

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>	19,626	585	11,093	87	32	81
persons..	119,872	6,236	87,414	404	87	797
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	5,401	110	1,937	16	11	16
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,617	110	1,835	17	10	25
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	4,110	119	2,370	16	...	11
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,457	96	2,477	25	11	19
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	3,041	150	2,474	13	...	10
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	5,046	357	1,898	6	12	59
persons..	17,740	1,623	9,456	18	18	165
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	2,290	96	628	2	6	32
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,034	85	372	1	6	17
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	798	71	354	2	...	2
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	546	69	281	1	...	4
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	378	36	263	...	...	4
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	16,580	382	10,197	84	21	47
persons..	102,132	4,613	77,958	386	69	632
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	4,296	98	1,709	16	5	6
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,018	62	1,655	15	5	6
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,496	57	2,223	16	1	10
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,124	63	2,372	25	10	16
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	2,646	102	2,238	12	...	9
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,046	203	896	3	11	34
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,000	154	1,002	3	1	25
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting..	14,580	228	9,195	81	20	22
<b>Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	2,529	151	685	3	1	42
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	38	...	11	...	...	...
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	80	...	12	...	...	...
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	73	5	18	...	...	...
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	720	12	207	2	1	15
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	526	27	103	1	...	...
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting..	263	14	67	...	...	6
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting..	437	42	115	...	...	11
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting..	214	12	75	...	...	9
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting..	99	23	42	...	...	...
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting..	48	6	23	...	...	...
\$325 and over per month.....farms reporting..	31	10	12	...	...	1
<b>Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	1,586	78	494	1	5	17
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	9	...	...	...	...	...
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	88	6	22	...	...	...
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	455	4	156	...	...	...
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	305	9	81	...	5	5
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	232	21	74	1	...	1
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	340	32	119	...	...	4
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	77	1	28	...	...	2
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	57	2	9	...	...	...
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	13	2	1	...	...	5
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	7	1	4	...	...	...
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	3	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting..</b>	9,315	368	4,710	65	25	17
\$1.00 per day.....farms reporting..	36	...	20	...	...	...
\$2.00 per day.....farms reporting..	762	11	359	5	5	5
\$3.00 per day.....farms reporting..	3,285	51	1,726	26	5	...
\$4.00 per day.....farms reporting..	3,235	181	1,565	24	10	5
\$5.00 per day.....farms reporting..	1,592	116	869	...	...	7
\$6.00 per day.....farms reporting..	222	6	87	...	5	...
\$7.00 per day.....farms reporting..	53	2	27	...	...	...
\$8.00 per day.....farms reporting..	48	1	32	...	...	...
\$9.00 per day.....farms reporting..	27	...	15	...	...	...
\$10.00 and over per day.....farms reporting..	55	...	10	...	...	...
<b>Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	1,270	62	479	5	1	21
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	2	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	77	1	26	...	...	...
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	247	17	144	...	...	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	415	33	191	5	1	7
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	72	1	26	...	...	3
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	18	...	3	...	...	1
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting..	266	...	57	...	...	5
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting..	19	5	...	...	...	...
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting..	51	...	11	...	...	...
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting..	11	...	1	...	...	...
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	10	...	10	...	...	...
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting..	82	5	10	...	...	...
<b>Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting..</b>	7,357	130	5,981	16	...	24
<b>Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting..</b>	86,754	1,102	57,054	232	217	155
dollars..	45,918,072	3,191,140	29,539,726	55,580	68,405	633,071
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	40,851	191	25,126	125	85	40
\$100 to \$499.....farms reporting..	17,361	113	12,766	40	30	20
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	15,914	135	11,727	43	51	22
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	5,398	111	3,525	7	36	...
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	3,916	210	2,050	13	10	41
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	1,550	155	729	3	5	7
persons..	1,764	187	1,131	1	...	25
<b>Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....farms reporting..</b>	67,128	517	45,961	145	185	74
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	36,714	165	22,898	90	85	30
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	14,396	92	10,914	15	30	20
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	11,483	72	8,925	27	35	16
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	2,825	51	2,103	2	30	...
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	1,243	73	811	11	...	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	336	54	207	...	5	3
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	131	10	103	...	...	...

