

## STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 9.—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	Tenure of operator <sup>1</sup>				
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	Tenants	
					All	Cash
<b>Hired workers.....</b>	8,668	4,353	2,848	165	705	181
farms reporting..	37,747	19,516	11,780	2,457	2,358	770
persons..	1,908	1,317	45	45	359	60
1 hired worker.....	1,726	923	527	23	157	53
2 hired workers.....	1,235	587	429	38	80	32
3 or 4 hired workers.....	917	477	287	15	64	26
5 to 9 hired workers.....	863	458	288	44	45	10
10 hired workers or more.....	4,468	2,107	1,745	158	345	91
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....	8,646	3,495	3,627	828	470	130
persons..	2,872	1,417	1,074	51	250	57
1 hired worker.....	872	453	301	35	77	33
2 hired workers.....	490	174	241	37	17	1
3 or 4 hired workers.....	170	47	100	18	1	...
5 to 9 hired workers.....	64	16	29	17	...	...
10 hired workers or more.....	5,574	2,918	1,670	66	435	116
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....	29,101	16,021	8,153	1,629	1,888	640
persons..	2,355	1,188	743	9	197	44
1 hired worker.....	964	481	291	8	94	15
2 hired workers.....	774	417	224	14	38	21
3 or 4 hired workers.....	712	405	164	1	71	26
5 to 9 hired workers.....	769	427	248	34	35	10
10 hired workers or more.....	3,094	1,435	1,178	99	270	65
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....	1,374	672	567	59	75	26
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....	4,200	2,246	1,103	7	360	90
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....						
<b>Paid on a monthly basis.....</b>	3,332	1,558	1,277	141	280	72
farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Under \$25 per month.....	31	5	20	...	...	...
\$25 to \$34 per month.....	31	20	6	...	5	...
\$35 to \$49 per month.....	219	116	78	1	24	10
\$50 to \$84 per month.....	261	147	65	5	22	10
\$85 to \$109 per month.....	118	71	31	3	3	2
\$110 to \$129 per month.....	562	294	186	31	42	11
\$130 to \$169 per month.....	976	425	418	31	87	16
\$170 to \$214 per month.....	687	274	305	35	68	12
\$215 to \$274 per month.....	307	138	120	19	23	6
\$275 to \$324 per month.....	140	68	48	16	6	5
\$325 and over per month.....						
<b>Paid on a weekly basis.....</b>	214	140	47	...	2	...
farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Under \$5 per week.....	5	5	...	...	...	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$8 to \$11 per week.....	20	20	...	...	...	...
\$12 to \$19 per week.....	15	10	...	...	...	...
\$20 to \$24 per week.....	6	5	1	...	...	...
\$25 to \$29 per week.....	32	16	6	...	...	...
\$30 to \$39 per week.....	23	18	5	...	...	...
\$40 to \$49 per week.....	48	25	18	...	...	...
\$50 to \$59 per week.....	22	5	17	...	...	...
\$60 to \$69 per week.....	28	21	...	...	2	...
\$70 to \$79 per week.....	15	15	...	...	...	...
\$80 and over per week.....						
<b>Paid on a daily basis.....</b>	1,038	416	443	15	118	13
farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$1 per day.....	11	5	...	...	5	...
\$2 per day.....	10	5	5	...	...	...
\$3 per day.....	14	2	7	...	...	...
\$4 per day.....	32	16	11	...	...	...
\$5 per day.....	73	32	29	1	1	1
\$6 per day.....	91	36	49	3	3	...
\$7 per day.....	96	27	40	2	22	12
\$8 per day.....	285	126	115	7	27	...
\$9 per day.....	52	18	28	...	1	...
\$10 and over per day.....	374	149	159	2	59	...
<b>Paid on an hourly basis.....</b>	4,052	2,081	1,342	71	319	100
farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Under \$0.25 per hour.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....	5	5	...	...	...	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....	10	...	10	...	...	...
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....	174	86	57	1	...	...
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....	436	225	155	1	30	10
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....	2,219	1,202	661	42	218	75
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....	778	329	342	18	49	5
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....	53	25	23	5	...	...
\$1.45 and over per hour.....	377	209	94	4	22	10
<b>Paid on a piece-work basis.....</b>	1,575	951	289	29	71	15
farms reporting..						
<b>Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....</b>	24,495	12,705	5,780	253	1,963	450
dollars..	47,523,647	19,464,651	19,674,739	3,667,214	3,572,080	907,533
\$1 to \$99.....	4,918	2,236	584	6	209	34
\$100 to \$199.....	3,188	1,695	537	13	193	47
\$200 to \$499.....	4,717	2,600	872	16	404	99
\$500 to \$999.....	3,219	1,981	745	21	301	68
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	3,672	2,030	1,097	21	407	82
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	2,302	1,141	835	50	246	71
\$5,000 and over.....	2,479	1,022	1,110	126	203	49
<b>Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....</b>	15,827	8,352	2,932	88	1,258	269
farms reporting..	4,483	2,062	505	6	202	34
\$1 to \$99.....	2,697	1,442	422	13	166	42
\$100 to \$199.....	3,596	2,010	630	16	318	89
\$200 to \$499.....	2,125	1,320	455	16	189	39
\$500 to \$999.....	1,824	977	531	6	248	43
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	715	369	242	19	80	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	387	172	147	12	55	10
\$5,000 and over.....						

