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INFORMATION ON THE SIZE AND COMPOSITION OF THE HIRED FARM WORKING FORCE, AND ON THE EMPLOYMENT AND CASH EARNINGS FROM FARM AND NONFARM WAGE WORK FOR 1966 IS PRESENTED. THE DATA WERE OBTAINED FROM THE ANNUAL SURVEY CONDUCTED FOR THE ECONOMIC RESEARCH SERVICE BY THE BUREAU OF CENSUS. THE SAMPLE INCLUDED APPROXIMATELY 35,000 HOUSEHOLDS INTERVIEWED MONTHLY IN 357 AREAS IN 50 STATES AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. SOME FINDINGS WERE--(1) NEARLY 2.8 MILLION DIFFERENT PERSONS (EXCLUDING PERSONS NOT IN THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION AND FOREIGN NATIONALS NOT IN THE COUNTRY AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY) DID SOME WORK ON FARMS FOR CASH WAGES OR SALARY IN 1966, A 11.7 PERCENT DECLINE FROM THE ESTIMATED HIRED FARM WORKERS IN 1965, (2) ABOUT 74 PERCENT OF THE HIRED FARM WORKERS WERE WHITE MEN AND BOYS WHO HAD A MEAN AGE OF 24 YEARS, (3) 72 PERCENT OF THE ESTIMATED HIRED FARM WORKERS LIVED IN NONFARM RESIDENCES AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY, (4) WORKERS INCLUDED IN THE SURVEY DID ABOUT 235 MILLION MAN DAYS OR ONE-FOURTH OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF DAYS OF LABOR ON FARMS, (5) DOMESTIC MIGRATORY WORKERS AVERAGED 121 DAYS AT \$10.80 PER DAY WITH AN ANNUAL EARNING OF \$1,307, AND (7) WORKERS IN THE NORTHEAST RECEIVED THE HIGHEST DAILY WAGE, \$11.80, AND THOSE IN THE SOUTH RECEIVED THE LOWEST, \$6.65. SIXTEEN STATISTICAL TABLES OF HIRED FARM WORKER DATA, DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS OF TERMS, AND INFORMATION ON SOURCES AND RELIABILITY OF SURVEY ESTIMATES ARE INCLUDED. THIS DOCUMENT IS AVAILABLE AS A93.28--120 FOR 25 CENTS FROM SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS, U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20402. (WB)

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THE HIRED FARM WORKING FORCE OF 1966

-- A Statistical Report--

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INTRODUCTION

This report presents information on the size and composition of the 1966 hired farm working force (HFWF) and on the employment and cash earnings from farm and nonfarm wage work obtained during the year. Brief highlights point up some of the most pertinent facts from the detailed data in the statistical tables. The data were obtained from the annual survey conducted for the Economic Research Service by the Bureau of the Census as a supplementary part of the regular Current Population Survey made in December 1966.

Estimates in this report are based on sample data; thus, they are subject to sampling variability. They may differ somewhat from the results that would have been obtained from another sample, or from a complete census using the same schedules, instructions, and interviewers. The survey coverage and reliability of the estimates are discussed in appendix A. Definitions or explanations of terms used in this report are given in appendix B.

SIZE OF THE 1966 HIRED FARM WORKING FORCE (table 1)

Almost 2.8 million different persons did some work on farms for cash wages or salary in 1966. (Excluded are persons not in the civilian noninstitutional population 14 years old and over at the time of the survey.) This represents a decline of 11.7 percent from the estimated 3.1 million hired farm workers in 1965 and is significantly greater than the 1964-65 decline of 7.2 percent.

Casual workers (those who did less than 25 days of farm wage work) numbered about 1.1 million, down from about 1.3 million in 1965. Noncasual workers (those who did 25 days or more of farm wage work) numbered around 1.6 million, about 230,000 less than in 1965.

RECENT TRENDS IN NUMBERS OF HIRED FARMWORKERS (tables 1-3)

Because of sampling variability, averages based on data for several years probably reflect better than yearly estimates the recent trends in the total



number of hired farmworkers and in important segments within the group. Also, since the procedural changes incorporated in the surveys since 1964 seem to have affected the numbers of workers reporting less than 25 days and 25-74 days of farm wage work, it is advisable to combine data for these two groups in examining recent trends. 1/

Using averages for the 3-year periods 1961-63 and 1964-66, it can be seen that:

- --The total number of different persons doing hired farmwork in the course of a year declined about 14 percent.
- -- The number of workers doing between 75 and 249 days of hired farmwork declined about 3 percent.
- --Workers doing less than 75 days of work declined about 17 percent, and workers who did 250 or more days of work declined about 12 percent.

COMPOSITION AND RESIDENCE OF THE 1966 HIRED FARM WORKING FORCE (table 4)

The 1966 HFWF was very similar in composition to that of the previous year. Among these workers in 1966:

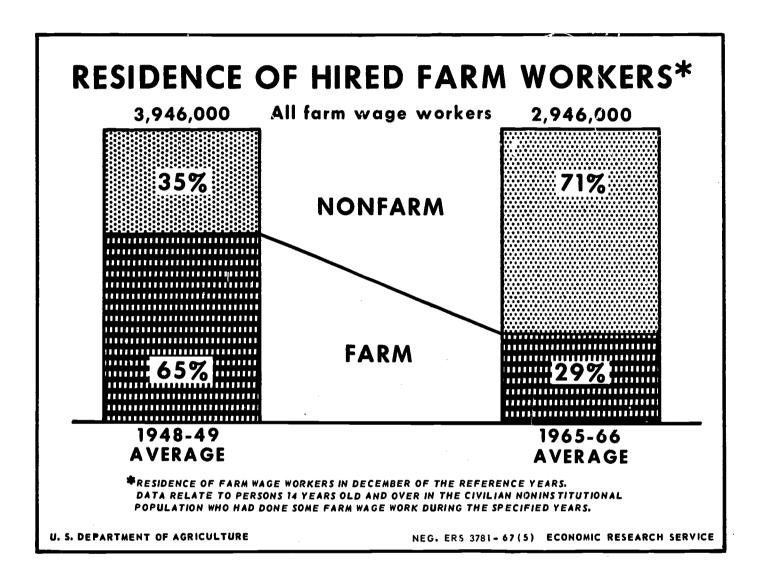
- -- 74 percent were men and boys.
- -- 73 percent were white.
- --Only 21 percent were engaged chiefly in farm wage work.
- --56 percent (primarily housewives and students) were not in the labor force most of the year.
- -- The median age was 24 years.
- --32 percent were young people 14-17 years of age; nearly three-fourths of these youths were boys, and about three-fourths lived in nonfarm places at the time of the survey.
- --About 13 percent did some farm wage work outside their home counties. These, considered domestic migratory workers, were a slightly lower proportion of the total than in 1965.
- --About half (47 percent) lived in the South and 8 percent in the Northeastern States. Nineteen percent were in the North Central States, and 26



^{1/} Since 1964, information on number of days of farm wage work has been obtained for each month rather than for the entire year, as was done in 1963 and most prior years. Under the new procedure, it appears that some persons are placed in the 25-74 day category who would have been placed in the group doing less than 25 days of work under the old procedure.

percent were in the West. Changes in distribution among regions in recent years reflect the changing distribution of agricultural activities in the country and the increased use of domestic workers in the West after the termination of the Bracero program.

--72 percent lived in nonfarm places at the time of the survey, although some of them lived on farms at some time during the year. Figure 1 shows the contrast between the current situation and that in the late forties with respect to residence.



MAN-DAYS OF FARM WAGE WORK DONE BY SELECTED GROUPS (table 5)

Workers included in the survey did about 235 million man-days of work on farms in 1966, about one-fourth of the total number of days of labor on farms.

--The percentage of total man-days of work done by white and nonwhite workers was about equal to the proportion each group represented of the HFWF. The percentage done by migratory workers was slightly higher than the proportion they represented of the work force.



- --The regular and year-round workers, who comprised about one-fifth (21 percent) of the 1966 HFWF, did about two-thirds (67 percent) of the total man-days of farm wage work (fig. 2). This was about the same as in 1965.
- --Averages for the 3-year periods 1961-63 and 1964-66 indicate that the number of full-time workers, and the total number of man-days of hired farm work they did, declined about 12 percent. During these same periods, workers doing 75-249 days of work declined only about 3 percent, and their man-days of work declined even less.
- --Workers who did less than 75 days of farm wage work comprised about 68 percent of the total HFWF in both 3-year periods but did a little less than one-fifth of the man-days of work.

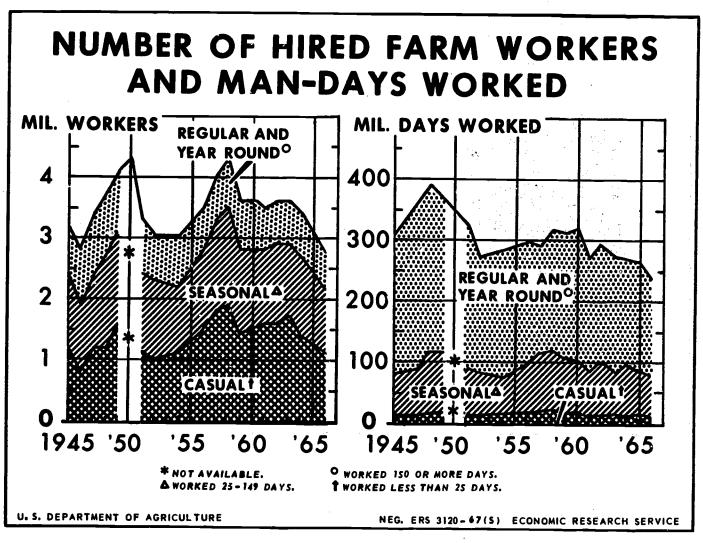


Figure 2

AVERAGE NUMBER OF DAYS OF FARM WAGE WORK AND RELATED EARNINGS (tables 6-10)

As a group, hired farmworkers earned about \$8.55 a day in cash wages from their farm wage work in 1966. For an average of 85 days of such work, they earned \$731. Throughout this report, daily and yearly earnings refer only to the cash wages received by workers and do not include the value of perquisites or fringe benefits furnished without charge by the employer.

