

OFFICE OF FOREIGN LABOR CERTIFICATION

H-2A Temporary Agricultural Labor Certification Program - Selected Statistics, FY 2019

Applications Received¹

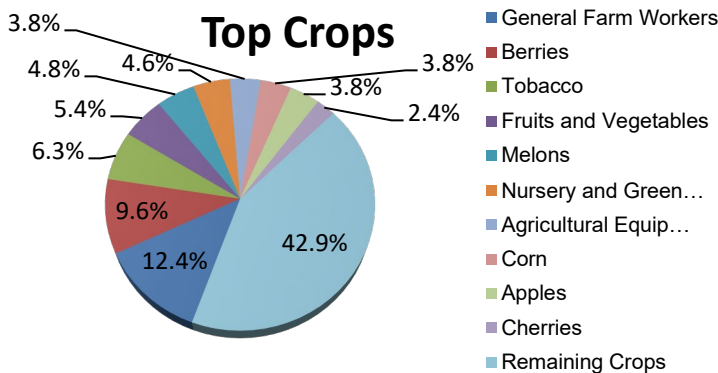
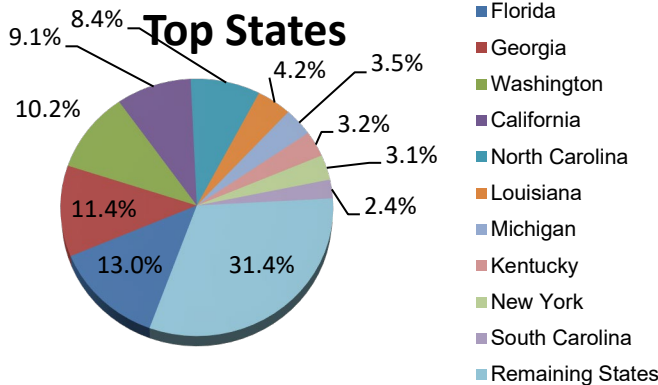
FYTD	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	% Change FY 2018
13,081	3,175	5,380	2,948	1,578	10.8%

Applications Processed³

Determination	FYTD	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Total Determinations	13,095	1,964	5,800	3,357	1,974
- Certified	12,626	1,880	5,660	3,242	1,844
- Denied	211	34	67	53	57
- Withdrawn	258	50	73	62	73
Positions Requested	268,729	36,477	91,161	85,454	55,637
Positions Certified	257,667	35,449	87,868	82,094	52,256
Processed Timely³	86.1%	92.6%	77.5%	85.6%	96.3%

Selected Statistics by Worker Positions Certified

Review of Positions Certified FY 2019 EOY (% of total certified FY 2019 EOY)			
Top 10 States	Florida	33,598	13.0%
	Georgia	29,480	11.4%
	Washington	26,226	10.2%
	California	23,321	9.1%
	North Carolina	21,605	8.4%
	Louisiana	10,816	4.2%
	Michigan	9,096	3.5%
	Kentucky	8,315	3.2%
	New York	8,104	3.1%
	South Carolina	6,082	2.4%
Top 10 Employers	North Carolina Growers Association (NCGA)	11,223	4.4%
	Fresh Harvest, Inc.	4,812	1.9%
	WAFLA	4,369	1.7%
	Zirkle Fruit Company	3,400	1.3%
	Farm-Op Kuzzens H2A, LLC	2,658	1.0%
	Ag Labor, LLC	2,409	0.9%
	Foothill Packing, Inc.	2,398	0.9%
	Overlook Harvesting Co.	2,396	0.9%
	R & R Harvesting, Inc.	2,094	0.8%
	Rancho Nuevo Harvesting	2,024	0.8%
Top 10 Crops/Occupation	General Farm Workers	31,967	12.4%
	Berries ⁴	24,661	9.6%
	Tobacco ⁵	16,252	6.3%
	Fruits and Vegetables ⁶	13,995	5.4%
	Apples ⁷	12,479	4.8%
	Melons ⁸	11,876	4.6%
	Nursery and Greenhouse Workers	9,885	3.8%
	Agricultural Equipment Operators ⁹	9,869	3.8%
	Corn ¹⁰	9,776	3.8%
	Tomatoes	6,252	2.4%



¹Applications Received¹ is derived from data not publicly disclosed.

²Cumulative numbers may not match the numbers on previous reports due to changes in case processing status.

³Percent of complete H-2A applications resolved 30 days before the start date of need. A complete H-2A application is defined as one containing all the documentation (e.g., housing inspection report, workers' compensation, recruitment report) necessary for the OFLC Certifying Officer to issue a final determination 30 days before the start date of need.

⁴Berries Category includes Primary Crops of Berries, Blackberries, Blueberries, Cranberries, Raspberries and Strawberries.

⁵Tobacco Category includes Primary Crops of Air-cured, Burley, Cutting, Flue-cured, Setting, Stripping, and Tobacco.

