

OFFICE OF FOREIGN LABOR CERTIFICATION

H-2A Temporary Agricultural Program – Selected Statistics, Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Q1

Applications Received¹

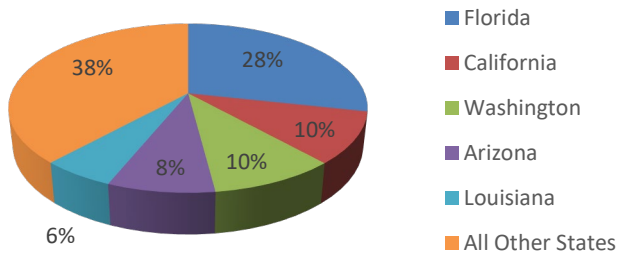
FY22	Q1 (Oct-Dec)	Q2 (Jan-Mar)	Q3 (Apr-Jun)	Q4 (Jul-Sept)	% Change FY 2022
5,863	5,863	--	--	--	5.4%

Applications Processed

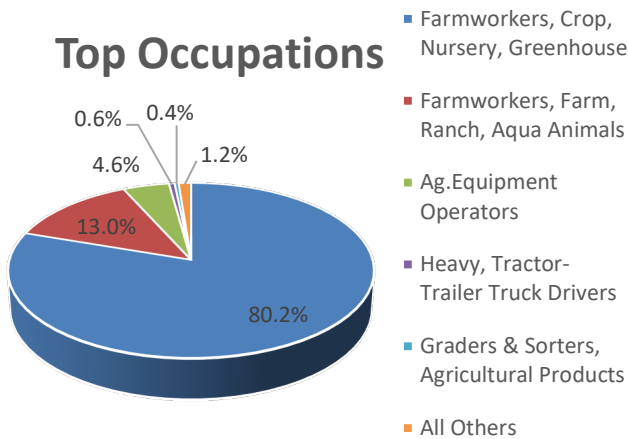
Determination	FY22	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Total Processed	3,254	3,254	--	--	--
- Certified	3,166	3,166	--	--	--
- Denied	23	23	--	--	--
- Withdrawn	65	65	--	--	--
Positions Requested	55,801	55,801	--	--	--
Positions Certified	55,036	55,036	--	--	--
Processed Timely²	98.8%	98.8%	--	--	--

Review of Positions Certified FY 2023 Q1 (% of total certified FY 2023 Q1)			
Top 10 States of Employment	Florida	15,616	28.4%
	California	5,415	9.8%
	Washington	5,383	9.8%
	Arizona	4,527	8.2%
	Louisiana	3,097	5.6%
	Texas	2,817	5.1%
	Georgia	2,476	4.5%
	South Carolina	1,504	2.7%
	North Carolina	1,231	2.2%
	Arkansas	1,122	2.0%
Top 10 Occupations (based on SOC Codes)	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery Greenhouse	44,142	80.2%
	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, and Aquacultural Animals	7,186	13.1%
	Ag. Equip. Operators	2,524	4.6%
	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	309	0.6%
	Graders and Sorters	217	0.4%
	Construction Laborers	146	0.3%
	Farm Equip. Mechanics and Service Technicians	105	0.2%
	Ag. Workers, All Other	72	0.1%
	Iron & Rebar Workers	68	0.1%
	First-Line Supervisors of Ag. Crop and Hort. Workers	59	0.1%
Top 10 Employers³ (based on unique FEINs)	Stemilt Ag Services, LLC	1,567	2.8%
	Fresh Harvest, Inc.	1,179	2.1%
	Foothill Packing, Inc.	999	1.8%
	Ag Labor, LLC	995	1.8%
	Elkhorn Packing Co.	965	1.8%
	Florida Pacific Farms, LLC #3	857	1.6%
	Tanimura & Antle Fresh Foods, Inc.	822	1.5%
	Statewide Harvesting & Hauling, Inc.	709	1.3%
	Dunson Harvesting, Inc.	697	1.3%
	Citrus Harvesting, Inc.	651	1.2%

Top States



Top Occupations



¹Includes all applications submitted for processing during the reporting period.

²Percentage of complete applications resolved no later than 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 OFLC to issue a final determination no later than 30 days before the start date of need.

³All calculations are aggregated based on the unique FEIN submitted by the employer. Multiple appearances of the same employer name may occur when associated with multiple FEINs.