With a few exceptions, daily and yearly earnings of groups of workers in the HFWF from farm wage work were higher in 1966 than in 1965. Those groups whose earnings declined were noncasual workers 65 years old and over who earned less both daily and annually. Nonwhite workers in the West and all year-round workers who were nonfarm residents earned less annually, as they worked fewer days.

Care should be exercised in interpreting year-to-year changes in these averages because of sampling variability. Appendix A contains estimates of the standard errors of various types of averages.

Great variation among major groups in the average number of days of employment and related daily and yearly earnings from farm wage work continues to be a major feature of the HFWF. In 1966, 1.1 million casuals averaged 9 days of work and earned \$70. On the average, casual workers earned \$7.45 a day from farmwork.

- -- Male casual workers averaged \$7.70 a day and females \$6.95.
- -- Nonmigratory casuals averaged \$7.15 a day; migratory casuals \$11.50 a day.

In 1966, 1.6 million noncasual workers averaged 138 days and earned \$1,188. Many of the noncasual workers are not in the labor force, or they do work other than farm wage work most of the year. Figure 3 shows that since 1947-49 the proportion of noncasuals whose chief activity is farm wage work has been declining and the proportion not in the labor force a major part of the year has been increasing. Among the noncasuals:

- --1.1 million seasonals averaged 63 days of work and earned \$521 from farm wage work.
- -- 0.2 million regulars averaged 195 days and earned \$1,751.
- --0.4 million year-round workers averaged 319 days and earned \$2,788.
- --Whites averaged 139 days at \$9.45 a day, earning \$1,322 in cash wages.
- --Nonwhites averaged 134 days at \$6.25 a day, earning \$838.
- --Nonmigratory workers averaged 141 days at \$8.25 a day, earning \$1,164.
- -- Domestic migratory workers averaged 121 days at \$10.80 a day, earning \$1,307.
- --Workers in the Northeast received the highest daily wage, \$11.80; those in the South received the lowest, \$6.65.

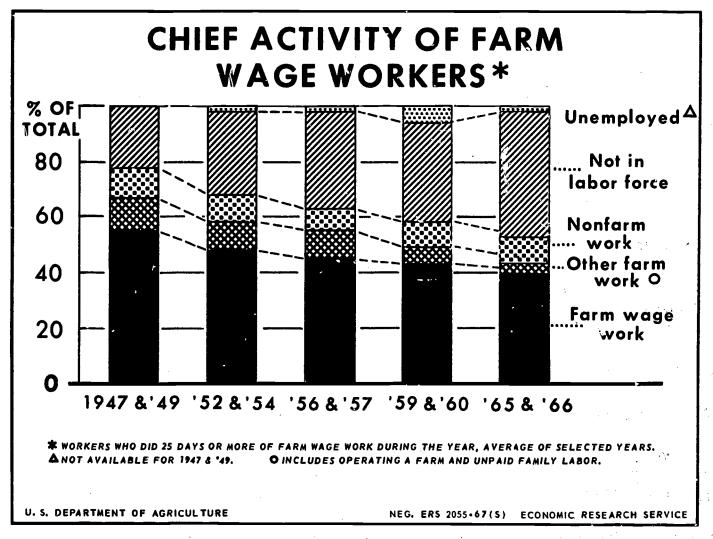


Figure 3

AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS OF WORKERS WHO DID FARM WAGE WORK ONLY AND THOSE WHO DID FARM AND NONFARM WAGE WORK (tables 11 and 12)

In 1966, about 1.7 million persons did farm wage work only (FWO workers), and about 1.1 million were employed at both farm and nonfarm wage work (FNF workers). These estimates are not significantly different from those for FWO and FNF workers in 1965.

- --FWO workers were employed an average of about 104 days at farm wage work and earned \$894.
- --FNF workers did an average of 109 days of nonfarm wage work and 55 days of farm wage work, from which, on the average, they earned a total of \$1,880.
- --FWO workers earned about \$8.50 a day from farm wage work; FNF workers averaged about \$8.65 a day.
- --FNF workers earned about \$12.85 a day from nonfarm wage work.

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Table 1.--Number of persons who did any farm wage work during the year, by sex, 1945-66

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				: Workers	s who did	25 days	: Workers	who did	less than
Year	• 	All farm wage workers	age e	or more work du	of ring	farm wage the year	25 WO	's of	wag yea
	Total	Male	Female	Tot	al Male	Female	Total	casual Workers	Female
	: Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
1945	•	2,375	837	1,965	1.576	380	1 247	700	877
1946	•	2,120	650	1,953	1,584	369	•	985	281 281
1947	3,394	2,587	807	2,215	1,864	351	1,179	723	456
1948	•	2,820	932	2,502	2,036	997		784	997
1949	. 4,140	3,021	1,119	2,510	2,001	209	1,630	1,020	610
1950	•	3.221	1,121	!	į	į			•
1951	h (2,392	•	2 156	1 718	7.38	1 110	727	
1952	2.980	2,218	762	, 1 0	•	430	1,110	9/9	4 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6
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1954	3,009	2,237	772	1,908	1,544	364	1,101	693	408
1956	3,575	2,525	1,050	2,078	1,553	525	1,497	972	525
1957	3,962	2,765	1,197	2,200	1,673	527		1,092	670
1958	: 4,212	2,987	1,225	2,319	1,788	531	1,893	•	769
1959	3,577	2,570	1,007	2,166	•	416	1,412	N	531
1960	3,693	2,664	1,029	2,162	1,698	463	1,531	996	995
1961	•	2,445	1,043	1,889	1,468	421	1,600	978	622
1962	•	2,551	1,071	2,067	1,576	492	•	926	579
1963	3,597	2,615	983	1,862	1,480	382	1,735	1,135	601
1964	•	2,398	972	2,001	1,487	514	1,369	•	458
1965	•	2,205	923	1,864	1,407	457	1,264	797	997
1966		2,051	712	1,634	1,295	339	Ĺ	756	374
	•••								

Numbers of workers for 1959 and succeeding years are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals.

Table 2.--Distribution of persons who did any farm wage work during the year, by duration of farm wage work, averages 1961-63 and 1964-66

	:		Duration of f	arm wage work	
Year	Total workers	: Less than : 75 : days	75 - 149 days	150 - 249 days	250 days and over
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
lverage:	:				
1961-63	3, 569	2,481	385	291	412
1964-66	: 3,087	2,070	383	273	361
Percentage change	-13.5	-16.6	-0.1	- 6 . 2	-12.4
	Pet.	Pct.	Pet.	Pet.	Pct.
verage:	:				
1961-63	: 100	69	11	8	12
1964-66	: 100	67	12	9	12

Numbers of workers are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals.

Table 3.--Distribution of man-days of farm wage work, for workers, by duration of farm wage work, averages 1961-63 and 1964-66

		Duration of	farm wage wor	ck
: days of : farm wage : work	: 75	75 - 149 days	150 - 249 days	250 days and over
Mil.	Mil.	Mil.	Mil.	Mil.
•				
279	52	39	56	131
: 257	47	40	54	116
• -7. 9	- 9.6	2.6	-3. 6	-11.5
Pet.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
•				
100	19	14	20	47
100	18	16	21	45
	days of farm wage work Mil. 279 257 -7.9 Pet.	farm wage : 75 work : days Mil. Mil. 279 52 257 47 -7.9 -9.6 Pet. Pet.	days of farm wage Less than 75 - 149 work days days Mil. Mil. Mil. 279 52 39 257 47 40 -7.9 -9.6 2.6 Pct. Pct. Pct. 100 19 14	days of farm wage farm wage work : days : days : days days 75 - 149 150 - 249 days days Mil. Mil. Mil. Mil. Mil. Mil. 279 52 39 56 56 257 47 40 54 54 -7.9 -9.6 2.6 -3.6 Pct. Pct. Pct. Pct. 100 19 14 20 20

Numbers of days are rounded to the nearest million without being adjusted to group totals.

Table 4.--Distribution of farm wage workers, by selected characteristics, 1966

Selected	I	lumber of work	ers	: Percent	tage distrib	ution
characteristics	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	F emale
	: Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
all workers, 1966	2,763	2,051	712	100	100	100
COLOR	:					
White	2,031	1,617	414	73	7 9	58
Nonwhite	733	434	298	27	21	42
CHIEF ACTIVITY	:					
Farm work	757	679	78	27	33	11
Farm wage work	599	543	56	21	26	8
Without nonfarm work	460	428	32	17	21	
With nonfarm work	139	115	2 <u>4</u>	5	5	5 3 3 8
Other farm work 1/	158	136	23	é	ŕ	<i>3</i>
Nonfarm work	403	349	54	15	ı'n	ន័
Unemployed	: 46	36	10	ź	2	ì
Not in labor force	1,557	987	57 0	56	48	8 0
Keeping house	320	.9	310	12	2/	44
Attending school	1,034	781	252	37	<u>2</u> / 38	35
Other	204	196	7	7	10	ì
RESIDENCE AND AGE	:					
All workers	2,763	2,051	712	100	100	100
14-17 years	882	647	235	32	31	33
18-24	584	461	153	21	23	17
25-34 35-44	327	231	96	12	11	13
35-44 45-54	272	186	86	10	_9	īs
55 - 64	319 226	220	99 4 8	12	11	14
65 and over	153	178 128	46 25	8 5	9	7 4
Farm residence	: 766	590	176	100	100	100
14-17 years	: 234	178	55	31	30	31
18-24	: 149	127	<u> </u>	19	2 <u>1</u>	12
25-34	: 87	60	27	īí	10	15
35-44	: 84	61	23	11	10	
45-54	: 88	57 68	31	12	10	13 18
55-64	: 78		10	10	12	6
65 and over	: 46	3 9	8	6	7	5
Nonfarm residence	1,998	1,461	536	100	1.00	100
14-17 years	: 649	468	180	33	32	34
18-24	: 436	335	101	22	23	19
25-34	: 240	171	69	12	12	13
35-44	: 188	125	62	9	_9	* 11
45-54	: 231	163	68	12	ıī	13
55-64 65 and over	148	110 8 9	38 18	7	7 6	7
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MIGRATORY STATUS AND AGE	:	-1 -	, •		•	•
Migratory	351	249	104	100	100	100
14-17 years	: 91	66	25	26	27	24
18-24	97 44	66	31	28	27	30
25-34 25 hh	: 44	29	15	12	11	14
35-44 he eh	: 30	27	12	11	11	12
45-54 55-64	38 38 28	25 23	13	11	10	12 6
55-04 65 and over	: 26	23	6	8	9	
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Table 4.--Distribution of farm wage workers, by selected characteristics, 1966--Continued