⁶Fruits and Vegetables Category includes Primary Crops of Fruits, Fruits and Vegetables, and Vegetables.

⁷Apples Category includes Primary Crops of Apple Drops, Apples, and Fuji Apples.

⁸Melons Category includes Primary Crops of Cantaloupes, Melons, and Watermelons.

⁹Agricultural Equipment Operators Category includes Primary Crops of Agricultural Equipment Operator, Custom Combine Harvesters, and Logging.

¹⁰Corn Category includes Primary Crops of Corn, and Sweet Corn.

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H-2A Temporary Agricultural Program – Selected Statistics, Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 Q1-Q3

Applications Received¹

FYTD	Q1 (Oct-Dec)	Q2 (Jan-Mar)	Q3 (Apr-Jun)	Q4 (Jul-Sept)	% Change FY 2019
12,351	3,543	6,128	2,680	--	7.4%

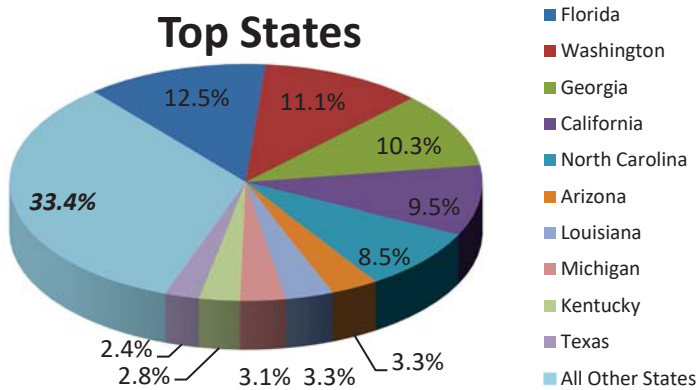
Applications Processed

Determination	FYTD	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Total Processed	12,019	2,102	6,819	3,098	--
- Certified	11,611	1,990	6,652	2,969	--
- Denied	193	53	75	65	--
- Withdrawn	215	59	92	64	--
Positions Requested	232,362	43,063	99,933	89,366	--
Positions Certified	224,290	40,832	97,341	86,117	--
Processed Timely²	96.7%	97.8%	96.8%	95.9%	--

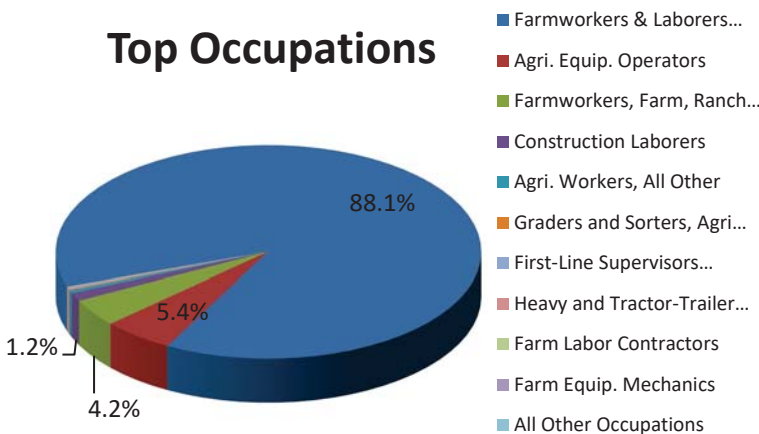
Review of Positions Certified FY 2020 YTD (% of total certified FY 2020 YTD)

Top 10 States of Employment	Florida	28,005	12.5%
	Washington	24,785	11.1%
	Georgia	23,072	10.3%
	California	21,337	9.5%
	North Carolina	19,050	8.5%
	Arizona	7,327	3.3%
	Louisiana	7,296	3.3%
	Michigan	7,032	3.1%
	Kentucky	6,266	2.8%
	Texas	5,281	2.4%
Top 10 Occupations (based on SOC Codes)	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop	197,644	88.2%
	Agri. Equip. Operators	12,202	5.4%
	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, & Aqua. Animal	9,357	4.2%
	Construction Laborers	2,778	1.2%
	Agri. Workers, All Other	976	0.4%
	Graders and Sorters, Agri. Products	339	0.2%
	First-Line Supervisors of Agricultural Crop and Horticultural Workers	309	0.1%
	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	306	0.1%
	Farm Labor Contractors	102	0.05%
	Farm Equip. Mechanics	73	0.03%
Top 10 Employers³ (based on unique FEINs)	North Carolina Grower's Assoc., Inc.	9,448	4.2%
	Fresh Harvest Incorporated	4,732	2.1%
	WAFLA	4,157	1.9%
	Zirkle Fruit Company	3,006	1.3%
	Foothill Packing, Inc.	2,533	1.1%
	Overlook Harvesting Company, LLC	2,419	1.1%
	TempLabor, LLC	2,252	1.0%
	R&R Harvesting, Inc.	2,131	1.0%
	Rancho Nuevo Harvesting, Inc.	2,105	0.9%
	Elkhorn Packing, Co., LLC	1,856	0.8%

