

Louisiana

State Summary

VISA CATEGORY	TOTAL APPLICATIONS PROCESSED	TOTAL APPLICATIONS CERTIFIED	TOTAL POSITIONS REQUESTED	TOTAL POSITIONS CERTIFIED	% OF TOTAL CERTIFIED APPLICATIONS	% OF TOTAL CERTIFIED POSITIONS	AVERAGE WAGE OFFER/AEWR
PERM	327	282	327	282	0.36%	0.36%	\$38.89
H-1B	2,663	2,270	3,806	3,460	0.44%	0.29%	\$74,811.63
H-2B	271	213	5,925	4,660	4.17%	4.58%	\$25,084.41
H-2A	734	719	8,211	7,787	7.22%	5.57%	\$10.18

Top Three Cities

PERMANENT LABOR (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Baton Rouge	82	\$39.85
New Orleans	29	\$34.96
Ruston	27	\$41.45

H-1B (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Baton Rouge	1,537	\$72,046.23
New Orleans	553	\$70,495.27
Lafayette	252	\$83,030.37

H-2B (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Baton Rouge	525	\$24,151.51
Slidell	504	\$22,321.00
Youngsville	236	\$35,224.80

H-2A (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	AEWR
Delhi	628	\$10.18
Jeanerette	599	\$10.18
White Castle	555	\$10.18

Top Five Occupations/Agricultural Commodities

PERMANENT LABOR

Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Software Developers, Applications	80	\$41.07
Civil Engineers	14	\$40.61
Cooks, Restaurant	11	\$12.43
Architectural and Engineering Managers	9	\$55.95
Electrical Engineers	9	\$43.16

H-1B

Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Computer Systems Analysts	748	\$73,731.39
Computer Programmers	734	\$67,840.73
Software Developers, Applications	264	\$80,309.33
Financial Analysts	145	\$74,641.73
Software Developers, Systems Software	136	\$91,281.74

H-2B

Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	1,466	\$22,461.31
Packers and Packagers, Hand	793	\$20,298.35
Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	531	\$19,997.90
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers	226	\$24,960.00
Construction Laborers	219	\$29,064.53

H-2A

Occupation	Positions Certified	AEWR
Sugarcane	2,902	\$10.18
Crawfish	1,230	\$10.18
Sweet Potatoes	934	\$10.18
Agricultural Equipment Operators	630	\$10.18
Rice	377	\$10.18