Selected	: <u>N</u>	umber of work	ers	Percent	age distrib	ution
characteristics	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	: Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
MIGRATORY STATUS AND	:					
AGEContinued	:					
Nonmigratory	: 2,412	1,802	608	100	100	100
14-17 years	791	581	210	33	3 2	35
18-24	: 487	395	92	20	22	15
25-34	: 283	202	81	12	11	13
35 - 44	: 234	159	74	10	9	12
45 - 54	: 281	195	86	11	ıí	14
55 - 64	: 198	155	42	8		
65 and over	: 138	ī15	23	6	9 6	7 4
•			73. 0	100	100	100
RECION	2,763	2,051	712 46	100 8	8	7
Northeast	216	170 4 8 2	46 38	19	24	5
North Central	519	462 865	30 427	19 47	42	5 60
South	1,292			26	26	28
West	736	5 3 4	201	4 0	20	20
Norkers who did 25 days or	•					
MORE OF FARM WAGE WORK	:					
Migratory status and age	•	_			300	. 100
All workers	: 1,634	1 , 295	33 9 86	100	100	100
14-17 years	403	317	86	25	24	25
18-24	: 359	292	67	22	23	20
25-34	207	166	41	13	13	12
35-44	: 177	133	45	11	10	13
45-54	245	187	58	15	14	18
55-64	: 156	125	30	9	10	9
65 and over	. 86	75	11	5	6	3
Migratory	• 075	100	70	100	3.00	7.00
	275	199	79	100	100	100
14-17 years 18-24	: 60	44	16	22	22	20
	• 79	52	27	29	26	34
25-34	: 31	24	8	11	12	10
35-44	: 32	25	8	12	13	10
45-54	: 34	23	12 6	12	12	15 8
55-64	: 26	21		10	10	8
65 and over	: 11	10	2	4	5	3
Nonmigratory	1 ,3 59	1,097	262	100	100	100
14-17 years	343	273	70	25	25	27
18-24	281	240	40	21	22	15
25 - 34	176	142	34	13	13	13
35-44	145	108	37	11	10	14
45-54	210	164	47	15	15	18
55 -6 4	129	104	25	<u>-</u> 6	ģ	10
65 and over	75	66	25 9	9	9 6	3
TOTAL FARM WAGES EARNED	1,634	1,295	3 39	100	100	100
Under \$100	55	37	17	3	3	5
100-199	216	127	89	13	10	26
200-399	296	216	80	18	16	24
400-599	195	142		12	11	16
600-999	257	195	53 61	16	15	18
1,000-1,999	: 286	256	30	18	50	
2,000 and over			30 8	20		9 2
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See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4.--Distribution of farm wage workers, by selected characteristics, 1966--Continued

Selected.	N	umber of work	ers	Percent	age distrib	ution
characteristics	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
WORKERS WHO DID 25 DAYS OR	:					
More of Farm Wage Work	•					
Continued	•					
TOTAL FARM AND NONFARM WAGES	•					
EARNED	1,634	1,295	33 9	100	100	100
Under \$100	5	2	3	_		
100-199	: 59	39	21	<u>2</u> /	<u>ଥ</u> 3	1 6
200-399	: 148	. 85	62		Š	18
400-599	: 116	79	37	9 7	ĕ	11
600-999	: 204	126	77	13	10	23
1,000-1,399	: 178	142	36	īĭ	11 .	ĩĩ
1,400-1,999	: 137	102	35	-8	- <u>-</u> 8	10
2,000 and over	: 787	720	35 67	48	56	20
WORKERS WHO DID LESS THAN 25	:					
DAYS OF FARM WAGE WORK, 1966	• •					
MIGRATORY STATUS AND AGE	:					
All workers	1,130	756	374	100	100	100
14 -17 year s	: 479	330	149	42	43	40
18-24	: 227	171	56	20	23	15
25 -3 4	: 120	65	55	11	9	<u>1</u> 5
35 - 44	: 94	53 33	41	8	Ź	īí
45-54	: 74	33	41	7	4	11
55-64	: 70	53	17	7 6	7	4
65 and over	: 67	53	15	6	7	24
Migratory	: : 76	50	25	100	100	2/
14-17 years	: 31	55	9	40	44	3/
18-24	. 18	14	Í4	23	28	
25-34			7	17	10	
35 - 44	: 13 : 6	5 2	4	-ġ	-ŭ	
45-54 55-64	: 4		1	5	4	
55-64	: 2	2 2 3	0	ź	4	
65 and over	: 4	3	0	5	6	
Nonmigratory	1,053	705	21.6	100	200	• • •
14-17 years	448	705 308	346 340	100	100	100
18-24	206	300 1 s s	140	43 20	44 66	41
25-34	107	155 60	52 47	20 10	22	15 14
35-44	89	51	37	70	9 7	14
45-54	'n	51 31	39	7), (10 11
55-64	89 71 69 63	51 49	17	8 7 6 6	7	T.T.
65 and over	63	μō	14	ž	7	5 4

Numbers of workers are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals.

1/ Includes operating a farm and unpaid family labor.

2/ Less than 0.5 percent.

3/ Percentages not shown where base is less than 50,000 persons.

Table 5.--Distribution of farm wage workers and man-days of farm wage work, by selected characteristics, 1966

Selected	Numi	ber of work	ers		days of farr age work	n .
characteristics	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Mil.	M11.	M11.
ALL WORKERS, 1966	2,763	2,051	712	235	205	28
COLOR	; ;		,			
White Nonwhite	2,031 733	1,617 434	414 298	173 63	157 49	15 14
MIGRATORY STATUS	•					
liigratory Nonmigratory	351 2,412	249 1,802	104 608	34 201	28 1 7 9	22
DURATION OF FARM WAGE WORK	: :					
Less than 25 days 25-74 75-149 150-249 250 and over	: 1,130 : 717 : 339 : 211 : 367	756 484 273 182 356	374 234 66 29 10	10 32 35 41 117	7 22 28 36 114	10 7 5 3
	Pet.	Pet.	Pet.	Pet.	Pet.	Pet.
ALL WORKERS, 1966	: 100	100	100	100	100	100
COLOR	: :	•				
White Nonwhite	: : 73 : 27	7 9 21	58 42	73 27	76 24	52 48
MIGRATORY STATUS	:					
Migratory Nonmigratory	: : 13 : 87	12 88	15 85	15 85	13 87	21 7 9
DURATION OF FARM WAGE WORK	•					
Less than 25 days 25-74 75-149 150-249 250 and over	: 41 : 26 : 12 : 8 : 13	37 24 13 9 17	53 33 9 4	4 14 15 17 50	3 11 14 17 55	14 35 24 17 10

Numbers of workers are rounded to the nearest thousand, and numbers of man-days worked are rounded to the nearest million without being adjusted to group totals.

Table 6.--Distribution of farm wage workers, by selected characteristics and duration of farm wage work, 1966

	Nu	mber of	farm v	rage wo	rkers		:	Perce	ntage d	listribu	tion	
Selected characteristics		:		r work	ing		:	Percentage working				
·	: Total :workers	Less: than: 25: days:	25 - 74	75- : 149 : days	: 249	: 250 :days :and :over	:workers	: Less : than : 25 : days	: 25- : 74	75- 149		: 250 : days : and
	: Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.			Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	: over
ALL WORKERS, 1966	2,763	1,130	717	339	211	367	100	41	26	12	8	13
COLOR	:				٠							
White Nonwhite	2,031 733	849 281	505 213	266 73	141 70	270 96	100 100	42 38	25 29	13 10	7 10	13
SEX AND AGE	:				, -		200	J O	29	10	10	13
Both sexes 14-17 years 18-24 25-34 35-44 45-54 55-64 65 and over	882 584 327 272 319 226 153	479 227 120 94 74 70 67	296 154 60 61 65 46 36	73 122 36 20 49 23	17 32 36 24 55 29	17 52 75 72 77 59 15	100 100 100 100 100 100	54 39 37 35 23 31 44	3 ¹ 4 26 18 22 20 20 23	8 21 11 7 15 10	2 5 11 9 18 13	2 9 23 27 24 26
Males	2,051	756	484	273	182	356	100	37	24	13	9	17
14-17 years 18-24 25-34 35-44 45-54 55-64 65 and over	647 461 231 186 220 178 128	330 171 65 53 33 53	217 117 39 32 29 23 28	66 103 22 13 37 19 14	17 22 31 21 46 27 18	17 50 75 67 75 57	100 100 100 100 100 100	51 37 28 29 15 29	33 25 17 17 13 13	10 22 10 7 17 11	3 5 13 11 21 15	3 11 32 36 34 32 12
Females	712	374	234	66	29	10	100	53	33	9	4	1
14-17 years 18-24 25-34 35-44 45-54 55-64 <u>1</u> / 65 and over <u>1</u> /	235 123 96 86 99 48 25	149 56 55 41 41 17 15	79 37 21 29 36 23	7 19 14 7 12 4	10 5 3 9 2	2 5 2 2	100 100 100 100 100 100	63 45 58 48 41	34 30 22 34 36	3 15 15 8 12	8 5 4 9	6 2
RESIDENCE	•											
Farm Nonfarm	766 1,998	291 838	191 527	77 262	54 156	153 214	100 100	38 42	25 26	10 13	7 8	20 11
MIGRATORY STATUS	}		-		-	_ _ -	- - •		-0	-3	J	TT
Migratory Nonwigratory	351 2,412	76 1,053	114 604	73 266	5 7 154	30 336	100 100	74 52	32 25	21 11	16 6	9 14
REGION	}	-			•			• •	-)	مال مال	U	74
Northeast North Central South West	216 519 1,292 736	123 214 546 247	134 333 207	17 72 126 125	4 39 98 70	30 61 190 87	100 100 100 100	56 41 42 34	20 26 26 28	8 14 10 17	.2 7 7 9	14 12 15 12

Numbers of workers are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals. 1/ Percentages not shown where base is less than 50,000 persons.

