2014 AGRICULTURE TEACHER SUPPLY AND DEMAND OVERVIEW BY FFA REGION

	WESTERN	CENTRAL	SOUTHERN	EASTERN	NATIONWIDE
AG TEACHERS	3,244	2,529	2,720	2,381	10,874
AG PROGRAMS	1,850	2,111	1,827	1,636	7,424
NEW POSITIONS	95	36	65	57	253
NEW PROGRAMS	26	46	50.5	40	162.5
AG TEACHERS RETIRED	51	37	58	58	204
TEACHER LOSS	220	175	177	167	739
ALT. CERTIFIED HIRES	18	45	73	47	183
UNFILLED FULL-TIME POSITIONS	26	35	9	16	86
UNFILLED PART-TIME POSITIONS	6	2	0	2	10
CURRENT AG EDU. MAJORS	914	572	624	465	2,575
2014 AG EDU. GRADUATES	268	185	169	124	746
GRADUATES TEACHING AG EDU.	189	122	121	82	514

APPROXIMATELY 514 NEW AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION GRADUATES LOOKING FOR TEACHING POSITIONS IN 2014

992 OPEN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION TEACHING POSITIONS IN 2014

- 253 New positions (program growth & expansion)
- 739 Agriculture teachers left the profession
- 10,874 school-based agriculture teachers nationwide

411 AGRICULTURE TEACHER DEFICIT

- 96 Positions went unfilled
- 183 Programs filled with alternatively certified teacher
- Approximately 67 programs closed due to low enrollment/budgets

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