

THE WORKS PROGRAM

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--Works Progress Administration--

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Works Program Employment Figures Announced.

Harry L. Hopkins, Works Progress Administrator, today announced a total of 2,009,339 persons employed under the Works Program as of November 9, including 1,267,572 on Works Progress Administration projects, 561,403 in the Civilian Conservation Corps, and 180,364 on other Federal projects.

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Note: A tabulation of employment by States and a tabulation comparing employment under the various Works Program agencies for the weeks ending November 2 and November 9 are attached.

WORKS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION  
EMPLOYMENT UNDER THE WORKS PROGRAM, BY STATES

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Week Ending ~~November 9, 1935~~  
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States	Number Of Persons Employed a/			
	Total	Works Progress Administration	Emergency Conservation Work	Other Agencies
Alabama	48,856	36,937	10,127	1,792
Arizona	11,979	2,623	6,377	2,974
Arkansas	41,247	26,183	12,705	2,359
California	63,667	33,713	20,740	9,214
Colorado	25,120	15,773	6,127	3,220
Connecticut	17,289	11,080	5,357	852
Delaware	2,160	1,173	693	294
Dist. of Col.	8,580	4,995	2,807	778
Florida	43,273	27,768	11,205	4,300
Georgia	61,046	41,196	16,203	3,647
Idaho	11,008	3,120	4,526	3,362
Illinois	61,625	29,257	29,284	3,084
Indiana	70,835	59,912 b/	10,225	698
Iowa	18,226	7,147	9,125	1,954
Kansas	23,941	14,448	7,906	1,587
Kentucky	40,204	20,852	18,530	812
Louisiana	40,371	29,040	9,924	1,407
Maine	9,116	860	3,177	5,079
Maryland	12,614	6,273	4,297	2,039
Massachusetts	29,046	10,375	14,733	3,938
Michigan	60,897	39,799	19,040	2,058
Minnesota	45,216	31,029	12,390	1,797
Mississippi	28,366	13,307	13,989	1,070
Missouri	38,547	15,531	19,473	3,543
Montana	10,733	1,356	4,637	4,745
Nebraska	12,145	5,073	6,220	852
Nevada	2,522	1,562	848	112
New Hampshire	6,361	3,895	1,689	777
New Jersey	60,725	39,564	15,266	5,895
New Mexico	15,245	5,230	7,401	2,614
New York City	242,110	225,750	15,138	1,222
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New York City	68,983	44,956	17,312	6,715
North Carolina	29,386	12,254	13,634	3,498
North Dakota	8,814	2,207	6,077	530
Ohio	125,118	101,434	21,512	2,172
Oklahoma	69,000	47,912	18,606	2,482
Oregon	16,942	3,139	5,701	2,012
Pennsylvania	182,790	145,292	30,179	7,319
Rhode Island	11,153	8,510	2,449	194
South Carolina	30,084	14,886	11,347	3,851
South Dakota	10,680	4,157	5,560	963
Tennessee	32,418	16,640	14,080	1,698
Texas	54,847	18,033	32,298	4,516
Utah	9,716	4,328	4,502	886
Vermont	6,552	3,424	2,490	638
Virginia	34,726	18,270	13,246	3,210
Washington	20,253	3,221	9,914	7,118
West Virginia	25,032	12,268	10,949	1,815
Wisconsin	54,761	38,148	14,919	1,694
Wyoming	6,420	3,652	2,073	695
Total Distributed by States	1,954,750	1,267,572	557,097	130,081
Alaska	1,311	-	283	1,023
Hawaii	2,342	-	1,360	982
Puerto Rico	5,147	-	2,431	2,716
Virgin Islands	232	-	232	-
Various States	45,557 c/	-	-	45,557 c/
GRAND TOTAL	2,009,339	1,267,572	561,403	180,364

a/ Does not include administrative employees.

b/ Does not include approximately 20,000 persons who were assigned but did not actually work during the period.

c/ Includes 13,532 persons employed on War Department, Quartermaster Corps, projects which operate simultaneously in more than one State and 32,000 persons employed on Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Public Roads projects for whom the distribution by States is not available.

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 EMPLOYMENT UNDER THE WORKS PROGRAM, BY AGENCIES  
 Weeks Ending November 2 and November 9, 1935  
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Agency	Number of Persons Employed <sup>a/</sup>	
	November 2	November 9
<u>Works Progress Administration</u>	986,837 <sup>b/</sup>	1,267,572 <sup>c/</sup>
<u>Emergency Conservation Work</u>	556,903	561,403
CCC camps	478,000	482,500
Supervisory, technical, profes- sional and other employees	65,820	65,820
Indian Reservations	9,161	9,161
Territories	3,922	3,922
<u>Other Agencies</u>	174,685	180,364
<u>Department of Agriculture</u>	91,691	92,172
Agricultural Engineering	11	24
Animal Industry	363	383
Biological Survey	71	83
Dairy Industry	31	34
Entomology & Plant Quarantine	14,914	13,273
Extension Service	5	12
Forest Service	18,771	18,963
Plant Industry	45	38
Public Roads	32,000	32,000 <sup>d/</sup>
Soil Conservation	25,471	27,346
Weather Bureau	9	16
<u>Department of Commerce</u>	633	965
Census Bureau	204	520
Fisheries	393	404
Lighthouses	36	41
<u>Department of Interior</u>	6,175	6,827
Alaska Road Commission	164	164
Geological Survey	15	16
Puerto Rico Reconstruction Administration	1,964	2,714
Reclamation	4,032	3,918
St. Elizabeth Hospital	--	15
<u>Department of Labor</u>	442	969
U. S. Employment Service	369	879
Immigration & Naturalization	73	90
<u>Navy Department</u>	15,118	15,468
Bureau of Yards & Docks	15,118	15,468
<u>Treasury Department</u>	5,165	5,834
Coast Guard	246	321
Internal Revenue	3,406	3,402
Procurement Division	126	138
Public Health Service	730	1,368
Secretary's Office	607	605
<u>War Department</u>	48,580	49,280
Corps of Engineers	33,294	33,457
Quartermaster Corps	15,286	15,823
<u>Public Works Administration</u>	1,880	2,289
Non-Federal	1,744	2,195
Housing Division	136	94
<u>Resettlement Administration</u>	3,740	5,072
Management Division	2,139	2,179
Rural Resettlement Division	733	831
Suburban Resettlement Division	868	2,062
<u>Veterans Administration</u>	1,261	1,488
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>1,718,425</b>	<b>2,009,339</b>

<sup>a/</sup> Does not include administrative employees.

<sup>b/</sup> Revised to exclude 20,371 persons in Indiana who had been assigned but did not actually work during the period.

<sup>c/</sup> Does not include approximately 20,000 persons in Indiana who had been assigned but did not actually work during the period.

<sup>d/</sup> Estimated.

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