Table 7.--Average number of days worked and wages earned at farm and nonfarm wage work, for all farm wage workers, by selected characteristics, 1966

	33	Far	m and r			Farm		:	Nonfa	
Selected	: Number	: • Der		earned	_: _	: Wages	earned		: Wage	earned
characteristics	: of : workers	: Days	Per	Per	: Days	Per :	Per	: Days	Per	: Per
	: WOINEIB	: wolked	year	day 1/	:worked	year	day 1/	:worke	year	day 1/
	Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.
ALL WORKERS, 1966	2,763	128	1,279	10.00	<u>85</u> .					
COLOR AND SEX	:	LEO	1,217	10.00	05	731	8.55	43	548	12.85
White	: 0.007	300			0-				_	
Nonwhite	2,031 733	112 133	1,473 740	11.00 6.60	85 86	802 536	9.40 6.20	48 26	671 204	13.75 8.00
Male	: 2,051	149	1,565	10.50	100	891	8.80	49	674	13.95
White	: 1,617	152	1,716	11.30	97	927	9.50	55	789	14.40
Nonwhite	: 434	139	1,003	7.20	114	757	6.60	25	246	9.95
Female	712 414	67	454	6.80	40	272	6.65	27	182	6.90
White Nonwhite		63	524	8.30	37 46	314	8.45	26	210	8.05
	298	72	357	4.90	46	215	4.65	26	142	5.35
CHIEF ACTIVITY	:								77	
Farm work Farm wage work	757	225 261	2,102	9.30	515	1,946	9.15	13 14	156	11.60
Without nonfarm work	599 460	5 63	2,359 2,403	9.05 8.90	247 269	2,221	8.95		138	10.15
With nonfarm work	139	233	2,214	9.50	17 4	2,403 1,618	8.90	E O	E06	70.15
Other farm work 2/	158	92	1,127	12.20	79	907	9.30	59 13	596 220	10.15
Nonfarm work	403	236	3,272	13.80	41	345	11.35 8. 3 5		2,927	17.85*
Unemployed	46						0.37			14.95
Not in labor force	1,557	53	3 69	6.90	36	250	6.90	17	119	6.85
Keeping house	320	50	349	6.95	34	263	7.75	16	86	5.30
Attending school Other	1,034 204	54 55	340 543	6.30 9.80	35 42	220 382	6.20	19 13	120 161	6.50
RESIDENCE, SEX, AND DURATION OF FARM WAGE WORK				7.00		J 02	8.95	13	101	12.65
All workers	:									
Less than 25 days	: 1,130	66	807	12.20	9	70	7.45	57	737	13.00
25-74	717	83	810	9.70	44	33 9	7.55	3 9	471	12.15
75-149	339	157	1,633	10.35	103	905	8.75	54	728	13.35
150-249	211	219	2,050	9.35	195	1,751	8.95	24	299	12.55
250 and over	367	327	2,878	8.80	319	2,788	8.70	8	90	11.95*
Farm residence	766	125	1,023	8.15	105	795	7.55	20	228	11.10
Less than 25 days	291	33	367	10.80	9	67	7.15	24	300	12.20
25-74 75-740	191	67	474	7.00	44	275	6.15	23	199	8.70
75 -1 49 150 -2 49	77	138	1,365	9.85	99	901	9.10	39	464	11.80*
250 and over	54	210	1,671	7.95	192	1,449	7.55	18	222	12.55*
Nonfarm residence	153		2,557	7.60	335	2,551	7.60	1	6	6.55*
Less than 25 days	1,998 8 3 8	129 77	1,377 960	10.65 12.45	77	707	9.05	52 68	670 889	13.10
25-74	527	89	932	10.40	45 45	71 363	7.55 8.05	44	569	13.10 12.80
75-149	262	163	1,712	10.45	104	906	8. 65		806	13.65
150-249	156	555	2,182	9.80	196	1,856	9.45	59 26	326	12.55
250 and over	214	320	3,107	9.70	307	2,957	9.60	13	150	12.25*
Males										
Less than 25 days	156	76	1,036	13.60	·9	70	7.70	67	966	14.40
25-74	484	95	1,022	10.65	45	360	7.90	50	662	13.15
75-149	273	165	1,822	11.01	103	951	9.15	62	871	14.15
150-249	182	223	2,172	9.70	197	1,834	9.25	26	338	13.30
250 and over	356	327	2,918	8.90	319	2,825	8.85	8	93	11.95
Females		• -			***					
Less than 25 days	37h	45	342	7.55	10	70	6.95 6.8 0	35	272	7.70
75 and over	234 305	58 363	371	6.35	43	297		15	74	5.05
1) mw olet.	105	163	1,032	6.35	143	936	6.55	20	96	4.95#

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 7.--Average number of days worked and wages earned at farm and nonfarm wage work, for all farm wage workers, by selected characteristics, 1966--Continued

	:		n and n			Farm		<u> </u>	Nonfar	
Selected	Number			earned		Wages	earned	: _ =		earned
characteristics	•	: Days	Let.	Per	: Days		Per	: Days		Per
	workers	:worked	year	day 1/	:worked	year	nev I/	:worked:	year	day 1
	: Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.
MIGRATORY STATUS AND DURA-	:							****	-	
TION OF FARM WAGE WORK	:									
Migratory	351	140	1,580	11.25	96	1,046	10.80	1114	534	12.25
Less than 25 days	76	66	863	12.95	.9	107	11.50	57	756	13.15
25-74 75-149	114	92 167	1,033	11.15 10.65	45	412	8.95	47	621	13.35
150 and over	73 87	244	1,784 2,739	11.25	102 235	1,096 2,643	10.75 11.25	65 9	688 96	10.50 10.60*
Nonmigratory	: : 2,412	126	1,235	0.75	83	685	8.20	-		
Less than 25 days	1,053	65	803	9.75 12.15		-		43 56	550 550	12.90
25-74	: 604	82	768	9.35	9 44	68 326	7.15 7.30	56 38	735 442	13.00
75-149	: 266	155	1,592	10.25	103	853	8.25	50 52	739	11.90 14.35
150-249	: 154	224	2,055	9.15	197	1,700	8.60	27	355	12.95
250 and over	336	327	2,770	8.45	319	2,672	8.35	ė	98	11.95*
REGION AND COLOR	:	- ·	J - •			• · • -			,	,
Northeast	: 216	121	1,592	13.10	72	834	11.60	49	758	15.30
White	: 204	124	1,635	13.15	75	875	11,70	149	760	15.40
Nonwhite 3/	: 13					6 Ch. C			0=6	
North Central	: 519 : 498	137	1,502	10.95	82 84	646 660	7.85	55	856 871	15.60 15.80
White Nonwhite 3/	· 490 · 22	139	1,531	11.05		000	7.90	55 	OLT	15.00
South	: 1,292	124	962	7.75	86	576	6.65	38	386	10.35
White	: 681	137	1,281	9.40	88	702	8.00	49	579	11.90
Nonwhite	: 611	109	606	5 • 55	85	436	5.15	24	170	7.05
West	: 736	130	1,584	12.10	89	1,034	11.60	41	550	13.25
White	: 648	129	1,579	12.25	85	993	11.65	44 26	586	13.45
Nonwhite	: 8 9	138	1,618	11.70	112	1,332	11.85	26	286	11.20
REGION, MIGRATORY STATUS, AND COLOR	:							.		
All workers	:						•			
Migratory	:	• -	- 40-						-0-	
White	: 271	145	1,687	11.60	99 88	1,106	11.15	46	581	12.60
Nonwhite	: 80	123	1,215	9.85	99	841	9.50	3 5	374	10.80
Nonmigratory White	: 1,759	132	1,440	10.90	8 ≥	7 55	9.10	50	68 5	13.90
Nonwhite	: 653	110	682	6.15	86	499	5.75	24	183	7.50
South	:								* *	
Migratory	: 118	145	1,296	8.95	98	822	8.35	47	474	10.25
White	73	158	1,503	9.50	101	913	9.05	5 7	590	10.25
Nonwhite 3/	45									
Nonmigratory	1,174	121	928	7.65	85	552	6.50	36	376	10.40
White Nonyhite	608 566	134 108	1,254 578	9•35 5•30	86 84	677 417	7.80 4.90	48 24	577 161	12.10 6.70
West	; ,00	100	710	7.30		71	7.50	6 7	101	0.10
Migratory	: 151	147	1,920	13.05	106	1,458	13.80	41	462	11.15
White	: 117	155	2,029	13.05	114	1,577	13.80	41 41	452	10.95
Nonwhite 3/	: 34					-9/11	-3.00			10.57
Nonmigratory	: 586	125	1,497	11.95	84	924	11.00	41	5 73 616	13.85
White	531	123	1,480 1,663	_ 11.95	79	864	10.85	44		13.95
Nonwhite	: 55	149		11.10	134	1,507	11.15	15	156	10.35

Numbers of workers are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals.

