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## FARM WORKERS 4 PERCENT FEWER THAN LAST YEAR

Employment on United States farms during the survey week of October 12-18, 1980, was estimated at 3.79 million workers, 4 percent less than October 1979. Family workers, consisting of farm operators working one hour or more and unpaid family members working 15 hours or more, totaled 2.48 million, 2 percent less than last October. Hired labor totaled 1.31 million, a reduction of 8 percent from one year ago.

All family workers averaged 41.0 hours during the October 1980 survey week compared to 41.9 hours during the comparable period last year. Farm operators worked an average of 41.7 hours compared to 43.5 last year. Hired workers on farms averaged 40.1 hours during the survey week this year; the same as a year ago.

## WAGE RATES UP FROM A YEAR AGO

Farm wage rates for all methods of pay, converted to an hourly rate, averaged \$3.85 during the week of October 12-18, 1980, an increase of 28 cents from the \$3.57 per hour paid a year ago. Hourly workers receiving only cash wages averaged \$3.83 compared with \$3.58 a year earlier. Field workers received an average of \$3.82 compared with \$3.53 a year ago. Livestock workers received an average of \$3.40, up 36 cents from the \$3.04 per hour received during the October 1979 survey week.

## WORKERS RECEIVING PERQUISITES

Approximately 41 percent of the hired workers on farms during the October 1980 survey week received some type of perquisite, such as room and board or meals, in addition to cash wages. In October 1979, 47 percent of the Nation's hired farm workers received benefits in addition to cash wages. The most common perquisite, housing, was provided to 18 percent of the workers.

During the survey week the average hourly earnings for workers receiving room and board were \$3.15 and for those receiving housing, earnings were \$3.75. Employees receiving only cash wages averaged \$3.92 per hour.

Of the hired agricultural workers employed on farms during the October 1980 survey week, 41 percent were working on farms employing 9 or more hired workers, while 16 percent were working on farms employing only one hired worker. This compares with 42 percent and 13 percent, respectively, in October 1979.

## AGRICULTURAL SERVICE WORKERS

There were 67 thousand agricultural service employees working on U.S. farms during the week of October 12-18, 1980, the same as the July 1980 survey week. Of these workers, 45 thousand were employed in California and 6 thousand in Florida. This compares with 36 thousand in California and 5 thousand in Florida for July 1980. Wage rates for agricultural service employees working on farms in California averaged \$5.37 per hour, up 70 cents from last quarter. In Florida, agricultural service employees' wages averaged \$4.65, an increase of 4 cents from July.

## WEATHER AND FARMING ACTIVITIES

Harvesting and planting activities moved rapidly throughout the U.S. during the survey period until interrupted by wet weather at the end of the week. Precipitation fell in all areas of the Nation except parts of the Southwest.

Temperatures averaged below normal in all areas except the south central, the south Atlantic, and in parts of the north central and north Atlantic regions. Farmers had 4 to 7 days suitable for fieldwork, except in Michigan and northern New England where wet conditions limited the number of days available to three.

Winter wheat seeding, cotton picking, and the harvest of corn, soybeans, and rice were major field activities. Ranchers continued to move herds to winter grazing areas.

Near-ideal weather prevailed in Florida vegetable growing areas where planting continued actively. California growers harvested a wide variety of vegetables. Texas vegetable growers continued planting in southern areas and harvesting in northern regions.

## SOURCE AND RELIABILITY OF ESTIMATES

Quarterly estimates of Agricultural labor are based on a multiple frame enumerative probability survey. Two sampling frames are utilized--a list frame and an area frame.

The Economics and Statistics Service list consists of employers of Agricultural labor, but does not include all such employers. A random sample is selected from the stratified list for each of the quarterly surveys. Employers expected to have large numbers of workers are sampled more heavily than those with fewer workers.

The ESS area sample frame is an exhaustive listing of small units of land. A probability sample from the area frame could provide unbiased estimates for all agricultural workers employed by farm operators. However, this is a less efficient sampling frame than the list because a large number of employees are hired by a small proportion of farm operators. Therefore, the area frame is used to estimate incompleteness in the list. The multiple frame sample utilizes the desirable attributes of both frames.

Estimates based on a sample differ somewhat from data that would have been obtained if a complete enumeration had been taken using the same questionnaires, instructions and enumerators. These differences are the results of sampling variability. In addition, survey estimates are subject to nonsampling errors. These errors are minimized through enumerator training, follow-up interviews, questionnaire design and testing, and comprehensive edit procedures.

Standard errors and relative standard errors are statistical measures of the variation that occurs by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. Standard errors and relative standard errors have been computed from the sample data. The sample estimates fall within the range of one standard error below to one standard error above the complete coverage value two times out of three. The survey estimates have standard errors of 47 thousand for family workers and 42 thousand for hired workers at the U.S. level. Relative standard errors are 1.9 and 3.2 percent, respectively. Relative standard errors at the regional level for hired workers ranged from 6 to 14 percent. At the U.S. level, the standard error for wage rates of all hired workers was about 7 cents.

FARM EMPLOYMENT AND INDEXES, OCTOBER 1980, WITH COMPARISONS, UNITED STATES 1/

ITEM	ANNUAL AVERAGE 1978	ANNUAL AVERAGE 1979	OCT 7-13, 1979	JUL 6-12, 1980	OCT 12-18, 1980
FARM EMPLOYMENT (THOUSAND)					
TOTAL	3,956.6	3,774.2	3,943.5	4,542.6	3,790.2
FAMILY LABOR	2,688.9	2,501.2	2,525.1	2,751.2	2,484.7
HIRED LABOR	1,267.7	1,273.0	1,418.4	1,791.4	1,305.5
INDEXES 1/ 2/ (1910-T4=100)					
TOTAL	29	28	30	28	27
FAMILY LABOR	26	25	26	24	24
HIRED LABOR	37	37	37	33	33
(1967=100)					
TOTAL	81	77	81	75	74
FAMILY LABOR	74	69	72	67	67
HIRED LABOR	101	102	97	87	87

1/ INDEXES ARE ADJUSTED FOR SEASONAL VARIATION.

2/ REVISED FOR OCTOBER 7-13, 1979 AND JULY 6-12, 1980.

