

OFFICE OF FOREIGN LABOR CERTIFICATION

H-2A Temporary Agricultural Program – Selected Statistics, Fiscal Year (FY) 2024 Q1

Applications Received¹

FY24	Q1 (Oct-Dec)	Q2 (Jan – Mar)	Q3 (Apr-Jun)	Q4 (Jul-Sept)	% Change FY 2023
7,257	7,257	--	--	--	23.8%

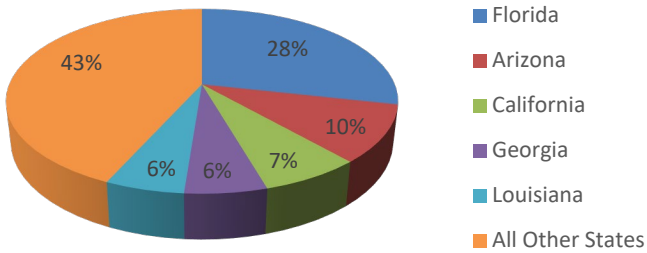
Applications Processed

Determination	FY24	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Total Processed	3,889	3,889	--	--	--
- Certified	3,790	3,790	--	--	--
- Denied	30	30	--	--	--
- Withdrawn	69	69	--	--	--
Positions Requested	54,275	54,275	--	--	--
Positions Certified	53,090	53,090	--	--	--
Processed Timely²	99.2%	99.2%	--	--	--

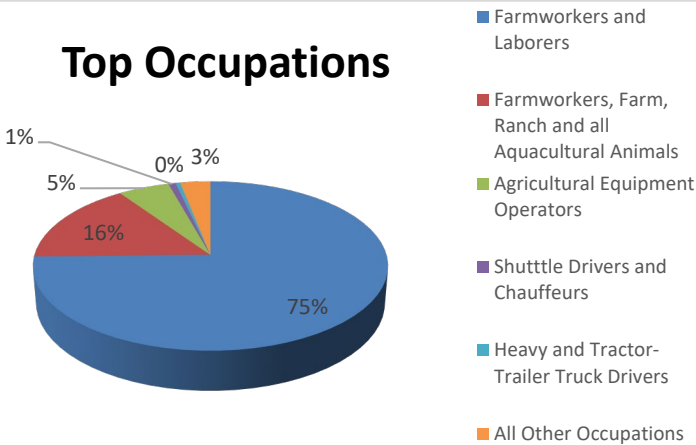
Review of Positions Certified FY 2024 (% of total certified FY 2024)

Top 10 States of Employment	Florida	15,116	28.5%
	Arizona	5,304	10.0%
	California	3,735	7.0%
	Georgia	3,034	5.7%
	Louisiana	2,936	5.5%
	Texas	2,515	4.7%
	Washington	2,315	4.4%
	Arkansas	2,045	3.9%
	Michigan	1,280	2.4%
	South Carolina	1,109	2.1%
Top 10 Occupations (based on SOC Codes)	Farmworkers & Laborers, Crop, Nursery, & Greenhouse	39,860	75.1%
	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, & Aqua Animals	8,342	15.7%
	Ag. Equip. Operators	2,823	5.3%
	Shuttle Drivers and Chauffeurs	404	0.8%
	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	255	0.5%
	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse	230	0.4%
	Graders and Sorters, Agricultural Products	203	0.4%
	First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers	96	0.2%
	Farm Equipment Mechanics and Service Technicians	90	0.2%
	Construction Laborers	78	0.1%
Top 10 Employers³ (based on unique FEINs)	Foothill Packing, Inc.	1,396	2.6%
	Fresh Harvest, Inc.	1,279	2.4%
	Elkhorn Packing Co. LLC	955	1.8%
	Altman Specialty Plants, LLC	859	1.6%
	Florida Pacific Farms, LLC	808	1.5%
	Dunson Harvesting, Inc.	698	1.3%
	Everglades Harvesting, Inc.	680	1.3%
	Empire Farm Labor Contractor LLC	626	1.2%
	Agrico Labor LLC	614	1.2%
	Citrus Harvesting, Inc.	572	1.1%

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.