^{1/} Rounded to the nearest 5 cents.
2/ Includes operating a farm and unpaid family labor.
3/ Averages not shown where base is less than 50,000 persons.
** Number of workers who did nonfarm wage work is less than 50,000.

Table 8.--Distribution of farm wage workers, by selected characteristics and average daily earnings at farm wage work, 1966

Selected	: Number : Average daily earnings from farm wage work										
characteristics	of workers	: Total	Less than \$3.00	: \$3.00-:	\$5.00-: 6.99 :	\$7.00- 8.99	: :\$9.00- :10.99	: :\$11.00-: : 12.99 :	\$13.00 and over	daily earnings	
ALL WORKERS, 1966	Thou. 2,763	Pet. 100	Pet.	Pet.	Pct. 20	Pct. 16	Pet.	Pet.	Pct.	Dol.	
COLOR AND SEX	: -,,,,,,	100	TO	20	20	10	14	•	12	6.95	
White Nonwhite	2,031 733	100 100	8 14	14 39	55 50	17 11	17 7	9 2	15 5	7. 95 4.85	
Male White Nonwhite Female White Nonwhite	2,051 1,617 434 712 414 298	100 100 100 100 100	9 8 11 12 9 18	17 12 33 31 18 49	19 18 23 24 26 21	17 19 14 10 13 6	16 17 10 9 14	8 10 2 6 8	14 16 7 8 12	7.60 8.20 5.55 5.50 6.75 4.30	
AGE, MIGRATORY STATUS, AND SEX	:										
14-19 years Migratory Nonmigratory	1,151 130 1,021	100 100 100	15 10 16	24 7 26	22 18 22	18 24 17	10 19 9	4 10 4	7 12 6	5.95 8.25 5.65	
20 years and over Migratory Male Female Nonmigratory Male Female	1,611 221 156 65 1,389 1,031 360	100 100 100 100 100 100	6 4 3 6 5	18 2 2 5 20 15 36	19 17 12 30 20 18 24	14 14 13 17 14 16	17 17 18 14 17 20	10 18 17 19 8 9	16 28 34 12 15 17	8.00 No.45 11.20 8.45 7.55 8.50	
DURATION OF FARM WAGE WORK					-		,	7	0	5.35	
Less than 25 days 25-74 75-149 150-249 250-299 300 and over	1,130 717 339 211 107 260	100 100 100 100 100	11 10 12 4 6	25 21 11 18 18 15	21 23 19 18 17	15 17 16 13 14	13 11 17 19 19	5 8 9 10 13	10 10 16 18 13	6.35 6.65 8.05 8.50 8.15	
REGION AND SEX				-			-,	7	20	8.30	
Northeast Male Female 2/ North Central Male Female 2/ South Male Female West Male Female Female	216 170 46 519 482 38 1,292 865 427 736 534 201	100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100	17 18 9 9 10 8 14 8 6	12 12 11 33 27 44 7	12 13 23 23 28 25 32 9 8	13 17 22 22 22 16 5 17 17 19	21 19 14 14 10 14 4 18 20 14	5 3 9 10 3 4 15 14 17		8.40 7.90 7.60 7.65 5.50 6.15 4.65 10.00 10.30 8.90	

Numbers of workers are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals.

^{1/} Rounded to the nearest 5 cents.
2/ Percentages not shown where base is less than 50,000 persons.
3/ Less than 0.5 percent.

Table 9.--Average number of days worked and wages earned at farm and nonfarm wage work, for persons who did 25 days or more of farm wage work, by selected characteristics, 1966

	:	- Fer	n and n		_ : _	Farm		. :	Nonfa	
Selected	:Number : of	: • De		earned	_:;	Wages	earned	.:		s earned
characteristics	; or :workers	: Days	Per	Per	: Days ::worked:		Per	: Days		Per
	: WOTAETS	: WOLVECT	year	day 1/	worked	year	day 1	:worke	a year	day 1/
MODIFIED WILL DED OF DAYS OF	: Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.
workers who did 25 days or more of farm wage work, 1966	: 1,634	171	1,605	9.40	138	1,188	8.60	33	417	12.60
COLOR AND SEX	:									v)
White Nonwhite	: 1,182 : 452	177 154	1,834 1,005	10.35 6.50	139 134	1,322 838	9.45 6.25	3 8 20	512 167	13.55 8.00
Male	1,295	192	1,874	9.75	154	1,369	8.85	38	505	13.45
White Nonwhite	999 296	194 185	2,044 1,301	10.55	152 163	1,454 1,085	9.55	42 22	590	14.05
Female	•	91	577	6.35	•	•	6.65		216	9.80
White Nonwhite	339 183 156	85 97	691 442	8.05 4.55	74 71 78	495 603 369	6.60 8.45 4.70	17 14 19	82 88 73	5.00 6.20 3.95
SEX AND AGE	:							-,		3-77
Both sexes	:								**	
14-17 years 18-24	403 359	81 167	411 1,676	5.00 10.00	<i>7</i> 1 115	360 1,041	5.05 9.00	10 52	51 635	4.85 12.25
32-3 #	207	240	2,808	11.65	181	1,800	9.95	59	1,008	16.85
35-44 45-54	177	215	2,113	9.80	183	1,683	9.20	32	430	13.15
47-74 55-64	245 156	212 214	2,086	9.80	177	1,671	9.40	35	415	11.90
65 and over	. 86	214 145	1,993 889	9 .2 5 6 .1 0	188 142	1,713 872	9.10 6.10	26 3	280 17	10.45* 6.15*
Males	• •					- ,	,	•	-,	
14-17 years	: 317	88	437	4.95	77	381	4.90	11	56	5.15
18 - 24 25-34	292	182	1,878	10.30	122	1,121	9.10	60	757	12.65
25-34 35-44	: 166 : 133	271 252	3,336 2,585	12.25 10.20	204 215	2,096 2,061	10.20 9.55	67 37	1,240 524	18.55
45-54	187	246	2,549	10.35	206	2,038	9.85	40	511	13.90 12.75
55-64	: 125	244	2,349	9.60	214	2,014	9.40	30	335	10.85
65 and over	: 75	157	964	6.10	155	946	6.10	2	18	8.15
HIEF ACTIVITY	: :									
Farm work	678	249	2,299	9.25	236	2,162	9.15	13	137	10.50
Farm wage work	597	261	2,366	9.05	248	2,227	8.9 5	13	139	10.15
Without nonfarm work With nonfarm work	460	269 235	2,403	8.90	269	2,403	8.90			
Other farm work 2/	: 137 : 81	235 155	2,240 1,803	9.50 11.60	176 146	1,637 1,680	9.30 11.45	59 9	603 123	10.15 14.85*
Nonfarm work	195	251	3,147	12.50	76	626	8.20		2,521	14.40
Unemployed 3/	27						****			
Not in labor force	734	80	577	7.20	66	459	6.95	14	118	8.40
Keeping house	: 158 : 484	69 81	514 521	7.40	58 65	440 440	7.55	11	74	6.60*
Attending school :	92	35	534 905	6.60 9.75	85 85	403 787	6.20 9.25	16 7	131 118	8.15 15.95*
REGION AND COLOR		•	•			, , ,	,,	•		
Northeast	93	178	2,249	12.60	156	1,845	11.80	22	404	18.05*
White	91	178	2,264	12.65	156	1,858	11.85	22	406	18.25*
Nonwhite 3/	2									
North Central :	306 294	177	1,731	9.75	132	1,034	7.80	45	697	15.70
Nonwhite 3/	12	179	1,765	9.80	135	1,055	7.80	44	710	15.95

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9.--Average number of days worked and wages earned at farm and nonfarm wage work, for persons who did 25 days or more of farm wage work, by selected characteristics, 1966--Continued

	: :Number	Fai	n and n		_:	Farm		;	Nonfa	
Selected	: of	: Days		earned	_:	: Wages e	arned	:	: Wage	s earned
c laracteristics	:workers	: Days :worked	Per year	Per day 1/	: Days :worked		F 402 K	: Days :worked	Per year	
REGION AND COLORContinued	Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.
South White Wonwhite West White Nonwhite	746 382 364 489 415	174 190 158 160 162 145	1,276 1,676 856 1,906 1,934 1,746	7.30 8.80 5.40 11.90 11.90	143 149 136 129 129 132	956 1,200 700 1,514 1,506 1,563	6.65 8.00 5.15 11.65 11.65	31 41 22 31 33	320 476 156 392 428	10.15 11.65 7.20 12.85 12.80
REGION, MIGRATORY STATUS, AND COLOR		,			* 3 C .	1,703	11.00	13	183	13.80
All workers Migratory White Nonwhite Nonmigratory White Nonwhite	275 216 59 1,359 966 393	160 165 143 173 179 156	1,779 1,872 1,438 1,570 1,826	11.05 11.30 10.00 9.05 10.15 6.00	121 122 115 141 143	1,307 1,363 1,105 1,164 1,313	10.80 11.10 9.55 8.25 9.15	39 43 28 32 36	472 509 333 406 513	11.90 11.90 12.00* 12.75 14.00
South	: 333	1)0	340	0.00	136	798	5.85	20	142	7.15
Migratory White Nonwhite 3/ Nonmigratory White Nonwhite	100 68 32 646 314	161 165 176 196	1,472 1,607 1,246 1,691	9.10 9.70 7.05 8.60	114 108 147 158	956 977 956 1,248	8.35 9.05 6.45 7.85	47 57 29 38	516 630 290 443	10.85 10.90 9.95 11.90
	332	158	824	5.20	137	680	4.95	21	144	6.75
West Migratory Nonmigratory	: : 115 : 374	173 156	2,303 1,784	13.25 11.45	136 127	1,891 1,399	13.80 10.95	37 29	412 385	11.20 13.55
NONMIGRATORY WORKERS, SEX, AND COLOR	: :					,				-5-77
Nonmigratory Male White Nonwhite Female White Nonwhite	1,098 835 263 261 131	193 196 183 89 76	1,823 2,019 1,199 505 593 417	9.45 10.30 6.55 5.65 7.70 4.05	157 155 164 73 64 82	1,339 1,438 1,025 432 521 342	8.50 9.25 6.25 5.90 8.05 4.15	36 41 19 16 12 20	484 581 174 73 72	13.70 14.40 8.95 4.50 5.95* 3.65*
Household Status and Migratory Status	;		•	•						3.07"
Household heads Migratory Nonmigratory	787 123 664	237 230 238	2,487 2,808 2,428	10.45 12.20 10.15	189 171 193	1,796 2,022 1,754	9.45 11.80 9.05	59		14.50 13.30 14.75
Other household members Migratory Nonmigratory	847 152 695	109 104 110	786 949 750	7.20 9.05 6.80	89 80 91	624 730 601	6.95 9.05 6.55	20 24	162 219 149	8.30 9.10 8.05

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| Rounded to the nearest 5 cents.
| Includes operating a farm and unpaid family labor.
| Averages not shown where base is less than 50,000 persons.
| ** Number of workers who did nonfarm wage work is less than 50,000.