<sup>1</sup>Data are given by tenure of operator for commercial farms only.

BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954

Sept. 26-Oct. 2. Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Tenure of operator <sup>1</sup> —Continued				Other farms
	Tenants—Continued				
	Share-cash	Crop-share tenants and croppers	Livestock-share	Other and unspecified	
<b>Hired workers.....farms reporting..</b>	138	234	103	49	597
.....persons..	266	1,008	147	167	1,636
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	82	119	72	26	298
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	25	42	21	16	96
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	26	11	10	1	101
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	5	32	...	1	74
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	...	30	...	5	28
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	62	104	59	29	113
.....persons..	97	122	81	40	226
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	38	92	46	21	80
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	18	10	6	6	6
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	6	1	7	2	21
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	...	1	...	...	4
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	2
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	91	150	52	26	485
.....persons..	169	886	66	127	1,410
1 hired worker.....farms reporting..	50	47	41	15	218
2 hired workers.....farms reporting..	29	35	9	6	90
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting..	7	8	2	...	81
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting..	5	40	...	...	71
10 hired workers or more.....farms reporting..	...	20	...	5	25
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	47	84	51	23	112
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	15	20	8	6	1
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting..	76	130	44	20	484
<b>Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	44	66	64	34	76
Under \$25 per month.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	6
\$25 to \$34 per month.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$35 to \$49 per month.....farms reporting..	...	2	5	...	...
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting..	...	6	6	...	...
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting..	...	1	6	5	22
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting..	...	1	...	...	10
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting..	6	7	12	6	9
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting..	12	30	24	5	15
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting..	14	22	8	12	5
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting..	11	3	3	...	7
\$325 and over per month.....farms reporting..	...	1	...	...	2
<b>Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	1	1	...	...	25
Under \$5 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$5 to \$7 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$8 to \$11 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$12 to \$19 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	5
\$20 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	10
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	5
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	5
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting..	1	1	...	...	5
\$80 and over per week.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting..</b>	17	62	21	5	46
\$1 per day.....farms reporting..	...	5	...	...	1
\$2 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$3 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	5
\$4 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	5
\$5 per day.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	10
\$6 per day.....farms reporting..	1	1	...	...	...
\$7 per day.....farms reporting..	3	6	...	...	5
\$8 per day.....farms reporting..	4	15	8	...	10
\$9 per day.....farms reporting..	...	1	...	...	5
\$10 and over per day.....farms reporting..	9	34	11	5	5
<b>Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting..</b>	94	85	30	10	239
Under \$0.25 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.25 to \$0.34 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.35 to \$0.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	30
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting..	10	5	5	...	25
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting..	68	53	12	10	96
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting..	11	21	12	...	40
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting..	5	6	1	...	48
<b>Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting..</b>	...	50	...	6	235
<b>Expenditures for hired labor in 1954.....farms reporting..</b>	304	762	251	196	3,794
.....dollars..	664,557	1,477,032	297,378	225,580	1,144,963
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	46	67	36	26	1,883
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	38	53	34	21	750
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	66	130	58	51	825
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	21	128	37	47	171
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	58	202	38	27	117
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	37	100	32	6	30
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	38	82	16	18	18
<b>Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported.....farms reporting..</b>	166	528	148	147	3,197
\$1 to \$99.....farms reporting..	45	67	30	26	1,708
\$100 to \$199.....farms reporting..	33	47	28	16	654
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting..	34	104	45	46	622
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting..	9	87	18	36	145
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting..	27	144	22	12	62
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting..	11	48	3	6	5
\$5,000 and over.....farms reporting..	7	31	2	5	1