FARM WAGE RATES AND INDEXES, OCTOBER 1980, WITH COMPARISONS, UNITED STATES 1/

ITEM	ANNUAL AVERAGE 1978	ANNUAL AVERAGE 1979	OCT 7-13, 1979 5/	JUL 6-12, 1980 5/	OCT 12-18, 1980
DOLLARS PER HOUR					
METHOD OF PAY:					
ALL HIRED FARM WORKERS	3.09	3.39	3.57	3.54	3.85
PAID BY PIECE-RATE	3.76	4.07	4.32	4.18	5.16
PAID BY OTHER THAN PIECE-RATE	3.04	3.34	3.51	3.49	3.72
PAID BY HOUR ONLY	3.08	3.38	3.56	3.53	3.81
PAID BY CASH WAGES ONLY 2/	3.22	3.58	3.72	3.74	3.92
PAID BY HOUR CASH WAGES ONLY 3/	3.10	3.41	3.58	3.62	3.83
TYPE OF WORK PERFORMED:					
FIELD WORKERS	2.93	3.26	3.53	3.38	3.82
LIVESTOCK WORKERS	2.69	2.96	3.04	3.22	3.40
PACKINGHOUSE WORKERS	3.18	3.39	3.50	3.57	3.68
MACHINE OPERATORS	3.13	3.44	3.52	3.60	3.82
SUPERVISORS	4.95	5.22	5.35	5.45	5.79
OTHER AGRICULTURAL WORKERS	3.60	3.82	3.79	4.05	4.21
INDEXES 4/ (1910-T4=100)	2,044	2,242	2,264	2,449	2,443
(1967=100)	241	265	267	289	288

1/ PERQUISITES SUCH AS ROOM AND BOARD, HOUSING, ETC., ARE PROVIDED SOME WORKERS IN ALL CATEGORIES, EXCEPT WHERE FOOTNOTED OTHERWISE, IN ADDITION TO WAGE RATES SHOWN.

2/ INCLUDES ALL HOURLY WORKERS NOT RECEIVING PERQUISITES.

3/ INCLUDES ONLY HOURLY WORKERS NOT RECEIVING PERQUISITES.

4/ INDEXES ARE BASED ON ALL HIRED FARM WORKERS AND ARE ADJUSTED FOR SEASONAL VARIATION.

5/ INCLUDES REVISED ESTIMATES FOR SOME STATES.

HIRED WORKERS ON FARMS: CLASSIFIED BY NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES PER FARM,  
UNITED STATES

EMPLOYEES PER FARM	OCT 7-13, 1979	JUL 6-12, 1980	OCT 12-18, 1980
PERCENT OF TOTAL HIRED WORKERS			
1 WORKER	13	11	16
2 WORKERS	12	14	14
3-4 WORKERS	15	16	14
5-8 WORKERS	18	16	15
9 AND OVER WORKERS	42	43	41

HIRED WORKERS ON FARMS: BY TYPE OF PERQUISITE RECEIVED,  
UNITED STATES

PERQUISITE RECEIVED	OCT 7-13, 1979	JUL 6-12, 1980	OCT 12-18, 1980
PERCENT OF TOTAL HIRED WORKERS			
ROOM AND BOARD HOUSING	11	12	11
MEALS OR FOOD	17	17	18
OTHER	10	8	6
TOTAL RECEIVED PERQUISITES <u>1/</u>	9	8	6
	47	45	41

AVERAGE HOURLY FARM WAGE RATE, BY TYPE OF PERQUISITE RECEIVED,  
UNITED STATES 2/

PERQUISITE RECEIVED	OCT 7-13, 1979	JUL 6-12, 1980	OCT 12-18, 1980
DOLLARS PER HOUR			
ROOM AND BOARD	2.60	2.70	3.15
HOUSING	3.44	3.47	3.75
MEALS AND OTHER	3.40	3.25	3.40
OTHER	4.05	3.85	4.48
CASH WAGES ONLY	3.72	3.74	3.92

1/ SUMMATION OF PERCENTAGES RECEIVING ROOM AND BOARD, HOUSING, MEALS OR FOOD, AND OTHER PERQUISITES.

2/ WAGE RATES DO NOT INCLUDE VALUE OF PERQUISITES.

WORKERS ON FARMS, OCTOBER 12-18, 1980, WITH COMPARISONS  
BY STATES, STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS AND UNITED STATES

STATE AND REGION	OCT 7-13, 1979 <sup>1/</sup>			JUL 6-12, 1980			OCT 12-18, 1980		
	TOTAL	FAMILY	HIRED	TOTAL	FAMILY	HIRED	TOTAL	FAMILY	HIRED
	THOUSANDS								
REGION I <sup>2/</sup>	77	35	42	95	48	47	83	42	41
N J	22	11	11	33	13	20	20	10	10
N Y	102	57	45	123	76	47	94	56	38
REGION II	124	68	56	156	89	67	114	66	48
DEL	5.5	3.0	2.5	6.1	3.5	2.6	3.1	1.8	1.3
MD	32	19	13	36	19	17	29	20	9.0
PA	99	70	29	143	100	43	115	80	35
VA	70	44	26	87	60	27	74	39	35
W VA	21.3	15.4	5.9	30.9	23	7.9	28.2	25	3.2
REGION III	227.8	151.4	76.4	303.0	205.5	97.5	249.3	165.8	83.5
ALA	75	48	27	83	57	26	75	56	19
FLA	88	30	58	82	28	54	84	27	57
GA	71	42	29	116	53	63	84	50	34
KY	110	90	20	131	93	38	102	72	30
MISS	72	33	39	88	43	45	69	40	29
N C	133	88	45	237	114	123	129	87	42
S C	51	35	16	82	31	51	50	32	18
TENN	100	70	30	120	83	37	103	88	15
REGION IV	700	436	264	939	502	437	696	452	244
ILL	198	156	42	161	117	44	155	125	30
IND	107	77	30	111	82	29	116	82	34
MICH	100	65	35	130	79	51	100	62	38
MINN	191	160	31	229	182	47	205	175	30
OHIO	111	89	22	142	98	44	125	100	25
WIS	190	129	61	203	142	61	187	130	57
REGION V	897	676	221	976	700	276	888	674	214
ARK	75	48	27	98	60	38	78	46	32
LA	63	35	28	57	35	22	65	34	31
N MEX	31	19	12	20	11	9.0	18	11	7.0
OKLA	78	56	22	81	61	20	86	65	21
TEX	267	162	105	275	170	105	197	125	72
REGION VI	514	320	194	531	337	194	444	281	163
IOWA	220	187	33	216	155	61	196	161	35
KANS	113	89	24	120	91	29	120	89	31
MO	146	126	20	159	126	33	139	107	32
NEBR	102	83	19	127	88	39	100	77	23
REGION VII	581	485	96	622	460	162	555	434	121
COLO	41	25	16	65	38	27	51	31	20
MONT	26	17	9.0	42	31	11	34	28	6.0
N DAK	67	56	11	68	55	13	49	37	12
S DAK	64	49	15	62	52	10	76	68	8.0
UTAH	14	10	4.0	28	20	8.0	23	15	8.0
WYO	12	6.0	6.0	16.5	8.5	8.0	12	6.0	6.0
REGION VIII	224	163	61	281.5	204.5	77.0	245	185	60
ARIZ <sup>3/</sup>	30	16	14	31	15	16	27	14	13
CALIF	334	65	269	329	71	258	271	73	198
HAW	16.8	5.5	11.3	16.2	4.0	12.2	16	5.0	11
NEV	4.9	2.2	2.7	5.9	3.2	2.7	4.9	1.9	3.0
REGION IX	385.7	88.7	297.0	382.1	93.2	288.9	318.9	93.9	225
IDAHO	47	23	24	52	27	25	54	23	31
OREG	73	45	28	97	45	52	59	40	19
WASH	93	34	59	108	40	68	84	28	56
REGION X	213	102	111	257	112	145	197	91	106
U S (49 STS)	3,943.5	2,525.1	1,418.4	4,542.6	2,751.2	1,791.4	3,790.2	2,484.7	1,305.5