Table 10.--Average number of days worked and wages earned at farm and nonfarm wage work, for persons who did less than 25 days of farm wage work, by selected characteristics, 1966

		: Far	and no	onfarm	:	Farm		:	Nonfar	
Selected	Mumber	:	Wages	earned		Wages	earned	:		earned
characteristics	of	: Days		Per	: Days :	Per :	Per	: Days :		: Per
CURLECTELISTICS	workers	:worked	year	•	:worked:	year	day 1/	:worked:	year	day 1/
		:	<u> </u>	day 1/	: :		J.			<u> </u>
	Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.
workers who did less than 25: days of farm wage work, 1966:		6 6	807	12.20	9	70	7-45	57	73 7	13.00
SEX AND AGE	.									
Both sexes	}					_		_	_	
14-17 years :	479	27	117	4.30	9	56	5.9 0	18	61	3.45
18-24 :	227	108	1,447	13.30	9	74	7.70	99	1,373	13.80
25-3 ⁴ :	120	113	1,973	17.40	9 8	88	9.70		1,885	18.05
35-44 :	94	107	1,571	14.60		83	9.75	99	1,488	15.00
45-54 :	74	76	1,086	14.20	9	79	8.70		1,007	14.95*
55-64 :	70	89	790	8.80	11	79	6.75	78	711	9.10*
65 and over	67	23	158	6.75	8	93	11.15	15	65	4.30*
	756	76	1,036	13.60	9	70	7.70	67	966	14.40
Males			127	4.30	9	54	5.95	20	73	3.50
14-17 years :	330	29 120	1,659	13.75	6	7 5	7.95	111	1,584	14.25
18-24 :	171	165		19.90	9	116	13.50	157	3,179	20,25
25-34 :	65	142	3,295 2,464	17.30	8	106	11.95	134	2,358	17.65*
35-44	53	66	838	12.80	9	66	7.70	57	772	13.60
45 and over	139	00	030	12.00	7		_			
Females	374	45	342	7.55	10	70	6.95	35	272	7.70
14-17 years	149	20	92	4.45	10	59	5.70	10	_33	3.20
18-24	56	72	794	10.90	10	70	6.95	62	724	11.55
25 -3 4	55	52	422	8.10	9.	5 6	5 .7 5	43	366	8.60
35-44 2/	41							1.0		 6 05#
45 and over	73	59	408	6.90	11	116	10.85	48	292	6.05*
CHIEF ACTIVITY										
Farm wage work and other					••	3.00	9.80	17	317	19.25*
farm work 3/	79	27	420	15.55	10	103 80	9.65	214	3,309	15.40
Nonfarm work	208	555	3,389	15.20	8		•	 	3,307	±7•+0
Unemployed 2/	19					64	6.75	20	120	5.90
Not in labor force	824	29	184	6.20	9		8.80	21	96	4.65
Keeping house	162	31	188	6.05	10	92		51 51	112	5. 3 5
Attending school	550	30	170	5.60	9	58	6.15		197	11.45*
Other	112	24	245	9.85	7	48.	6.30	17	731	11.47
MIGRATORY STATUS					_		99 =4		n=f	12 054
Migratory	76 1,053	66 65	863 803		9 9	107 <i>6</i> 8	11.50 7.15	57 56	756 735	13.15* 13.00
Nonmigratory	-,0,5	•		,	•			-		
Household Status and Migratory Status				•	_	_				
Household heads	325	139	2,170	15.60	8	95	10.80	131	2,075	
Migratory 2/	26							4		
Monmigratory	299	141	2,198	15.55	8	92	10.40	133	2,106	
Other household members	802	35	251	7.00	9	60	6.25	26	191	7.25
Migratory	50	42	359	8.55	9	94	9.60	33	265	8.20*
Monmigratory	752	35	243	6 .8 5	9	58	6.00	26	185	7.20

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3/ Includes operating a farm and unpaid family labor.
Humber of workers who did nonfarm wage work is less than 50,000.

Table 11.--Percentage of workers who did farm and nonfarm wage work, and average number of days worked and wages earned, for workers who did farm wage work only, by selected characteristics, 1966

	Farm wag	e workers	Workers who did farm wage work only						
Selected characteristics	: Number	Percentage	Number	:	Farm				
	: of	: who also did:	of						
	: workers	: some nonfarm: _: wage work :	workers	Days worked		Per day 1			
	: Thou.	Pct.	Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.			
ALL WORKERS, 1966	: : 2,763	3 9 :	1,685	104	894	8.50			
COLOR AND SEX	:	:				0.70			
White	: 2,031	42	1 176		• • • •				
Nonwhite	: 733	31 :	1,176 509	106 100	1,007 632	9.40			
Male	2,051	40			_	6.30			
White	1,617	44	1,231	127	1,119	8.80			
Nonwhite	434	26	908 323	126 130	1,207 874	9.55 6.70			
Female	712	36 :	454	44	-				
White	414	35 :	268	44 41	281	6.35			
Nonwhite	: 298	38 :	186	48	21 2	8.00 4.40			
CHIEF ACTIVITY	•	:			6.4.6	4.40			
Farm work	· · 757	23	584	220	0.0777	0.05			
Farm wage work	: 599	23 :	460	230 269	2,077	9.05			
Without nonfarm work	: 460		460	269	2,403 2,403	8.90			
With nonfarm work	: 139	100 :			•	8.90			
Other farm work 2/	: 158	22 :	124	83	871	10.40			
Nonfarm work	: 403	99 :			017	10.40			
Unemployed 3/	: 46	59 :	3/ 19						
Not in labor force	: 1,557	31 :	1,078	37	262	6.90			
Keeping house	: 320	31 :	220	3 6	284	7.70			
Attending school	: 1,034	32 :	705	35	219	6.10			
Other	: 204	25 :	154	48	428	8.75			
DURATION OF FARM WAGE WORK	•	:							
Less than 25 days	: 1,130	45 :	618	9	64	6.55			
25 days and over	: 1,634	35 :	1,067	159	1,374	6.55 8.60			
RESIDENCE	•	:							
Farm	: 766	26	567	119	923	7 70			
Nonfarm	: 1,998	44 :	1,118	97	923 879	7.70 9.00			
MIGRATORY STATUS	: :	:				•			
Migratory	: 351	48 :	184	123	1,322	10.70			
Nonmigratory	351 2,412	38 :	1,502	102	841	8.20			
REGION	:	:			. •	-			
Northeast	: 216	46 :	117	94	1,191	12.55			
North Central	: 519	47 :	278	104	784	7.50			
South	: 1,292	34 :	854	103	687	6.65			
West	: 736	41 :	436	111	1,289	11.60			

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Table 12.--Average number of days worked and wages earned at farm and nonfarm wage work, for farm wage workers who also did some nonfarm wage work, by selected characteristics, 1966

	:	:Far	m and n		:	Farm		: Nonfarm			
Selected	: Number	:		earned	_: _		earned			earned	
characteristics	: of ::workers	: Days		Per	: Days		Per	: Days		Per	
	: .WOLACID	:	year	day 1	: WOTAGE	year	ORV I/	:worked	year	day 1/	
	: Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	
WORKERS WHO ALSO DID SOME	:	- 41									
NONFAIRM WAGE WORK, 1966	: 1,078	164	1,880	11.45	55	478	8.65	109	1,402	12.85	
COLOR AND SEX	:										
White Nonwhite	: 855 : 224	171 139	2,114 985	12.35 7.05	54 55	519 318	9.45 5. 7 0	117 84	1,595 667	13.75 8.00	
Mele White Nonwhite	820 709	182 185 165	2,23 ⁴ 2,369 1,377	12.25 12.80 8.30	61 60 69	547 568 417	8.90 9.45 6.00	121 125 96	1,687 1,801 960	13.95 14.40 9.95	
Female White Nonwhite	: 258 : 146 : 112	107 102 113	756 878 598	7.05 8.55 5.30	34 29 42	256 284 220	7·35 9·75 5·20	73 73 71	500 594 378	6.90 8.05 5.35	
CHIEF ACTIVITY	:										
Farm work Farm wage work	173 139	211 233	2,184 2,214	10.35 9.50	152 174	1,504 1,618	9.85 9 .3 0	59 59	680 596	11.60 10.15	
Other farm work 2/3/ Nonfarm work Unemployed 3/	: 3 ¹ 4 : 399 : 27	238	3,300	13.80	41	347	8.35	197	2,953	14.95	
Not in labor force Keeping house Attending school Other	: 479 : 100 : 329 : 50	88 79 93 75	609 493 600 897	6.90 6.25 6.45 11.90	32 27 35 23	223 219 222 241	6.90 7.95 6.35 10.25	56 52 58 52	386 274 378 656	6.85 5.30 6.50 12.65	
DURATION OF FARM WAGE WORK	:			•					·,		
Less than 25 days 25 days and over	: 511 : 567	133 192	1,704 2,039	12.75 10.60	8 96	77 839	8.70 8.65	125 96	1,627 1,200	13.00 12.60	
RESIDENCE	:										
Farm Nonfarm	: 199 : 879	143 169	1,307 2,010	9.10 11.85	64 52	433 488	6.70 9 .2 0	79 117	8/4 1,5 2 2	11.10 13.10	
MIGRATORY STATUS	:							,	٠,	• *	
Migratory Nonmigratory	: 168 : 911	159 165	1,862 1,884	11.70 11.40	67 52	744 429	10.95 8.10	92 113		12.25 12.90	
REGION	:										
Northeast North Central South West	99 242 437 300	153 174 165 159	2,328	13.45 13.35 9.10 12.65	45 56 55 57	414 487 360 662	9.15 8.65 6.55 11.55	108 118 110 102	1,841	15.30 15.60 10.35 13.25	

