

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 16.—HIRED FARM LABOR AND WAGE RATES, CENSUSES OF 1959 AND 1954; AND BY SIZE OF FARM, CENSUS OF 1959

[Figures on number of workers and wage rates are for hired persons working the week preceding the enumeration. Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms		Size of farm				
	1959	1954	Under 10 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Hired workers.....farms reporting...	6,570	8,683	211	537	301	526	760
.....persons.....	13,821	22,222	395	1,069	566	798	1,093
1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	3,788	4,492	137	317	196	390	542
2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	1,583	2,238	44	117	72	70	150
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	775	1,202	17	59	17	41	63
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	304	502	10	38	5	25	...
10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	120	249	3	6	11	...	5
Regular workers (to be employed 150 or more days).....farms reporting...	4,925	5,534	121	322	166	296	509
.....persons.....	9,403	11,909	211	541	235	417	619
1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	3,182	3,466	88	245	133	220	427
2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	1,013	1,173	19	47	21	46	60
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	490	563	6	17	6	25	22
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	162	241	5	7	5	5	...
10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	78	91	3	6	1	...	...
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting...	2,513	4,466	119	301	188	256	316
.....persons.....	4,418	10,313	184	528	331	381	474
1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	1,722	2,635	82	177	146	196	225
2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	505	980	31	77	21	35	60
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	196	508	5	37	11	10	26
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	50	192	...	10	5	15	...
10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	40	151	1	...	5	...	5
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting...	4,057	4,217	92	236	113	270	444
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting...	868	1,317	29	86	53	26	65
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting...	1,645	3,149	90	215	135	230	251
Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting...	2,069	2,804	18	69	64	101	245
.....persons.....	3,631	5,134	38	123	71	152	275
Average hours worked per person per month.....hours.....	217	233	253	210	168	188	199
Average wage rate per person per month.....dollars.....	179	151	251	210	152	144	137
Under \$50 per month.....farms reporting...	95	96	...	10	10	20	15
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting...	205	456	...	5	5	...	45
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting...	271	550	5	5	5	25	45
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting...	170	384	...	5	5	5	30
\$130 to \$169 per month.....farms reporting...	432	680	5	10	20	15	20
\$170 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting...	539	465	1	20	11	30	45
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting...	205	91	1	12	3	5	30
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting...	80	40	6	6	...	1	5
\$325 to \$374 per month.....farms reporting...	44	42	...	...	...	...	10
\$375 and over per month.....farms reporting...	28	...	...	1	5	...	...
Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting...	2,502	2,689	93	183	87	140	234
.....persons.....	4,277	5,584	150	320	136	185	284
Average hours worked per person per week.....hours.....	47	51	44	42	41	42	42
Average wage rate per person per week.....dollars.....	43	36	50	50	40	37	37
Under \$12 per week.....farms reporting...	65	155	5	10	...	20	...
\$12 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting...	262	498	10	5	10	20	35
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting...	252	393	5	15	15	10	50
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting...	685	1,011	10	45	20	45	70
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting...	612	358	17	37	30	15	47
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting...	344	187	25	25	11	15	27
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting...	157	51	5	23	...	15	5
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting...	83	20	5	22	...	...	...
\$80 to \$89 per week.....farms reporting...	21	...	5	...	...	...	...
\$90 and over per week.....farms reporting...	21	16	6	1	1	...	...
Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting...	1,089	1,815	20	126	60	135	155
.....persons.....	1,695	3,292	20	185	80	165	225
Average hours worked per person per day.....hours.....	8.3	8.5	8.0	7.7	8.1	8.0	8.2
Average wage rate per person per day.....dollars.....	6.14	5.89	7.25	6.45	5.12	5.33	6.11
Under \$4 per day.....farms reporting...	75	133	...	5	10	15	15
\$4 per day.....farms reporting...	97	183	...	5	10	30	5
\$5 per day.....farms reporting...	341	648	5	30	35	45	45
\$6 per day.....farms reporting...	230	360	5	21	5	25	40
\$7 per day.....farms reporting...	105	207	...	25	...	10	15
\$8 per day.....farms reporting...	145	166	5	20	...	10	30
\$9 per day.....farms reporting...	37	11	...	5	...	...	...
\$10 per day.....farms reporting...	47	...	5	5	5	...	5
\$11 per day.....farms reporting...	5	107	...	...	...	...	...
\$12 and over per day.....farms reporting...	7	...	...	...	...	5	...
Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting...	1,691	2,412	94	169	108	156	186
.....persons.....	3,427	5,789	182	341	159	256	274
Average wage rate per person per hour.....dollars.....	0.99	0.81	1.16	1.00	1.07	1.07	0.94
Under \$0.45 per hour.....farms reporting...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting...	36	189	...	...	...	...	5
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting...	56	168	...	...	...	10	...
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting...	52	182	...	5	5	...	...
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting...	391	920	25	30	10	25	55
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting...	84	69	5	15	...	5	5
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting...	829	748	38	83	66	96	106
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting...	155	76	10	25	11	10	10
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting...	13	...	5	1	1	...	...
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting...	75	55	11	10	15	10	...
Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting...	252	620	5	45	35	20	15
.....persons.....	791	2,463	5	100	120	40	35
Persons working Friday week preceding enumeration.....farms reporting...	136	NA	5	15	15	10	10
.....persons.....	384	NA	5	15	30	10	25
Average earnings per person.....dollars.....	6.90	NA	3.00	4.33	5.33	7.50	9.80