1/ REVISED. 2/ REGION I: CONN, MAINE, MASS, N H, R I, AND VT. 3/ ESTIMATE INCLUDES AN ALLOWANCE OF TO,000 FAMILY WORKERS FOR INDIAN RESERVATIONS.

HOURS WORKED PER WORKER, OCTOBER 1979 AND JULY 1980, BY STATES, STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS AND UNITED STATES

STATE AND REGION	OCT 7-13, 1979				JUL 6-12, 1980			
	FARM OPERATOR	OTHER UNPAID FAMILY MEMBERS 1/	ALL FAMILY 1/	HIRED WORKERS	FARM OPERATOR	OTHER UNPAID FAMILY MEMBERS 1/	ALL FAMILY 1/	HIRED WORKERS
HOURS								
REGION I 2/	37.9	35.7	37.3	32.4	46.6	30.8	39.9	38.7
N J	42.9	42.7	42.8	39.4	52.0	45.0	48.9	38.8
N Y	44.0	45.0	44.2	37.5	51.1	45.2	48.4	41.9
REGION II	43.8	44.5	44.0	37.9	51.4	45.2	48.5	41.0
DEL	36.6	33.1	35.3	45.2	44.7	36.6	41.1	42.2
MD	28.4	35.0	30.2	36.6	44.5	44.5	44.5	33.3
PA	41.4	39.7	40.9	35.6	50.9	45.4	48.5	34.3
VA	28.6	40.0	30.2	34.1	32.1	42.0	35.1	33.5
W VA	20.7	27.2	22.0	38.0	21.9	28.6	23.9	32.3
REGION III	32.9	37.9	34.2	35.8	40.5	42.8	41.4	33.9
ALA	35.6	41.8	38.1	31.4	30.2	33.9	31.4	33.9
FLA	28.4	24.7	27.4	38.6	30.0	29.7	29.9	37.4
GA	41.2	30.6	38.5	39.9	40.9	44.8	42.0	35.5
KY	35.5	32.9	34.6	29.9	31.4	36.2	32.8	30.2
MISS	33.7	30.3	33.0	40.0	24.3	35.6	26.4	35.6
N C	27.1	33.8	28.6	31.9	32.8	35.7	33.7	24.9
S C	20.5	29.2	22.2	32.0	26.1	29.6	27.0	23.7
TENN	26.5	35.6	28.8	33.7	25.5	34.3	27.3	30.9
REGION IV	30.8	33.8	31.6	35.6	30.4	35.8	31.9	30.6
ILL	58.0	54.9	56.7	50.8	40.3	38.5	39.7	27.9
IND	45.4	39.6	43.6	39.4	35.8	35.8	35.8	32.9
MICH	38.4	43.2	40.0	31.6	38.5	38.1	38.4	36.5
MINN	58.2	40.4	50.5	45.4	50.0	43.9	47.1	39.9
OHIO	35.1	26.8	34.1	35.2	36.6	41.0	38.0	39.2
WIS	64.4	38.6	54.2	35.4	53.0	37.0	46.2	41.6
REGION V	51.6	43.5	48.7	39.3	42.7	39.2	41.3	36.9
ARK	30.0	33.8	30.7	43.7	33.6	38.1	34.9	37.3
LA	34.0	34.7	34.1	38.0	32.9	35.6	33.6	37.2
N MEX	52.0	39.9	46.1	49.8	48.1	32.9	44.1	50.4
OKLA	35.8	38.0	36.5	40.9	35.5	41.0	37.1	45.4
TEX	34.4	31.5	33.6	38.0	31.6	39.4	33.3	44.0
REGION VI	34.6	34.1	34.5	39.5	33.2	38.9	34.7	41.6
IOWA	61.2	39.4	52.1	43.1	47.4	36.8	42.8	29.9
KANS	63.0	46.0	55.4	45.5	59.8	52.0	56.7	55.1
MO	38.1	31.8	35.8	44.1	33.4	37.0	34.4	30.0
NEBR	55.6	41.8	51.1	48.6	62.1	50.5	57.1	45.3
REGION VII	54.1	39.3	48.3	45.0	48.0	43.8	46.0	38.2
COLO	39.8	39.7	39.8	44.8	56.8	48.1	53.1	50.7
MONT	43.4	33.9	40.2	49.8	52.1	49.3	50.6	50.1
N DAK	61.0	45.6	54.9	52.4	46.4	36.1	42.7	46.5
S DAK	60.3	50.0	57.0	45.3	55.2	47.8	52.0	40.0
UTAH	36.7	29.0	35.2	36.0	44.9	40.6	43.4	42.9
WYO	43.8	42.6	43.3	46.5	59.2	49.0	55.3	60.4
REGION VIII	53.2	44.3	50.2	46.7	51.8	45.1	49.0	48.3
ARIZ	35.2	26.9	32.2	52.1	47.0	30.9	42.8	48.1
CALIF	42.3	34.5	40.2	43.7	38.7	40.9	39.4	45.2
HAW	27.1	31.1	28.5	38.1	29.6	31.9	30.3	37.4
NEV	46.8	43.5	45.4	49.8	54.7	51.0	53.0	53.3
REGION IX	40.9	33.4	36.5	43.9	39.6	40.8	40.0	45.1
IDAHO	48.0	47.9	48.0	51.5	56.0	42.2	51.8	50.7
OREG	36.2	30.0	33.7	39.3	40.4	39.6	40.1	34.4
WASH	39.3	39.9	39.4	43.0	40.7	34.7	38.6	38.6
REGION X	40.1	35.7	38.8	43.5	44.6	38.4	42.4	39.2
U S (49 STS)	43.5	39.2	41.9	40.1	40.4	40.4	40.4	38.0

1/ INCLUDES AS "OTHER UNPAID FAMILY" ONLY THOSE HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WORKING 15 HOURS OR MORE PER WEEK WITHOUT RECEIVING CASH WAGES. 2/ REGION I: CONN, MAINE, MASS, N H, R I, AND VT.