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APPENDIX A

SOURCES AND RELIABILITY OF ESTIMATES

The Survey

The estimates in this report are based on information obtained for the Economic Research Service by the Bureau of the Census through supplementary questions on the regular Current Population Survey (CPS) of December 1966. If a question on the regular survey concerning farm wage work was answered affirmatively, additional questions were asked on days of farm wage work and farm wages, migratory or nonmigratory status, nonfarm wage work done and associated wages, the chief activity in 1966, and other matters.

The CPS sample includes about 35,000 households which are interviewed each month. 1/ Since 1960, the estimates have included Alaska and Hawaii. Although changes have been made in the sample design from time to time, the data are sufficiently comparable to form a continuous series. The 1966 sample covered 357 areas, including each of the 50 states and the District of Columbia. These areas comprised 701 counties and independent cities. Of the 35,000 households, about 1,500, on the average, were visited, but interviews were not obtained because the occupants were not found at home after repeated calls, or were unavailable for some other reason. In addition to the 35,000, 5,000 sample units were visited in an average month, but were found to be vacant or otherwise not to be enumerated.

The data in this report relate to all persons 14 years of age and over who did farm wage work in 1966 and who were in the civilian noninstitutional population at the time of the survey. Not included are persons who did farm wage work in 1966 who died, entered the Armed Forces, or were otherwise removed from the civilian noninstitutional population before the survey. Not included also are foreign nationals who did farm wage work in this country and who had returned to their homes before the survey. Since the termination of Public Law 78 in December 1964, the number of foreign nationals admitted for temporary farmwork has become very small and in 1966 totaled only 23,524. The total number of persons who may have been excluded probably does not exceed 400,000.

Reliability of Estimates

The estimating procedure used in these surveys involved inflating weighted sample results to independent estimates of the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States by age, color, and sex. These independent estimates were based on statistics from the 1960 Census of Population; statistics of births, deaths, immigration, and emigration; and statistics on the strength of the Armed Forces.

1/ For a thorough explanation of the CPS sample, see "The Current Population Survey: A Report on Methodology." U.S. Dept. of Com., Bur. of the Census Tech. Paper 7, 1963.

Since the estimates are based on sample data, they are subject to sampling variability. They may differ somewhat from the results that would have been obtained from another sample, or from a complete census using the same schedules, instructions, and interviewers. The results are also subject to errors of response and reporting.

The standard error of an estimate is primarily a measure of sampling variability, that is, of the variations that occur by chance because a sample rather than a whole population is surveyed. The standard error, as calculated for this report, also partially measures the effect of response and enumeration errors, but does not measure any systematic biases in the data. The chances are 68 out of 100 that an estimate from the sample would differ from that from a complete census by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

The estimates of standard errors shown in this report are approximations for the 357 areas sampled. To derive standard errors which would be applicable to a wide variety of items and which could be prepared at moderate cost, a number of approximations were required. As a result, the tables of standard errors provide an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard errors rather than the precise standard error for any specific item.

Tables 13 and 14 show the standard errors of the estimated number and percentages of persons who did farm wage work. The reliability of an estimated percentage computed by using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends on the size of the percentage and the size of the total on which the percentage is based. Generally, estimated percentages are relatively more reliable than the corresponding absolute estimates of the numerator of the percentage, particularly if the percentage is high.

Tables 15 and 16 show the standard errors of average number of days of farm wage work and of the average annual earnings from this work. Standard errors of average number of days and average annual earnings from nonfarm wage work would probably be somewhat higher than the standard errors of number of days and annual earnings from farm wage work.

Illustration of the use of tables of standard errors.--Table 4 shows that there were 647,000 males age 14-17 who were farm wage workers at the time of this survey. Table 13 shows the standard error of 647,000 to be about 60,000. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that a complete census would have shown a figure different from the sample result by less than 60,000. Chances are 95 out of 100 that the difference would have been less than 120,000. Of these 647,000 males age 14-17, 217,000, or 33 percent, had done 25-74 days of farm wage work (table 6). Table 14 shows the standard error of 33 percent with a base of 647,000 to be approximately 4.1 percent. Consequently, the chances are 68 out of 100 that a complete census would have disclosed the figures to be between 28.9 and 37.1 percent, and 99 out of 100 that the figure would have been between 24.8 and 41.2 percent.

Table 13.--Standard errors of estimated numbers of persons who did farm wage work, CPS Supplement

 (68 chances out of 100) Size of estimate Standard error 25,000 11,000 50,000 15,000 100,000 22,000 250,000 35,000 500,000 52,000 1,000,000 80,000 2,500,000 150,000

Table 14.--Standard errors of percentages of persons who did farm wage work, CPS Supplement

(68 chances out of 100) : Base of percentage in thousands Percentage **5**0 100 250 500 1,000 2,500 5,000 Pct. Pct. Pct. Pct. Pct. Pct. Pct. 2 or 98 4.2 3.0 1.9 1.3 0.9 0.6 0.4 5 or 95 6.6 4.7 2.9 2.1 1.5 .9 .7 10 or 90 9.1 6.4 4.1 2.9 2.0 1.3 .9 15 or 85 10.8 7.6 4.8 3.4 2.4 1.5 1.1 20 or 80 12.1 8.5 5.4 3.8 2.7 1.7 1.2 25 or 75 13.1 9.3 5.9 4.1 2.9 1.9 1.3 35 or 65 14.4 10.2 6.4 4.6 3,2 2.0 1.4 50 15.1 10.7 6.8 4.8 3.4 2.1 1.5

Table 15.--Standard errors of estimated average number of days of farm wage work, CPS Supplement

Table 16.--Standard errors of estimated average annual earnings from farm wage work, CPS Supplement

(68 chances out of			(68 chances out of 100)						
Average number of days worked per year per person		Standard error	Average annual earnings per person						
50	:	3	\$ 250	:	20				
100	:	4	500	:	31				
200	:	5	750	:	40				
	:		1,000	:	49				
	:		1,500	:	66				
	:		2,000	:	82				
	:			:					

Sampling variability of estimated mean earnings. -- A rough approximation to the standard error of an estimated mean can be computed from the distribution which gave rise to that mean. The standard error of average (mean) daily earnings at farm wage work, for example, may be computed by using the following formula:

where
$$\sqrt{x}$$
 = the standard error of the estimated mean

 n_i = the weighted number of cases in the ith
earnings class

 n_i = the weighted total number of cases in all c
earnings class

 n_i = the midpoint of the ith earnings class

 n_i = the midpoint of the ith earnings class

In comparing the earnings of two classes of the population, the difference between the two means will frequently be subject to greater sampling variability than that in other types of comparisons, because the sample estimate of a mean of an earnings distribution is affected significantly by even a few extremely high average earnings. If sensitive indicators of differences between two groups are needed, it may be useful to consider other types of statistics, such as median earnings. Generally, the median of a distribution is more stable than the mean, since it is not affected as much by a few extreme observations.

Illustration: Table 8 shows the percentage distribution of farm wage workers by average daily earnings from farm wage work. Table 7 shows the average daily earnings of all farm wage workers to be \$8.55. Converting the percentage distribution to absolutes by multiplying the given percentage by the total number of farm wage workers (2,763,000) gives the number of farm wage workers in each earnings interval class. These are the values of the n_i in the formula \sqrt{x} . The total number of farm wage workers, 2,763,000, is the value of n. The values of the x_1 are the midpoints of the earnings intervals shown. For the interval "less than \$3.00" the midpoint is \$1.50; for the interval "\$3.00 - \$4.99" it is \$4.00; for "\$5.00 - \$6.99" it is \$6.00, etc. Assume the midpoint of the interval "\$13.00 and over" to be \$28.00. The estimated standard error on the average daily earnings at farm wage work of all farm wage workers is about \$0.40. Consequently, the chances are about 68 out of 100 that the difference between the mean earnings estimated from this sample and the earnings that would have been shown by a complete census would differ by less than \$0.40. Chances are 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than \$0.80.

Sampling variability of estimated median earnings.—The variability of a median depends on the size of the base of the distribution and on the distribution on which the median is based. A method for getting an approximate measurement of the reliability of an estimated median is to determine an interval about the estimated median such that there is a stated degree of confidence that the true median lies within the interval.

As the first step in estimating the upper and lower limits of the interval about the median (that is, the confidence limits), compute one-half the number reporting the characteristic on which the median is based; designate this as N/2. Determine the standard error of N/2 (table 13). Subtract this standard error from N/2. Cumulate the frequencies (in the table on which the median is based) up to the interval containing the difference between N/2 and its standard error and, by linear interpolation, obtain a value corresponding to this number. Multiply this value by the size of the interval in which N/2 minus its standard error falls, and add this value to the beginning of the interval. This is the lower limit of the confidence interval.

