



WHO ARE U.S. FARMWORKERS? 2019 - 2020 NAWS REPORT

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WHO WORKS ON U.S. FARMS?

78%

of all U.S. farmworkers are Hispanic or Latino

62%

identified Spanish as their primary language

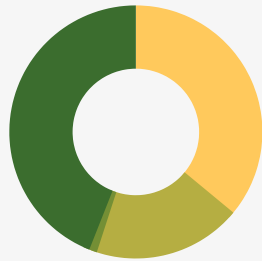
85%

foreign-born farmworkers entered U.S. more than 10 years ago



Immigration Status

**Undocumented
44%**



**U.S. Citizens
36%**

**Permanent Residents
19%**

Birthplace Breakdown

62% of U.S. farmworkers were born in Mexico; 30% born in the U.S. or Puerto Rico; 5% from Central America

10%

of farmworkers self-identify as indigenous

41 yrs

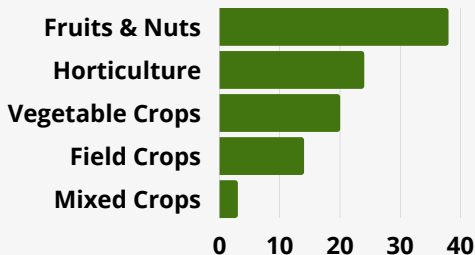
The average age of farmworkers

9th grade

The average level of formal education completed by farmworkers

FARM LABOR AND BENEFITS

Type of farm work



52%

reported not having health insurance

20%

live below the federal poverty line

Reference: Findings from the National Agricultural Workers Survey (NAWS) available at www.dol.gov.
The NAWS does not survey farmworkers on H-2A temporary agricultural work visas.