HOURS WORKED PER WORKER, OCTOBER 12-18, 1980, BY STATES,  
STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS AND UNITED STATES

STATE AND REGION	FARM OPERATOR	OTHER UNPAID FAMILY MEMBERS <u>1/</u>	ALL FAMILY <u>1/</u>	HIRED WORKERS
HOURS				
REGION I <u>2/</u>	37.9	33.2	36.8	38.0
N J	40.7	36.2	39.1	37.4
N Y	50.3	46.5	49.0	42.2
REGION II	48.8	44.9	47.5	41.1
DEL	46.6	48.0	47.1	38.1
MD	37.6	34.0	36.6	37.3
PA	50.8	38.8	45.6	42.1
VA	30.8	44.9	33.6	34.3
W VA	26.7	19.7	24.8	37.0
REGION III	39.3	37.0	38.6	38.0
ALA	28.3	35.7	30.1	37.8
FLA	33.1	30.1	32.5	37.1
GA	32.1	36.7	33.1	35.1
KY	35.7	35.9	35.8	38.1
MISS	28.9	40.0	32.2	48.0
N C	26.9	36.6	28.4	30.7
S C	19.4	38.6	22.3	26.9
TENN	24.0	38.6	26.6	35.6
REGION IV	28.4	36.8	30.1	36.4
ILL	48.6	46.9	48.1	47.8
IND	43.3	42.0	42.9	39.7
MICH	34.0	42.0	35.8	35.4
MINN	58.0	35.8	46.4	38.6
OHIO	42.2	45.7	43.4	42.8
WIS	60.4	41.5	52.1	42.7
REGION V	49.0	41.0	46.0	41.0
ARK	32.6	40.9	34.7	42.1
LA	32.2	32.3	32.2	38.0
N MEX	41.3	29.5	38.4	46.3
OKLA	33.3	28.3	31.6	45.6
TEX	43.1	29.9	39.6	38.7
REGION VI	37.4	31.4	35.8	40.5
IOWA	60.5	43.3	54.1	40.7
KANS	49.5	37.0	44.8	39.9
MO	33.8	32.2	33.4	33.8
NEBR	63.0	53.0	59.0	51.0
REGION VII	51.0	42.1	47.9	40.7
COLO	40.5	41.5	40.9	43.7
MONT	46.5	46.7	46.6	47.0
N DAK	42.4	43.4	42.6	36.4
S DAK	53.8	33.3	43.2	34.4
UTAH	37.6	43.0	39.2	43.6
WYO	56.7	55.3	56.3	44.4
REGION VIII	45.8	39.5	43.2	41.6
ARIZ	45.3	38.7	44.6	53.0
CALIF	37.6	40.2	38.4	42.4
HAW	33.2	30.9	32.4	39.0
NEV	43.6	49.4	45.4	48.2
REGION IX	38.1	40.0	38.7	42.9
IDAHO	45.7	47.5	46.2	44.0
OREG	35.8	33.8	35.2	42.8
WASH	38.8	31.9	37.1	37.1
REGION X	39.4	36.3	38.5	40.1
U S (49 STS):	41.7	39.2	41.0	40.1

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FARM WAGE RATES BY METHOD OF PAY, OCTOBER 7-13, 1979,  
BY STATES, STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS AND UNITED STATES (REVISED)

STATE AND REGION	FARM WAGE RATES - METHOD OF PAY					
	ALL HIRED FARM WORKERS	BY PIECE-RATE	BY OTHER THAN PIECE-RATE	BY HOUR ONLY	BY CASH WAGES ONLY	BY HOUR RECEIVING CASH WAGES ONLY
DOLLARS PER HOUR						
REGION I 1/	3.43	2/	3.40	3.36	3.57	3.42
N J	3.41	2/	3.35	3.42	3.53	3.64
N Y	2.85	3.56	2.68	3.16	3.10	3.15
REGION II	2.96	3.63	2.83	3.25	3.18	3.28
DEL	3.27	2/	3.27	3.10	3.32	2/
MD	3.09	2/	3.10	3.07	2/	2/
PA	3.12	3.43	3.03	3.30	3.41	3.23
VA	3.37	3.49	3.34	3.22	3.50	3.21
W VA	2.78	2/	2.90	3.20	3.25	3.20
REGION III	3.17	3.30	3.14	3.21	3.40	3.17
ALA	3.15	2/	3.15	3.01	3.33	2.99
FLA	3.88	4.33	3.85	3.57	3.87	3.57
GA	3.03	2/	3.00	3.00	3.02	3.07
KY	2.90	2/	2.90	2.60	2.90	2.50
MISS	3.21	2/	3.23	3.02	3.33	3.27
N C	2.92	2/	3.01	2.83	2.86	2.90
S C	2.93	2/	2.93	2.99	3.09	2.99
TENN	2.88	2/	2.88	2.90	2.90	3.00
REGION IV	3.23	3.19	3.23	3.10	3.30	3.17
ILL	3.52	2/	3.52	3.85	3.85	3.85
IND	3.34	2/	3.34	3.54	3.72	3.69
MICH	3.75	4.50	3.47	3.68	3.45	3.65
MINN	3.64	2/	3.64	3.90	3.85	3.95
OHIO	3.90	2/	3.90	3.54	4.00	3.28
WIS	2.84	2/	2.83	3.32	3.34	3.66
REGION V	3.41	4.12	3.37	3.67	3.72	3.73
ARK	2.93	2/	2.93	3.00	3.10	2.95
LA	3.24	2/	3.22	3.15	3.30	3.16
N MEX	3.01	2/	3.01	3.23	3.04	3.28
OKLA	3.40	2/	3.40	3.65	3.52	3.37
TEX	3.28	2/	3.27	3.30	3.46	3.27
REGION VI	3.22	3.55	3.21	3.25	3.35	3.20
IOWA	3.42	2/	3.43	3.49	3.27	3.41
KANS	3.60	2/	3.60	3.52	4.00	3.73
MO	3.13	2/	3.13	3.10	3.26	3.32
NEBR	3.36	2/	3.36	3.74	3.78	3.50
REGION VII	3.39	3.07	3.40	3.40	3.50	3.48
COLO	3.30	2/	3.26	3.29	3.20	3.11
MONT	2.93	2/	2.93	3.50	3.50	3.55
N DAK	3.88	2/	3.88	4.20	4.10	4.10
S DAK	3.01	2/	3.01	3.16	3.20	3.20
UTAH	3.45	2/	3.42	3.30	3.80	3.55
WYO	3.32	2/	3.32	3.85	3.97	3.84
REGION VIII	3.30	3.79	3.28	3.63	3.56	3.58
ARIZ	3.44	2/	3.44	3.30	3.55	3.35
CALIF	4.37	5.60	4.26	4.01	4.21	3.93
HAW	5.26	2/	5.26	5.10	4.50	4.40
NEV	2.82	2/	2.82	3.50	3.60	3.90
REGION IX	4.34	5.58	4.23	4.01	4.20	3.92
IDAHO	3.70	3.94	3.68	3.50	3.81	3.48
OREG	3.53	4.35	3.39	3.49	3.46	3.44
WASH	4.37	4.58	4.14	4.07	4.21	4.00
REGION X	4.03	4.52	3.77	3.75	3.98	3.70
U S (49 STS)	3.57	4.32	3.51	3.56	3.72	3.58

