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 2a	Area 2b
	FARM LABOR				
	Week of September 26-October 2:				
1	**Family and/or hired workers**.....farms reporting...	10,706	2,172	3,962	4,572
2	persons...	25,276	6,143	9,338	9,795
3	Average per farm reporting.....persons...	2.4	2.8	2.4	2.1
4	Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting...	10,469	2,115	3,869	4,485
5	persons...	17,219	3,651	6,301	7,267
6	Operators working 1 or more hours.....farms reporting...	10,255	2,020	3,808	4,427
7	1 to 14 hours.....farms reporting...	2,127	374	770	983
8	15 or more hours.....farms reporting...	8,128	1,646	3,038	3,444
9	Operators not working or not reporting.....number of farms...	1,100	251	422	427
10	Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting...	4,488	1,026	1,573	1,889
11	persons...	6,964	1,631	2,493	2,840
12	No unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more or not reporting.....number of farms...	6,867	1,245	2,657	2,965
13	Hired workers.....farms reporting...	2,688	729	960	999
14	persons...	8,057	2,492	3,037	2,528
15	1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	1,379	335	477	567
16	2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	580	148	215	217
17	3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	376	122	136	118
18	5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	217	67	86	64
19	10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	136	57	46	33
20	Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting...	1,981	551	677	753
21	persons...	4,701	1,782	1,467	1,452
22	1 worker.....farms reporting...	1,180	264	430	486
23	2 workers.....farms reporting...	394	112	130	152
24	3 or 4 workers.....farms reporting...	215	77	62	76
25	5 to 9 workers.....farms reporting...	115	50	37	28
26	10 or more workers.....farms reporting...	77	48	18	11
27	Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting...	1,165	304	483	378
28	persons...	3,356	710	1,570	1,076
29	1 worker.....farms reporting...	665	172	271	222
30	2 workers.....farms reporting...	218	63	82	73
31	3 or 4 workers.....farms reporting...	153	47	74	32
32	5 to 9 workers.....farms reporting...	78	16	34	28
33	10 or more workers.....farms reporting...	51	6	22	23
	Farms by kind of workers:				
34	Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting...	2,451	672	867	912
35	Family workers only.....farms reporting...	8,018	1,443	3,002	3,573
36	Operator only.....farms reporting...	4,502	684	1,755	2,063
37	Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting...	169	65	54	50
38	Hired workers only.....farms reporting...	237	57	93	87
39	Operator and hired workers only...farms reporting...	1,479	405	541	533
	Hired workers by basis of payment:				
40	Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting...	2,131	640	707	784
41	persons...	5,301	2,100	1,612	1,589
42	Average hours worked per month.....hours...	249	261	239	243
43	Average wage per month.....dollars...	179	181	183	171
44	Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting...	69	15	30	24
45	persons...	95	25	36	34
46	Average hours worked per week.....hours...	54	54	53	55
47	Average wage per week.....dollars...	44	44	43	45
48	Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting...	400	107	160	133
49	persons...	766	247	326	193
50	Average hours worked per day.....hours...	8.8	8.5	9.2	8.8
51	Average wage per day.....dollars...	6.84	6.66	6.88	7.01
52	Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting...	302	15	162	125
53	persons...	1,063	41	729	293
54	Average wage per hour.....dollars...	1.01	1.06	1.01	0.98
55	Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting...	152	19	66	67
56	persons...	832	79	334	419
	EXPENDITURES FOR HIRED LABOR				
57	**Expenditures for hired labor in 1954**....farms reporting...	6,208	1,407	2,188	2,613
58	dollars...	14,844,765	5,716,205	4,748,256	4,380,304
59	$1 to $99.....farms reporting...	821	132	354	335
60	$100 to $199.....farms reporting...	716	178	258	280
61	$200 to $499.....farms reporting...	1,202	248	413	541
62	$500 to $999.....farms reporting...	983	171	336	476
63	$1,000 to $2,499.....farms reporting...	1,109	234	354	521
64	$2,500 to $4,999.....farms reporting...	712	178	254	280
65	$5,000 and over.....farms reporting...	665	266	219	180
66	**Farms with expenditures for hired labor but no hired workers reported**.....farms reporting...	3,520	678	1,228	1,614
67	$1 to $99.....farms reporting...	770	114	332	324
68	$100 to $199.....farms reporting...	640	159	225	256
69	$200 to $499.....farms reporting...	966	199	305	462
70	$500 to $999.....farms reporting...	653	120	195	338
71	$1,000 to $2,499.....farms reporting...	422	67	138	217
72	$2,500 to $4,999.....farms reporting...	63	14	33	16
73	$5,000 and over.....farms reporting...	6	5	...	1