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	Area 1	Area 2	Area 3	Areas 4 and A
	FARM LABOR					
	Week of September 26-October 2:					
1	**Family and/or hired workers**.....farms reporting...	21,086	3,745	6,368	4,893	6,080
2	persons...	75,821	41,767	13,086	8,149	12,819
3	Average per farm reporting.....persons...	3.6	11.2	2.1	1.7	2.1
4	Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting...	20,784	3,660	6,317	4,805	6,002
5	persons...	30,002	6,309	8,597	6,344	8,752
6	Operators working 1 or more hours.....farms reporting...	20,294	3,605	6,188	4,669	5,832
7	1 to 14 hours.....farms reporting...	6,398	696	2,226	1,738	1,738
8	15 or more hours.....farms reporting...	13,896	2,909	3,962	2,931	4,094
9	Operators not working or not reporting.....number of farms...	3,077	335	798	1,013	931
10	Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting...	6,749	1,331	1,832	1,386	2,200
11	persons...	9,708	2,704	2,409	1,675	2,920
12	No unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more or not reporting.....number of farms...	16,622	2,609	5,154	4,296	4,563
13	Hired workers.....farms reporting...	5,844	2,749	1,114	719	1,262
14	persons...	45,819	35,458	4,489	1,805	4,067
15	1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	1,750	181	523	365	681
16	2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	681	125	170	151	235
17	3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	655	210	127	117	201
18	5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	995	681	170	69	75
19	10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	1,763	1,552	124	17	70
20	Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting...	2,731	1,040	566	395	730
21	persons...	4,977	1,910	1,081	688	1,298
22	1 worker.....farms reporting...	1,761	623	344	282	512
23	2 workers.....farms reporting...	522	263	106	59	94
24	3 or 4 workers.....farms reporting...	265	90	68	32	75
25	5 to 9 workers.....farms reporting...	151	52	42	19	38
26	10 or more workers.....farms reporting...	32	12	6	3	11
27	Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting...	4,574	2,594	745	465	770
28	persons...	40,842	33,548	3,408	1,117	2,769
29	1 worker.....farms reporting...	1,140	100	337	263	440
30	2 workers.....farms reporting...	405	106	103	75	121
31	3 or 4 workers.....farms reporting...	441	185	72	74	110
32	5 to 9 workers.....farms reporting...	921	712	125	43	41
33	10 or more workers.....farms reporting...	1,667	1,491	108	10	58
	Farms by kind of workers:					
34	Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting...	5,542	2,664	1,063	631	1,184
35	Family workers only.....farms reporting...	15,242	996	5,254	4,174	4,818
36	Operator only.....farms reporting...	10,646	720	3,839	2,987	3,100
37	Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting...	418	15	117	131	155
38	Hired workers only.....farms reporting...	302	85	51	88	78
39	Operator and hired workers only...farms reporting...	3,389	1,609	646	432	702
	Hired workers by basis of payment:					
40	Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting...	434	67	96	88	183
41	persons...	597	81	115	114	287
42	Average hours worked per month.....hours...	216	228	241	186	214
43	Average wage per month.....dollars...	137	151	115	139	142
44	Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting...	2,219	935	481	252	551
45	persons...	4,515	2,265	929	443	878
46	Average hours worked per week.....hours...	54	57	53	48	51
47	Average wage per week.....dollars...	53	65	41	42	42
48	Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting...	1,907	1,281	198	207	221
49	persons...	5,110	3,845	413	405	447
50	Average hours worked per day.....hours...	9.5	9.9	8.6	7.9	8.1
51	Average wage per day.....dollars...	11.13	12.47	8.11	6.87	6.28
52	Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting...	1,156	31	401	205	519
53	persons...	3,995	152	1,297	468	2,078
54	Average wage per hour.....dollars...	0.90	1.09	0.87	0.96	0.88
55	Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting...	2,785	2,388	224	86	87
56	persons...	31,602	29,115	1,735	375	377
	EXPENDITURES FOR HIRED LABOR					
57	**Expenditures for hired labor in 1954**....farms reporting...	10,308	3,260	2,652	2,062	2,334
58	dollars...	18,774,335	9,697,870	3,137,899	2,213,711	3,724,855
59	$1 to $99.....farms reporting...	2,010	95	737	613	565
60	$100 to $199.....farms reporting...	1,076	120	372	313	271
61	$200 to $499.....farms reporting...	1,523	271	489	355	408
62	$500 to $999.....farms reporting...	1,652	681	307	333	331
63	$1,000 to $2,499.....farms reporting...	1,931	936	431	232	332
64	$2,500 to $4,999.....farms reporting...	1,119	593	166	121	239
65	$5,000 and over.....farms reporting...	997	564	150	95	188
66	**Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported**.....farms reporting...	4,464	511	1,538	1,343	1,072
67	$1 to $99.....farms reporting...	1,720	60	672	543	445
68	$100 to $199.....farms reporting...	778	40	296	242	200
69	$200 to $499.....farms reporting...	899	100	319	257	223
70	$500 to $999.....farms reporting...	636	136	152	202	146
71	$1,000 to $2,499.....farms reporting...	295	95	73	76	51
72	$2,500 to $4,999.....farms reporting...	98	70	11	16	1
73	$5,000 and over.....farms reporting...	38	10	15	7	6