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FARM WAGE RATES - TYPE OF WORK PERFORMED						
STATE AND REGION	FIELD WORKERS	LIVESTOCK WORKERS	PACKINGHOUSE WORKERS	MACHINE OPERATORS	SUPERVISORS	OTHER AGRICULTURAL WORKERS
DOLLARS PER HOUR						
REGION I 1/	3.37	2.72	2/	2/	5.14	2/
N J	3.37	3.20	2.92	2/	5.05	3.71
N Y	3.00	2.35	3.00	3.25	2/	2/
REGION II	3.11	2.46	2.99	3.32	5.02	3.38
DEL	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
MD	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
PA	2.97	2.99	2/	2/	2/	2/
VA	3.30	3.10	3.50	2.95	4.97	2/
W VA	2.45	2.45	2/	2/	2/	2/
REGION III	2.98	3.00	3.38	3.15	5.26	3.23
ALA	2.92	3.12	2/	3.00	2/	2/
FLA	3.50	3.40	3.57	3.77	5.67	4.89
GA	2.85	3.00	2/	2.78	2/	2/
KY	2.52	2.93	2/	2/	5.78	2/
MISS	2.70	2.95	2/	2.91	5.14	2/
N C	2.48	3.12	2/	3.15	2/	3.10
S C	2.87	2.88	2/	2.62	2/	2/
TENN	2.85	2.85	2/	2.90	2/	2/
REGION IV	2.95	3.09	3.26	3.04	5.08	3.99
ILL	3.10	3.35	2/	3.59	5.75	2/
IND	2.90	3.15	3.67	3.40	2/	2/
MICH	4.00	3.28	2/	3.60	2/	2/
MINN	3.12	2.75	2/	3.80	2/	2/
OHIO	3.49	3.60	2/	3.52	5.83	2/
WIS	2.87	2.56	2/	2/	4.82	2/
REGION V	3.26	2.88	3.43	3.62	5.52	3.60
ARK	2.70	2.94	2/	2.98	2/	3.20
LA	3.07	3.35	2/	3.16	2/	2/
N MEX	2.80	2.94	2/	2.85	5.00	2/
OKLA	2.84	2/	2/	3.27	2/	2/
TEX	3.00	3.10	2/	2.99	5.25	3.46
REGION VI	2.93	3.05	2.95	3.05	4.86	3.49
IOWA	3.32	3.00	2/	3.24	2/	2/
KANS	3.65	3.57	2/	3.40	2/	2/
MO	2.92	3.05	2/	3.10	2/	2/
NEBR	3.30	3.18	2/	3.23	4.57	2/
REGION VII	3.33	3.19	3.35	3.24	5.59	3.87
COLO	3.12	2.88	3.01	3.42	5.81	3.00
MONT	3.01	2.50	2/	2/	2/	2/
N DAK	2/	2/	2/	3.90	2/	2/
S DAK	3.01	2.70	2/	3.20	2/	2/
UTAH	3.75	2.96	2/	2/	4.93	2/
WYO	2.92	2.90	2/	2.90	4.35	3.83
REGION VIII	3.08	2.77	3.16	3.50	4.71	3.26
ARIZ	3.23	3.03	2/	3.33	5.25	2/
CALIF	4.18	3.85	3.95	4.41	5.83	2/
HAW	4.50	2/	2/	6.03	7.17	5.83
NEV	2.65	2.50	2/	2/	2/	2/
REGION IX	4.15	3.74	3.94	4.40	5.83	5.05
IDAHO	3.53	3.16	3.52	3.81	5.15	2/
OREG	3.50	2.91	2/	3.86	2/	2/
WASH	4.42	3.82	3.95	3.85	5.35	4.76
REGION X	4.11	3.21	3.64	3.83	5.20	4.05
U S (49 STS):	3.53	3.04	3.50	3.52	5.35	3.79

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STATE AND REGION	FARM WAGE RATES - METHOD OF PAY					
	ALL HIRED FARM WORKERS	BY PIECE-RATE	BY OTHER THAN PIECE-RATE	BY HOUR ONLY	BY CASH WAGES ONLY	BY HOUR RECEIVING CASH WAGES ONLY
	DOLLARS PER HOUR					
REGION I 1/	3.00	2/	3.00	3.34	3.41	3.40
N J	3.60	2/	3.56	3.47	3.75	3.56
N Y	2.86	2/	2.85	3.06	3.21	3.16
REGION II	3.07	4.19	3.05	3.22	3.54	3.34
DEL	3.74	2/	3.71	3.57	3.92	2/
MD	3.65	2/	3.65	3.50	3.90	3.55
PA	3.11	3.08	3.11	3.40	3.42	3.44
VA	3.14	2/	3.14	3.09	3.22	3.08
W VA	2.60	2/	2.57	3.02	2.99	2.96
REGION III	3.19	3.44	3.19	3.30	3.43	3.32
ALA	3.39	2/	3.39	3.19	3.47	3.31
FLA	3.97	4.68	3.92	3.67	4.10	3.67
GA	3.05	2/	3.05	3.23	3.06	3.18
KY	3.22	2/	3.20	2.99	3.30	2.89
MISS	3.25	2/	3.25	3.14	3.13	3.11
N C	2.98	2/	2.98	3.01	3.06	3.12
S C	2.95	2/	2.95	3.08	2.93	3.14
TENN	3.24	2/	3.24	3.22	3.16	3.20
REGION IV	3.24	3.79	3.23	3.17	3.24	3.21
ILL	3.88	2/	3.88	3.72	3.91	3.69
IND	3.34	2/	3.34	3.40	3.48	3.28
MICH	3.65	3.46	3.68	3.51	3.65	3.62
MINN	3.38	2/	3.37	3.55	3.87	3.75
OHIO	3.67	2/	3.68	3.90	4.00	4.05
WIS	2.86	2/	2.86	3.15	3.21	3.43
REGION V	3.41	3.45	3.41	3.55	3.70	3.66
ARK	3.26	2/	3.26	3.16	3.27	3.19
LA	3.41	2/	3.41	3.36	3.27	3.29
N MEX	2.92	2/	2.92	3.25	3.11	3.05
OKLA	3.76	2/	3.67	3.77	3.86	3.77
TEX	3.08	2/	3.06	3.08	3.29	3.22
REGION VI	3.21	4.46	3.19	3.19	3.34	3.24
IOWA	3.65	2/	3.65	3.51	3.58	3.46
KANS	3.70	2/	3.70	3.83	4.25	3.76
MO	3.41	2/	3.37	3.31	3.74	3.66
NEBR	3.55	2/	3.52	3.59	3.66	3.50
REGION VII	3.60	3.75	3.58	3.58	3.76	3.58
COLO	3.30	2/	3.30	3.40	3.38	3.35
MONT	2.67	2/	2.64	3.28	3.34	2/
N DAK	3.73	2/	3.55	3.74	4.05	3.94
S DAK	3.09	2/	3.09	3.50	4.00	4.00
UTAH	3.88	2/	3.89	3.75	4.26	4.00
WYO	2.83	2/	2.83	3.43	3.38	3.53
REGION VIII	3.27	3.93	3.19	3.50	3.73	3.64
ARIZ	3.68	2/	3.68	3.65	3.79	3.57
CALIF	4.42	5.00	4.33	4.00	4.42	4.06
HAW	5.48	2/	5.48	5.26	5.55	5.45
NEV	3.09	2/	3.10	4.10	4.00	4.05
REGION IX	4.40	5.00	4.32	4.04	4.42	4.07
IDAHO	3.49	3.70	3.45	3.60	3.75	3.60
OREG	3.58	3.45	3.63	3.89	3.72	3.98
WASH	3.86	3.91	3.85	3.78	4.02	3.92
REGION X	3.69	3.69	3.69	3.78	3.87	3.90
U S (49 STS):	3.54	4.18	3.49	3.53	3.74	3.62