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[Figures on number of workers and wage rates are for hired persons working the week preceding the enumeration. Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Size of farm—Continued						
	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 or more acres
Hired workers.....farms reporting...	863	746	471	1,495	517	115	28
.....persons...	1,284	1,099	926	3,185	2,193	618	595
1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	600	515	311	643	120	14	3
2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	176	175	105	499	156	18	1
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	62	51	45	288	96	34	2
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	25	...	...	52	107	36	6
10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	...	5	10	13	38	13	16
Regular workers (to be employed 150 or more days).....farms reporting...	652	576	371	1,310	467	107	28
.....persons...	800	809	541	2,414	1,716	515	585
1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	524	420	261	713	130	18	3
2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	111	130	80	350	132	16	1
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	16	21	25	212	103	35	2
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	1	...	5	27	74	27	6
10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	...	5	...	8	28	11	16
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting...	286	220	155	458	175	34	5
.....persons...	484	290	385	771	477	103	10
1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	165	170	115	311	121	10	4
2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	70	35	25	111	30	10	...
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	46	15	5	25	7	9	...
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	5	...	...	5	5	4	1
10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	...	...	10	6	12	1	...
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting...	577	526	316	1,037	342	81	23
Both regular and seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting...	75	50	55	273	125	26	5
Seasonal hired workers and no regular hired workers.....farms reporting...	211	170	100	185	50	8	...
Paid on a monthly basis.....farms reporting...	321	300	180	555	165	35	16
.....persons...	393	380	245	1,006	637	160	151
Average hours worked per person per month.....hours	211	224	225	215	232	229	236
Average wage rate per person per month.....dollars	156	150	146	174	234	228	199
Under \$50 per month.....farms reporting...	20	...	15	5	...	...	...
\$50 to \$84 per month.....farms reporting...	40	35	15	60	5	...	...
\$85 to \$109 per month.....farms reporting...	50	40	25	65	5	1	...
\$110 to \$129 per month.....farms reporting...	10	35	25	50	5	...	...
\$130 to \$160 per month.....farms reporting...	60	105	45	115	30	3	4
\$160 to \$214 per month.....farms reporting...	106	65	40	158	49	11	3
\$215 to \$274 per month.....farms reporting...	15	15	15	55	35	11	8
\$275 to \$324 per month.....farms reporting...	10	5	...	22	18	7	...
\$325 to \$374 per month.....farms reporting...	10	...	...	10	11	2	1
\$375 and over per month.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	15	7	...	...
Paid on a weekly basis.....farms reporting...	266	276	190	654	299	66	14
.....persons...	322	384	290	1,127	743	215	121
Average hours worked per person per week.....hours	43	49	48	48	48	48	50
Average wage rate per person per week.....dollars	36	45	43	42	46	49	51
Under \$12 per week.....farms reporting...	15	10	...	5	...	...	...
\$12 to \$24 per week.....farms reporting...	45	20	15	80	10	2	...
\$25 to \$29 per week.....farms reporting...	40	5	...	65	15	2	...
\$30 to \$39 per week.....farms reporting...	65	85	70	177	85	9	4
\$40 to \$49 per week.....farms reporting...	51	95	25	161	105	23	6
\$50 to \$59 per week.....farms reporting...	35	36	15	73	64	16	2
\$60 to \$69 per week.....farms reporting...	10	10	15	56	11	6	1
\$70 to \$79 per week.....farms reporting...	5	15	...	16	8	6	1
\$80 to \$89 per week.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	15	...	1	...
\$90 and over per week.....farms reporting...	...	...	5	6	1	1	...
Paid on a daily basis.....farms reporting...	136	100	40	208	88	19	2
.....persons...	199	115	70	290	284	60	2
Average hours worked per person per day.....hours	8.2	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.8	9.2	8.5
Average wage rate per person per day.....dollars	6.37	5.73	5.28	5.87	7.10	6.35	7.00
Under \$4 per day.....farms reporting...	10	15	10	20	...	...	...
\$4 per day.....farms reporting...	10	...	...	...	...	2	...
\$5 per day.....farms reporting...	60	45	10	50	15	1	...
\$6 per day.....farms reporting...	16	15	20	55	20	7	1
\$7 per day.....farms reporting...	25	10	...	10	6	4	...
\$8 per day.....farms reporting...	5	...	...	41	21	2	1
\$9 per day.....farms reporting...	5	5	...	6	15	1	...
\$10 per day.....farms reporting...	15	...	...	5	6	1	...
\$11 per day.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...
\$12 and over per day.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Paid on an hourly basis.....farms reporting...	180	150	91	353	154	39	11
.....persons...	240	215	171	632	455	181	321
Average wage rate per person per hour.....dollars	1.00	0.94	0.88	0.95	0.86	0.87	1.26
Under \$0.45 per hour.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
\$0.45 to \$0.54 per hour.....farms reporting...	5	5	10	10	...	1	...
\$0.55 to \$0.64 per hour.....farms reporting...	5	15	...	20	...	1	...
\$0.65 to \$0.74 per hour.....farms reporting...	5	...	...	30	6	1	...
\$0.75 to \$0.84 per hour.....farms reporting...	35	30	25	85	52	15	4
\$0.85 to \$0.99 per hour.....farms reporting...	5	...	1	25	17	5	1
\$1.00 to \$1.14 per hour.....farms reporting...	100	75	50	122	77	12	4
\$1.15 to \$1.29 per hour.....farms reporting...	20	15	5	46	1	2	...
\$1.30 to \$1.44 per hour.....farms reporting...	...	5	...	...	...	...	1
\$1.45 and over per hour.....farms reporting...	5	5	...	15	1	2	1
Paid on a piece-work basis.....farms reporting...	55	5	15	50	6	1	...
.....persons...	130	5	150	130	74	2	...
Persons working Friday week preceding enumeration.....farms reporting...	35	...	15	30	1	...	...
.....persons...	60	...	150	75	14	...	...
Average earnings per person.....dollars	5.16	...	7.43	8.33	3.00	...	...