Top States



Top Occupations



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H-2A Temporary Agricultural Program – Selected Statistics, Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Q1

Applications Received¹

FYTD	Q1 (Oct-Dec)	Q2 (Jan-Mar)	Q3 (Apr-Jun)	Q4 (Jul-Sept)	% Change FY 2020
4,556	4,556	--	--	--	28.5%

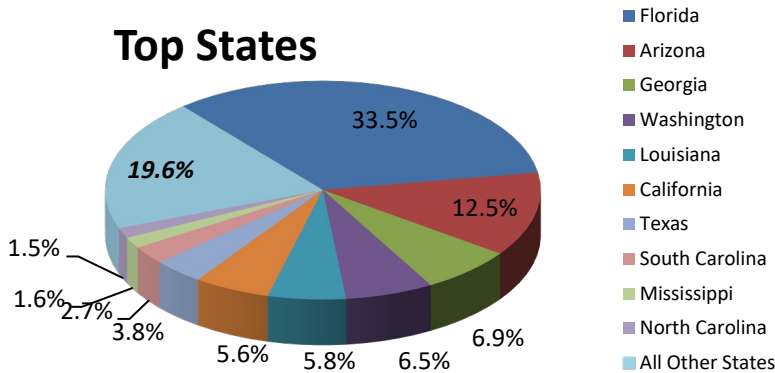
Applications Processed

Determination	FYTD	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Total Processed	2,720	2,720	--	--	--
- Certified	2,570	2,570	--	--	--
- Denied	71	71	--	--	--
- Withdrawn	79	79	--	--	--
Positions Requested	51,181	51,181	--	--	--
Positions Certified	48,929	48,929	--	--	--
Processed Timely²	97.6%	97.6%	--	--	--

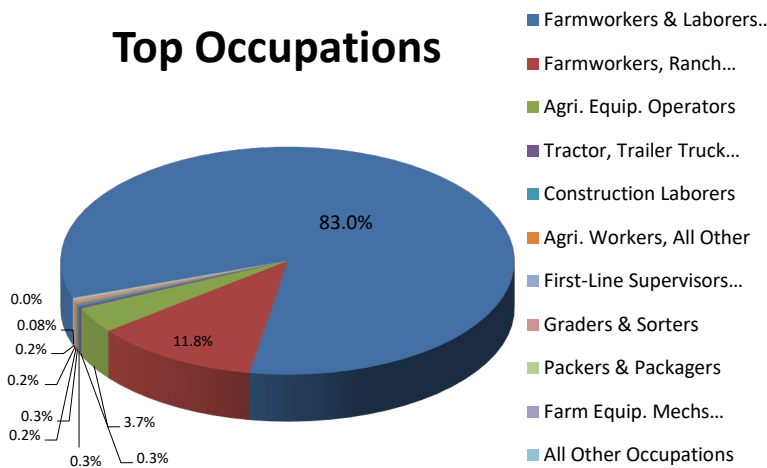
Review of Positions Certified FY 2021 Q1 (% of total certified FY 2021 Q1)

Top 10 States of Employment	Florida	16,435	33.6%
	Arizona	6,101	12.5%
	Georgia	3,366	6.9%
	Washington	3,205	6.6%
	Louisiana	2,831	5.8%
	California	2,765	5.7%
	Texas	1,843	3.8%
	South Carolina	1,315	2.7%
	Mississippi	801	1.6%
	North Carolina	744	1.5%
Top 10 Occupations (based on SOC Codes)	Farmers and Laborers, Crop	40,583	82.9%
	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, and Aqua	5,747	11.7%
	Agri. Equip. Operators	1,792	3.7%
	Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	162	0.3%
	Construction Laborers	158	0.3%
	Agri. Workers, All Other	140	0.3%
	First-Line Supervisors of Agri. Crop & Horticultural Workers	100	0.2%
	Graders & Sorters, Agri. Products	87	0.2%
	Packers & Packagers, Hand	80	0.2%
	Farm Equipment Mechs. & Service Techs	40	0.1%
Top 10 Employers³ (based on unique FEINs)	Fresh Harvest, Inc.	1,702	3.5%
	Foothill Packing, Inc.	1,473	3.0%
	Temp.Labor, LLC	1,376	2.8%
	Overlook Harvesting Company, LLC	842	1.7%
	Tanimura & Antle Fresh Foods, Inc.	800	1.6%
	Ag Labor, LLC	661	1.4%
	The Growers Company, Inc.	641	1.3%
	Citrus Harvesting, Inc.	620	1.3%
	Everglades Harvesting, Inc.	600	1.2%
	Statewide Harvesting & Hauling, LLC	586	1.2%

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