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FARM WAGE RATES - TYPE OF WORK PERFORMED						
STATE AND REGION	FIELD WORKERS	LIVESTOCK WORKERS	PACKINGHOUSE WORKERS	MACHINE OPERATORS	SUPERVISORS	OTHER AGRICULTURAL WORKERS
DOLLARS PER HOUR						
REGION I 1/	2.87	2.71	2/	2/	5.28	3.88
N J	3.42	3.50	2/	4.30	2/	2/
N Y	2.75	2.68	2/	2/	2/	2/
REGION II	2.95	2.79	3.17	3.73	5.32	4.06
DEL	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
MD	3.58	3.20	2/	2/	2/	2/
PA	2.83	3.05	2/	2/	2/	3.77
VA	3.06	2.95	2/	2.93	2/	3.68
W VA	2.31	2.81	2/	2/	2/	2.87
REGION III	2.96	3.08	3.34	3.30	4.78	3.71
ALA	3.03	2.98	2/	3.68	2/	2/
FLA	3.66	3.68	2/	3.76	6.00	4.57
GA	2.74	3.09	2/	3.00	2/	2/
KY	2.93	3.30	2/	3.00	2/	4.11
MISS	3.11	3.18	2/	3.15	2/	2/
N C	2.85	3.08	2/	2.97	2/	2/
S C	2.77	2/	2/	3.22	2/	2/
TENN	3.20	3.10	2/	3.30	2/	2/
REGION IV	3.02	3.21	3.11	3.23	5.10	3.73
ILL	3.79	3.33	2/	4.25	5.95	2/
IND	3.07	3.20	2/	3.58	2/	2/
MICH	3.45	3.35	2/	4.08	5.40	2/
MINN	3.30	2.90	2/	3.68	2/	2/
OHIO	3.55	3.40	2/	3.76	2/	2/
WIS	2.71	2.58	2/	2/	2/	2/
REGION V	3.36	2.89	3.28	3.73	5.46	4.18
ARK	3.05	3.26	2/	3.40	4.33	3.43
LA	3.17	3.38	2/	3.41	2/	2/
N MEX	2.78	2.50	2/	3.50	2/	2/
OKLA	3.84	3.75	2/	3.70	2/	2/
TEX	3.00	2.92	2/	3.10	5.16	3.86
REGION VI	3.07	3.03	3.12	3.34	4.99	3.59
IOWA	3.33	3.56	2/	3.31	2/	2/
KANS	3.48	3.70	2/	3.75	2/	2/
MO	3.51	3.62	2/	3.50	2/	2/
NEBR	3.34	3.55	2/	3.49	2/	2/
REGION VII	3.39	3.59	3.76	3.61	5.75	4.37
COLO	2.99	3.00	2/	2/	2/	2/
MONT	2.59	2.67	2/	2.54	2/	2/
N DAK	3.98	2/	2/	3.52	2/	2/
S DAK	3.00	3.04	2/	3.13	2/	2/
UTAH	4.04	3.57	2/	2/	2/	2/
WYO	2.75	2.70	2/	2.80	2/	2.50
REGION VIII	3.27	2.99	3.43	3.27	4.47	3.32
ARIZ	3.42	3.05	2/	4.00	5.24	2/
CALIF	4.12	4.50	2/	4.50	5.93	2/
HAW	4.78	5.07	2/	6.20	7.92	6.06
NEV	2.85	2.80	2/	3.50	4.50	2/
REGION IX	4.09	4.37	4.49	4.52	5.95	4.93
IDAHO	3.34	3.25	2/	3.82	5.29	4.00
OREG	3.33	3.27	2/	4.39	4.84	4.39
WASH	3.74	3.90	2/	3.75	2/	2/
REGION X	3.53	3.47	3.89	3.98	5.44	4.20
U S (49 STS):	3.38	3.22	3.57	3.60	5.45	4.05