In a similar manner, add the standard error to N/2, and follow the same procedure, outlined in the preceding paragraph, to find the upper limit of the confidence interval. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that the median computed from a complete census would lie between these two values. The range for 95 chances out of 100 can be computed in a similar manner by multiplying the standard error by 2 before subtracting and adding to N/2. Interpolation to obtain the values corresponding to these numbers gives the confidence limits for the median.

<u>Illustration</u>: Table 8 shows the median daily earnings at farm wage work of all farm wage workers to be \$6.95. The confidence interval of this median is \$6.95 - \$7.44 at the 68 percent confidence level. Thus, median earnings estimated by this sample differ little from what a complete census would have shown.

APPENDIX B

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

<u>Farm wage workers.</u>—Persons 14 years old and over in the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States at the time of the survey who did any farmwork for cash wages or salary at any time in the year, even if only for 1 day.

Farmwork for cash wages or salary consists of the following: (1) Work done on any farm for cash wages in connection with the production, harvesting, threshing, preparation for market, or delivery to market of agricultural products; (2) work done off the farm for a farmer by his hired farmworker, such as trips to town to buy feed, seeds, or fertilizer, or to handle other matters involved in running the farm business; (3) repairs of farm buildings, machinery, etc., performed by a farm wage worker when done along with the type of work specified in (1) and (2) above; and (4) managing a farm enterprise for cash salary. Not included as farmwork for cash wages or salary are (1) work performed by farm operators on their own farms, or "exchange" work between farmers; (2) work done exclusively for "pay in kind"; (3) work done without pay on a family farm by a member of the farm operator's family, (a small regular cash allowance is not considered as farm wages); and (4) nonfarm work performed on a farm, such as the building of a farm structure, the drilling of a well, the hauling of agricultural products to market, or domestic service in the home of a farmer; and (5) custom work such as spraying, threshing, combining, etc., when a person is paid a combined rate for the use of his equipment and labor.

Casual workers. -- Persons who did less than 25 days of farm wage work.

Noncasual workers. -- Persons who did 25 days or more of farm wage work. Noncasual workers include:

Seasonal workers. -- Persons who did 25-149 days of farm wage work.

Regular workers.--Persons who did 150-249 days of farm wage work.

Year-round workers .-- Persons who did 250 days or more of farm wage work.

(The use here of the terms "seasonal" and "regular" differs from that in the Census of Agriculture, where "seasonal workers" refers to persons employed on <u>one farm</u> for less than 150 days during the year, and "regular workers" to those employed on one farm for 150 days or more during the year.)

Age. -- The age classification is based on the age of the person at his last birthday.

<u>Color.</u>—The term "color" refers to the division of the population into two groups—white and nonwhite. Nonwhites include such groups as Negroes, Indians, Japanese, and Chinese.

Chief activity.—Information on the chief activity of farm wage workers during the year was derived from the question, "What was . . . doing most of 1966—working, keeping house, going to school, or something else?" If "working" was reported as the chief activity, the kind of work the person was doing most of the year was determined. Farm wage work was reported if the person spent most of his working time doing farm wage work. Operating a farm was reported if a person spent most of his working time operating his own farm (as a tenant, owner, or sharecropper). Nonfarm work was reported if a person spent most of his working time in his own business or profession,



worked without pay in a family business, or worked for pay (or pay in kind) in any nonfarm activity, such as manufacturing, trade, construction, domestic service, etc. If the person did not report "working" as his chief activity, information was obtained on what he was doing most of the year. Looking for work (unemployed) was reported for a person who spent most of his time without employment, but was actively looking for a job. Keeping house was reported for persons who spent most of their time doing their own housework. Going to school was reported for persons who spent most of their time during the year going to school. The category "other" was reported for persons who spent most of their time daring spent most of their time at some activity other than those named above.

Residence. -- Residence is determined on the basis of the classification of the place in which the worker lived at the time of the survey. In the Current Population Survey, farm wage workers were classified as living on farms (farm residents) if they lived in rural territory on places of 10 or more acres of land, and if as much as \$50 worth of agricultural products were sold from the place in the reporting year. Also included are those who lived on places of less than 10 acres if as much as \$250 worth of agricultural products were sold from the place in the reporting year. Nonfarm-resident workers lived in urban places, rural towns or villages, or in the open country on places that did not meet the criteria for farm classification.

Migratory status .-- Migratory farm wage workers are those from whom a "yes" answer was obtained to one of two questions: "Some farm workers leave home to harvest crops or do other seasonal farmwork in a different State. Did . . . do this in 1966?" If the answer to that question was "No," the question was asked: "During 1966, did . . . leave home to do this work in a different county in this State?" Enumerators were instructed to consider as migratory workers (a) persons who were reported to have left their homes temporarily overnight to do farm wage work in another county within the same State or in a different State with expectation of eventually returning home, and (b) persons who had no usual place of residence, if they did farm wage work in two or more counties during the year. They were instructed to consider as nonmigratory workers (a) persons who were reported as farm wage workers in the county for part of the year and who made a more or less permanent move to another county during the year and also did farm wage work in the second county, and (b) persons who commuted daily across the county or State line to do farm wage work and returned home each night.

Region.--The States included in each of the four regions are as follows:
Northeast--Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey; North Central--Ohio, Indiana,
Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota, Towa, Missouri, North Dakota, South
Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas; South--Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia,
Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida,
Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma,
Texas; and West--Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Arizona,
Nevada, Washington, Oregon, California, Hawaii, Alaska.

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Days of farm or nonfarm wage work. -- Days on which any farm or nonfarm wage work was reported. The work may have been for all or only part of a day.

Earnings from farm or nonfarm work.—Total cash wages or salary received for farmwork or for nonfarm work. Estimates of earnings do not include the value of perquisites received in connection with farmwork or the value of fringe benefits received in connection with nonfarm work.

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Table 9.--Average number of days worked and wages earned at farm and nonfarm wage work, for persons who did 25 days or more of farm wage work, by selected characteristics, 1966--Continued

 .	: :Number		rm and r		_:	Farm		.:	Nonfa	
Selected	: of	: Days		earned	_ :	: Wages		-: _		es earned
characteristics	:workers		4. Ler	Per	: Days	d. rer	rer	: Days	A. 161	•
	<u>:</u>	:	year	day 1/	:	year	day 1	:	year	day 1/
REGION AND COLORContinued	Thou.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.	No.	Dol.	Dol.
South	746	174	1,276	7.30	143	956	6. 65	31	320	30.35
White	382	190	1,676		149	1,200	8.00	41		10.15 11.65
Nonwhite	364	158	856		136	700	5.15	55	156.	7.20
West White	489	160	1,906		129	1,514	11.65	31	392	12.85
Nonwhite	415	162	1,934	11.90	129	1,506	11.65	3 3	428	12.80
REGION, MIGRATORY STATUS, AND	74	145	1,746	12.00	132	1,563	11.80	13	183	13.80
COLOR	:									* •
All workers	:									
Migratory	275	160	1,779	11.05	121	1,307	10.80	39	472	11.90
White	216	165	1,872	11.30	122	1,363	11.10	43	509	11.90
Nonwhite	59	143	1,438	10.00	115	1,105	9.55	28	333	12.00*
Nonmigratory White	1,359	173	1,570	9.05	141	1,164	8.25	32	406	12.75
Nonwhite	966	179	1,826	10.15	143	1,313	9.15	36	513	14.00
	393	156	940	6.00	136	798	5.85	20	142	7.15
South	:									. *
Migratory	100	161	1,472	9.10	114	956	8.35	47	516	10.85
White Nonwhite 3/	68	165	1,607	9.70	108	977	9.05	5 7	630	10.90
Nonmigratory	32 61.6	356								
White	646 314	176	1,246	7.05	147	956	6.45	29	290	9•95
Nonwhite	332	196 158	1,691 824	8.60	158	1,248	7.85	38	443	11.90
West	;	1)0	024	5.20	137	680	4.95	21	144	6.75
Migratory										
Nonmigratory	115	173	2,303	13.25	136	1,891	13.80	37	412	11.20
•	374	156	1,784	11.45	127	1,399	10.95	29	385	13.55
ionmigratory workers, sex,										
AND COLOR										
Nonmigratory										
Male	1,098	193	1,823	9.45	157	1,339	8.50	26	484	30 70
White	835	196	2,019	10.30	155	1,438	9.25	36 41	404 581	13.70 14.40
Nonwhite	263	183	1,199	6.55	164	1,025	6.25	19	174	8.95
Female	261	89	505	5.65	73	432	5.90	16	73	4.50
White	131	76	593	7.70	64	521	8.05	12	72	5•95 *
Nonwhite	130	102	417	4.05	82	342	4.15	20	75	3.65*
OUSEHOLD STATUS AND										-
MIGRATORY STATUS				•						
Household heads	787	237	2,487	10.45	189	3 706	0.1.5	1. 0		
Migratory	123	230	2,808	12.20	171	1,796 2,022	9.45 11.80	48	691 286	14.50
Nonmigratory	664	238		10.15	193	1,754	9.05	59 45	786 674	13.30 14.75
Other household members	847	109	•			•		-		
Migratory :	152	104	786 949	7.20	89	624	6.95	20	162	8.30
Nonmigratory	695	110	750	9.05 6.80	80	730	9.05	24	219	9.10
	4//		150	0.00	91	601	6.55	19	149	8.05

Numbers of workers are rounded to the nearest thousand without being adjusted to group totals. 1/ Rounded to the nearest 5 cents.
2/ Includes operating a farm and unpaid family labor.
3/ Averages not shown where base is less than 50,000 persons.
* Number of workers who did nonfarm wage work is less than 50,000.