

LABOR & WAGE RATES

WORKERS ON FARMS BY QUARTERS, EASTERN CORNBELT, 2005-2011 1/ 2/

| Year | January | April | July | October |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Thousands | | | | |
| Hired Workers | | | | |
| 2005 | 28 | 41 | 54 | 50 |
| 2006 | 37 | 47 | 55 | 48 |
| 2007 | <u>3/</u> | 47 | 53 | 50 |
| 2008 | 27 | 44 | 44 | 38 |
| 2009 | 26 | 32 | 56 | 47 |
| 2010 | 32 | 45 | 50 | 56 |
| 2011 | 26 | <u>3/</u> | 41 | <u>3/</u> |
| Expected to be Employed 150 Days or More | | | | |
| 2005 | 24 | 30 | 31 | 33 |
| 2006 | 32 | 40 | 33 | 33 |
| 2007 | <u>3/</u> | 38 | 34 | 33 |
| 2008 | 22 | 34 | 33 | 27 |
| 2009 | 24 | 26 | 34 | 29 |
| 2010 | 27 | 29 | 34 | 29 |
| 2011 | 22 | <u>3/</u> | 29 | <u>3/</u> |
| Expected to be Employed 149 Days or Less | | | | |
| 2005 | 4 | 11 | 23 | 17 |
| 2006 | 5 | 7 | 22 | 15 |
| 2007 | <u>3/</u> | 9 | 19 | 17 |
| 2008 | 5 | 10 | 11 | 11 |
| 2009 | 2 | 6 | 22 | 18 |
| 2010 | 5 | 16 | 16 | 27 |
| 2011 | 4 | <u>3/</u> | 12 | <u>3/</u> |
| <p><u>1/</u> Eastern Cornbelt consisted of 212,700 farms for 2010 in Indiana, Illinois, and Ohio. <u>2/</u> Persons employed during the full calendar week including the 12th of the month, excluding Ag Service Workers. <u>3/</u> Data not available.</p> | | | | |

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FARM WAGE RATES ^{1/} EASTERN CORNBELT, 2005-2011 ^{2/}

| Year and Month | Number of Hours Worked | All Hired Workers | Type of Worker | | |
|----------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| | | | Field | Livestock | Field & Livestock |
| | <u>Number</u> | | <u>Dollars per Hour</u> | | |
| 2005 | | | | | |
| January | 33.2 | 10.06 | 9.40 | 8.95 | 9.18 |
| April | 37.7 | 9.51 | 8.84 | 9.17 | 8.91 |
| July | 36.0 | 9.56 | 9.20 | 8.77 | 9.10 |
| October | 42.1 | 10.10 | 9.88 | 8.68 | 9.57 |
| 2006 | | | | | |
| January | 36.1 | 11.33 | 11.79 | 9.51 | 10.55 |
| April | 42.0 | 10.47 | 10.18 | 9.59 | 10.00 |
| July | 34.7 | 10.14 | 9.46 | 9.28 | 9.40 |
| October | 40.5 | 10.63 | 10.12 | 9.04 | 9.75 |
| 2007 | | | | | |
| January | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> |
| April | 42.2 | 10.17 | 9.86 | 9.16 | 9.45 |
| July | 36.0 | 10.20 | 9.22 | 10.32 | 9.57 |
| October | 42.7 | 10.60 | 10.24 | 9.75 | 10.10 |
| 2008 | | | | | |
| January | 34.7 | 11.60 | 10.79 | 10.92 | 10.85 |
| April | 37.5 | 11.43 | 10.32 | 10.73 | 10.45 |
| July | 35.0 | 10.90 | 10.27 | 10.87 | 10.43 |
| October | 37.2 | 10.60 | 10.31 | 10.05 | 10.25 |
| 2009 | | | | | |
| January | 35.5 | 11.90 | 11.85 | 10.85 | 11.30 |
| April | 38.0 | 11.70 | 10.93 | 10.44 | 10.72 |
| July | 36.2 | 10.30 | 9.78 | 9.45 | 9.70 |
| October | 33.6 | 11.17 | 11.30 | 10.51 | 11.00 |
| 2010 | | | | | |
| January | 32.4 | 11.95 | 11.81 | 10.35 | 11.00 |
| April | 34.1 | 11.25 | 11.11 | 9.75 | 10.70 |
| July | 37.4 | 11.20 | 10.57 | 11.17 | 10.75 |
| October | 38.3 | 11.54 | 11.19 | 10.48 | 10.95 |
| 2011 | | | | | |
| January | 37.5 | 13.00 | 11.67 | 11.72 | 11.70 |
| April | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> | <u>3/</u> |
| July | 34.4 | 11.15 | 10.66 | 10.63 | 10.65 |

^{1/} Excludes Ag Service Workers.

^{2/} Eastern Cornbelt region consists of Indiana, Illinois, and Ohio.

^{3/} Data not available.