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	ALL HIRED FARM WORKERS	BY PIECE-RATE	BY OTHER THAN PIECE-RATE	BY HOUR ONLY	BY CASH WAGES ONLY	BY HOUR RECEIVING CASH WAGES ONLY
DOLLARS PER HOUR						
REGION I 1/	3.20	2/	3.19	3.68	3.37	3.59
N J	3.85	2/	3.67	3.43	3.90	3.74
N Y	3.54	2/	3.39	3.50	3.60	3.45
REGION II	3.60	4.37	3.45	3.48	3.68	3.52
DEL	3.85	2/	3.85	3.62	3.83	2/
MD	3.70	2/	3.70	3.44	3.48	3.30
PA	3.70	2/	3.69	3.85	3.47	3.59
VA	3.57	2/	3.46	3.33	3.61	3.38
W VA	3.30	2/	3.28	3.44	3.33	3.36
REGION III	3.64	4.60	3.59	3.61	3.50	3.48
ALA	3.57	2/	3.54	3.42	3.79	3.47
FLA	4.13	4.42	4.10	3.72	4.12	3.76
GA	3.09	2/	3.06	3.09	3.22	3.09
KY	3.35	2/	3.38	3.48	3.20	3.54
MISS	3.33	2/	3.33	3.30	3.51	3.44
N C	3.46	2/	3.48	3.47	3.46	3.52
S C	3.10	2/	3.09	3.15	3.02	3.08
TENN	3.20	2/	3.19	3.09	3.07	3.19
REGION IV	3.51	3.85	3.49	3.44	3.60	3.52
ILL	3.82	2/	3.82	3.86	3.91	3.88
IND	3.70	2/	3.70	3.80	4.01	3.75
MICH	4.00	2/	4.04	3.94	3.94	4.10
MINN	3.68	2/	3.68	4.03	4.33	4.29
OHIO	3.70	2/	3.74	3.73	3.66	3.65
WIS	3.00	2/	3.00	3.26	3.30	3.62
REGION V	3.58	3.84	3.55	3.75	3.68	3.85
ARK	3.51	2/	3.51	3.26	3.63	3.33
LA	3.45	2/	3.45	3.51	3.57	3.45
N MEX	3.39	2/	3.30	3.14	3.45	3.13
OKLA	3.66	2/	3.66	3.54	3.68	3.54
TEX	3.36	2/	3.32	3.28	3.51	3.32
REGION VI	3.45	4.92	3.43	3.36	3.58	3.38
IOWA	3.75	2/	3.75	3.70	3.95	3.80
KANS	3.73	2/	3.73	3.87	4.10	3.90
MO	3.90	2/	3.88	3.89	4.10	3.93
NEBR	3.37	2/	3.37	3.88	3.80	3.70
REGION VII	3.67	4.49	3.67	3.82	4.03	3.87
COLO	3.80	2/	3.79	3.76	3.74	3.70
MONT	3.17	2/	3.17	4.00	3.80	4.10
N DAK	4.19	2/	4.19	4.35	4.50	4.40
S DAK	3.34	2/	3.34	3.61	3.65	3.80
UTAH	3.94	2/	3.94	4.04	4.11	4.09
WYO	3.20	2/	3.20	3.50	3.40	4.01
REGION VIII	3.72	4.02	3.72	3.99	3.97	4.03
ARIZ	3.65	2/	3.65	3.54	3.88	3.55
CALIF	4.89	6.56	4.47	4.30	4.67	4.29
HAW	5.83	2/	5.81	5.54	5.13	5.03
NEV	3.22	2/	3.22	4.04	4.10	4.10
REGION IX	4.82	6.55	4.44	4.32	4.63	4.26
IDAHO	3.86	2/	3.81	3.76	4.15	3.79
OREG	3.68	2/	3.65	4.03	4.06	4.04
WASH	4.96	2/	4.74	4.58	4.80	4.50
REGION X	4.36	5.28	4.17	4.22	4.45	4.18
U S (49 STS):	3.85	5.16	3.72	3.81	3.92	3.83

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FARM WAGE RATES - TYPE OF WORK PERFORMED						
STATE AND REGION	FIELD WORKERS	LIVESTOCK WORKERS	PACKINGHOUSE WORKERS	MACHINE OPERATORS	SUPERVISORS	OTHER AGRICULTURAL WORKERS
DOLLARS PER HOUR						
REGION I 1/	3.00	2.60	2/	2/	5.10	2/
N J	3.55	3.60	2/	2/	2/	2/
N Y	3.35	3.31	2/	2/	2/	2/
REGION II	3.39	3.36	3.44	3.70	5.71	4.36
DEL	3.67	3.40	2/	2/	2/	2/
MD	3.56	3.51	2/	2/	2/	2/
PA	3.50	3.35	2/	2/	2/	2/
VA	3.42	3.43	3.40	3.41	2/	2/
W VA	3.35	2.89	3.24	3.92	2/	2/
REGION III	3.48	3.40	3.67	3.74	5.69	4.30
ALA	3.21	3.36	2/	3.61	2/	2/
FLA	3.72	4.00	4.04	3.86	6.28	4.94
GA	2.74	2.87	2/	3.09	2/	2/
KY	3.20	3.30	2/	3.50	2/	2/
MISS	3.26	3.21	2/	3.28	2/	2/
N C	3.10	3.65	2/	3.60	2/	2/
S C	2.95	2.99	2/	3.33	2/	2/
TENN	3.17	3.10	2/	3.20	2/	2/
REGION IV	3.29	3.38	3.23	3.39	5.71	4.06
ILL	3.72	3.25	2/	3.83	5.80	2/
IND	3.26	3.50	2/	3.47	5.67	2/
MICH	4.13	3.52	2/	4.00	2/	2/
MINN	3.65	3.05	2/	3.80	2/	2/
OHIO	3.58	3.57	2/	3.43	2/	2/
WIS	2.79	2.64	2/	2/	5.00	2/
REGION V	3.57	3.11	3.53	3.67	5.27	4.12
ARK	3.45	3.35	2/	3.48	5.10	3.60
LA	3.09	3.50	2/	3.52	2/	2/
N MEX	3.24	3.35	2/	3.64	2/	2/
OKLA	3.44	3.68	2/	3.56	6.14	2/
TEX	3.20	3.12	2/	3.27	5.93	3.93
REGION VI	3.28	3.32	3.34	3.42	5.72	3.75
IOWA	3.61	3.66	2/	3.73	2/	2/
KANS	3.62	3.51	2/	3.53	2/	2/
MO	3.55	3.25	2/	3.55	2/	2/
NEBR	3.25	3.37	2/	3.50	5.29	2/
REGION VII	3.47	3.46	3.73	3.63	5.83	4.02
COLO	3.20	3.25	2/	4.10	2/	2/
MONT	3.21	3.10	2/	3.20	2/	2/
N DAK	3.80	3.24	2/	4.50	2/	2/
S DAK	3.00	3.24	2/	3.64	2/	2/
UTAH	4.08	3.45	2/	2/	2/	2/
WYO	3.03	3.22	2/	3.34	4.36	2/
REGION VIII	3.64	3.25	3.80	4.17	5.86	3.66
ARIZ	3.38	3.08	2/	3.81	5.57	2/
CALIF	4.87	4.11	2/	4.98	6.40	2/
HAW	4.94	4.98	2/	6.88	8.49	6.13
NEV	3.15	3.00	2/	3.50	4.50	2/
REGION IX	4.73	3.94	5.02	4.96	6.42	5.43
IDAHO	3.54	3.53	2/	2/	5.65	2/
OREG	3.51	3.14	2/	4.14	2/	2/
WASH	4.92	4.82	2/	2/	2/	2/
REGION X	4.29	3.90	4.10	4.50	6.42	4.38
U S (49 STS)	3.82	3.40	3.68	3.82	5.79	4.21

1/ REGION I: CONN, MAINE, MASS, N H, R I AND VT. 2/ INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR THIS CATEGORY - DATA INCLUDED IN ALL HIRED FARM WORKERS AND IN U S WAGE RATES.