BY TYPE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1954

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Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Type of farm—Continued						
	Dairy	Poultry	Livestock other than dairy and poultry	General			Miscellaneous and unclassified
				Primarily crop	Primarily livestock	Crop and livestock	
<b>Hired workers.....farms reporting..</b>	1,686	342	1,985	333	34	533	2,835
persons..	4,959	927	6,622	2,527	107	2,865	6,927
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	699	153	776	41	21	105	1,516
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	356	58	436	74	4	129	528
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	384	25	418	70	6	181	477
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	188	13	217	87	2	48	262
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	59	7	138	61	1	70	52
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	916	144	909	107	21	170	447
persons..	1,826	292	2,071	513	40	487	1,231
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	507	95	485	27	13	88	311
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	215	23	200	32	5	23	55
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	135	14	141	19	...	27	33
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	46	11	63	11	3	22	35
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	13	1	20	18	...	10	13
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	1,019	233	1,364	284	20	467	2,462
persons..	3,133	635	4,551	2,014	67	2,378	5,696
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	428	95	590	37	13	90	1,249
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	193	77	288	67	3	127	520
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	232	42	280	54	3	149	429
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	124	7	157	78	...	48	224
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	42	12	89	48	1	53	40
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	667	109	621	49	14	66	373
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	249	35	288	58	7	104	74
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting..	770	198	1,076	226	13	363	2,388
<b>Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	654	63	493	49	16	121	251
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	7	...	10	...	...	5	5
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	41	...	6	1	1	5	15
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	29	...	6	1	1	1	12
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	195	17	134	15	6	34	82
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	189	20	113	9	7	12	47
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting..	76	17	61	2	1	5	14
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting..	90	2	79	10	...	39	49
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting..	20	5	48	8	...	18	19
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting..	4	2	23	2	1	...	2
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting..	2	...	8	1	...	1	7
\$325 and over per month.....farms reporting..	1	...	5	...	...	1	1
<b>Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	321	72	314	18	4	31	231
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	2	...	7	...	...	...	15
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	34	...	11	...	...	15	48
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	116	25	85	5	1	3	47
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	69	9	72	8	3	1	52
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	32	5	37	8	...	8	51
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	39	21	65	1	...	1	11
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	19	6	7	2	...	2	6
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	7	6	25	...	...	1	1
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	2	...	1	...	...	...	...
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	1	...	2	...	...	...	...
<b>Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting..</b>	657	164	1,145	231	15	381	1,537
\$1.00 per day.....farms reporting..	15	...	...	...	...	...	1
\$2.00 per day.....farms reporting..	67	32	98	27	1	31	121
\$3.00 per day.....farms reporting..	182	60	429	66	13	174	553
\$4.00 per day.....farms reporting..	269	50	385	77	...	142	527
\$5.00 per day.....farms reporting..	88	22	161	44	1	21	263
\$6.00 per day.....farms reporting..	16	...	52	7	...	3	45
\$7.00 per day.....farms reporting..	12	...	2	10	...	...	...
\$8.00 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	4	...	...	5	6
\$9.00 per day.....farms reporting..	6	...	6	...	...	...	...
\$10.00 and over per day.....farms reporting..	2	...	8	...	...	5	20
<b>Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	131	32	179	23	2	27	308
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	20	1	16	1	1	...	11
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	13	1	40	...	1	7	24
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	46	10	32	4	...	10	76
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	1	...	14	7	...	20	20
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	5	...	...	...	2	7
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting..	33	15	55	5	...	7	89
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	2	1	...	...	6
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting..	12	...	2	5	...	1	20
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting..	5	...	17	...	...	...	45
<b>Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting..</b>	182	49	187	65	2	98	623
<b>Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting..</b>	3,857	837	4,681	858	97	1,477	16,187
dollars..	2,817,764	623,525	4,119,498	973,967	52,856	1,123,474	2,719,066
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	1,154	321	1,230	309	56	567	11,647
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	652	150	749	148	10	275	2,408
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	764	129	1,068	182	6	308	1,479
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	519	104	578	67	9	120	322
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	489	98	616	71	10	75	233
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	181	13	293	31	3	79	51
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	98	22	147	50	3	53	47
<b>Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....farms reporting..</b>	2,171	495	2,696	525	63	944	13,352
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	990	235	1,053	252	51	476	10,389
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	479	110	551	106	10	224	1,845
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	478	90	628	130	...	174	908
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	117	45	268	15	1	51	142
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	101	15	138	14	1	12	62
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	4	...	54	3	...	5	1
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	2	...	4	5	...	2	5