8	20
49 Feed for livestock and poultry..farms reporting 1954...	82,035	2,810	880	655	140	3,413	1,042	1,179
50 1949...	80,582	2,741	995	1,090	229	3,357	1,333	1,794
51 dollars 1954...	31,764,219	763,397	236,905	133,092	72,975	526,448	417,455	440,470
52 1949...	21,948,657	615,718	222,591	206,705	39,059	364,760	354,200	313,596
53 Gasoline and other petroleum fuel								
54 and oil.....farms reporting 1954...	49,610	1,897	586	601	183	2,130	757	563
55 1949...	32,236	1,284	226	232	228	1,367	327	402
56 dollars 1954...	17,756,398	1,021,405	266,615	237,727	366,027	403,196	128,942	77,569
57 1949...	12,821,644	763,208	152,979	180,282	336,744	193,521	52,632	51,601
58 Commercial fertilizer.....farms reporting 1954...	73,900	2,258	642	552	172	3,315	759	1,097
59 dollars 1954...	18,995,538	899,811	311,576	184,735	255,604	474,666	136,625	230,647
60 tons 1954...	293,417	12,807	4,320	2,131	3,173	8,138	2,482	3,928
61 acres on which used 1954...	2,479,874	136,023	41,133	24,506	34,626	55,024	20,656	28,009
62 Lime and liming materials.....farms reporting 1954...	2,448	16	4	10	...	22	58	56
63 tons 1954...	87,897	75	507	225	...	760	2,840	1,255
64 dollars 1954...	488,715	365	1,083	910	...	3,640	19,699	6,720
65 acres limed 1954...	92,030	80	380	145	...	458	2,197	1,180
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER								
Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used, 1954:								
66 Hay and cropland pasture.....farms reporting...	6,781	130	154	84	21	118	416	186
67 tons...	31,320	474	358	160	72	288	1,125	859
68 acres on which used...	229,546	3,802	2,872	2,011	964	3,175	7,661	6,009
69 Other pasture.....farms reporting...	2,794	34	22	22	...	22	79	92
70 tons...	13,812	42	45	38	...	130	328	410
71 acres on which used...	118,678	353	465	430	...	1,172	3,169	4,080
72 Corn.....farms reporting...	39,229	687	322	473	159	2,181	485	843
73 tons...	50,077	530	259	552	392	1,748	416	1,029
74 acres on which used...	430,098	4,217	1,473	5,152	4,270	21,107	2,345	8,094
75 Cotton.....farms reporting...	46,150	1,310	177	81	...	3,002	65	572
76 tons...	87,744	1,802	176	38	...	3,101	48	1,318
77 acres on which used...	650,082	12,979	747	198	...	25,332	220	8,094
78 Fruits, vegetables, and potatoes....farms reporting...	19,566	898	187	136	10	345	260	258
79 tons...	25,715	918	67	150	3	2,660	104	275
80 acres on which used...	120,505	6,887	299	625	25	2,710	575	1,269
81 Other crops.....farms reporting...	11,028	918	248	100	141	33	63	57
82 tons...	83,624	9,025	3,374	1,198	2,710	163	460	26
83 acres on which used...	930,166	108,358	33,962	16,050	29,236	1,752	6,901	293

¹For 1950, "Week preceding enumeration."

²Excludes farms reporting commercial fertilizer and lime.