AGRICULTURAL SERVICE FIRMS: NUMBER OF HIRED WORKERS, AVERAGE HOURS WORKED FOR ALL HIRED WORKERS, WAGE RATE BY TYPE OF WORK, OCTOBER 12-18, 1980, WITH COMPARISONS, FOR CALIFORNIA, FLORIDA, AND UNITED STATES 1/ 2/

ITEM	JUL 6-12, 1980			OCT 12-18, 1980		
	CALIF	FLA	U S	CALIF	FLA	U S
NUMBER OF WORKERS (000)						
ALL HIRED	36	5	67	45	6	67
AVERAGE HOURS WORKED						
ALL HIRED WORKERS	38.1	40.4	5/	34.9	30.9	5/
WAGE RATES (DOLLARS AND CENTS)						
BY TYPE OF WORKERS						
ALL HIRED	6/4.67	4.61	5/	5.37	4.65	5/
PIECE-RATE	6/5.89	5.52	5/	6.12	4.87	5/
OTHER THAN PIECE-RATE	3.88	4.35	5/	4.73	4.38	5/
HOUR ONLY	3.73	4.05	5/	4.50	3.95	5/
CASH ONLY 3/	4.11	4.59	5/	5.17	4.72	5/
PER HOUR CASH ONLY 4/	3.59	4.06	5/	4.25	4.14	5/
FIELD	6/4.45	4.26	5/	5.17	4.39	5/
MACHINE OPERATORS	5.51	4.34	5/	5.45	4.72	5/
SUPERVISORS	5.97	6.47	5/	6.52	6.50	5/

1/ DATA IN THIS TABLE ARE FOR AGRICULTURAL SERVICE FIRMS ONLY, AND ARE NOT COMBINED WITH FARM LABOR DATA SHOWN IN OTHER TABLES IN THIS PUBLICATION.

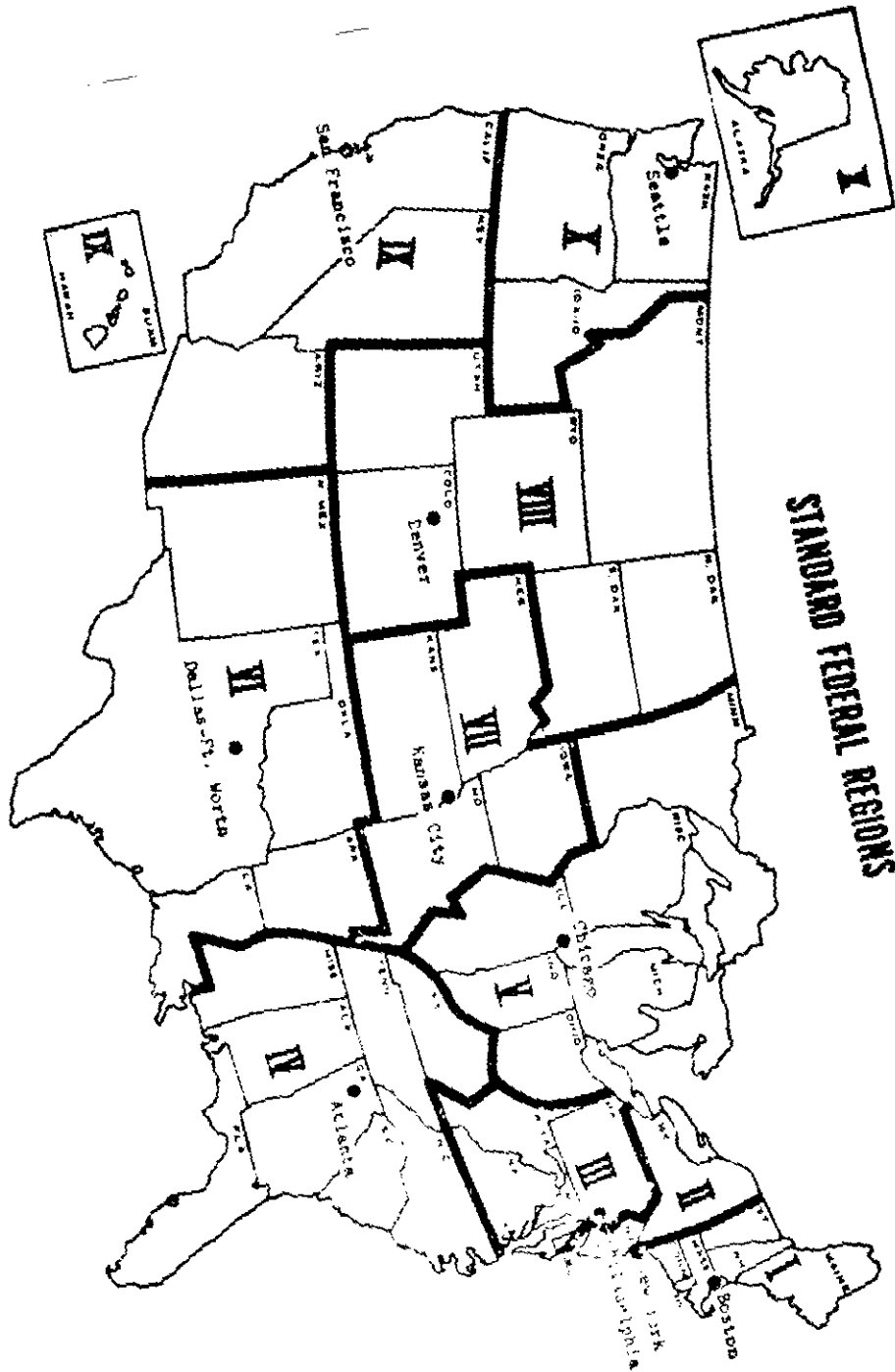
2/ PERQUISITES SUCH AS ROOM AND BOARD, HOUSING ETC., ARE PROVIDED SOME WORKERS IN ALL CATEGORIES, EXCEPT WHERE FOOTNOTED OTHERWISE, IN ADDITION TO WAGE RATES SHOWN.

3/ INCLUDES ALL WORKERS NOT RECEIVING PERQUISITES.

4/ INCLUDES ALL HOURLY WORKERS NOT RECEIVING PERQUISITES.

5/ NOT AVAILABLE.

6/ REVISED.



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