

Child Labor in Brazil - 1997 - 1999, 2001 *

(% of occupied population aged 10 to 14)

Region, State and Metropolitan Area	1997	1998	1999	2001
TOTAL	16.90	16.56	16.58	16.58
North	14.50	15.13	15.96	15.96
Rondônia	11.10	8.11	9.85	9.85
Acre	10.20	13.46	8.73	8.73
Amazonas	8.50	7.35	9.60	9.60
Roraima	8.60	-	4.54	4.54
Pará	16.70	20.38	18.12	18.12
Metropolitan Area of <u>Belém</u>	7.40	8.45	7.30	7.30
Amapá	11.80	10.00	9.36	9.36
Tocantins	25.80	29.15	32.88	32.88
Northeast	24.00	24.51	24.48	24.48
Maranhão	37.70	41.88	35.80	35.80
Piauí	23.50	24.35	31.01	31.01
Ceará	23.40	22.49	24.61	24.61
Metropolitan Area of <u>Fortaleza</u>	10.50	9.84	7.81	7.81
Rio Grande do Norte	16.00	11.28	13.33	13.33
Paraíba	26.90	21.71	21.40	21.40
Pernambuco	19.90	22.71	22.08	22.08
Metropolitan Area of <u>Recife</u>	7.70	8.96	8.39	8.39
Alagoas	16.40	14.84	14.26	14.26
Sergipe	22.40	17.99	20.27	20.27
Bahia	23.20	24.19	23.99	23.99
Metropolitan Area of <u>Salvador</u>	7.80	9.46	10.09	10.09
Southeast	10.80	9.69	9.39	9.39
Minas Gerais	17.50	15.71	17.04	17.04
Metropolitan Area of <u>Belo Horizonte</u>	10.00	7.57	8.17	8.17
Espírito Santo	17.80	17.22	16.38	16.38
Rio de Janeiro	5.10	4.03	4.12	4.12
Metropolitan Area of <u>Rio de Janeiro</u>	4.10	3.67	2.95	2.95
São Paulo	8.70	7.63	6.53	6.53
Metropolitan Area of <u>São Paulo</u>	6.70	6.61	5.96	5.96
South	18.70	18.09	18.35	18.35
Paraná	18.40	16.63	18.65	18.65
Metropolitan Area of <u>Curitiba</u>	9.30	7.69	9.04	9.04
Santa Catarina	18.30	19.85	17.41	17.41
Rio Grande do Sul	19.20	18.54	18.63	18.63
Metropolitan Area of <u>Porto Alegre</u>	8.20	9.34	6.79	6.79
Center-West	15.70	15.65	16.23	16.23
Mato Grosso do Sul	20.70	18.15	21.12	21.12
Mato Grosso	18.70	20.86	23.81	23.81
Goiás	15.90	16.04	14.59	14.59
Distrito Federal	5.40	5.09	4.33	4.33

Source: Ministry of Health of Brazil, based on IBGE data (Pesquisa Nacional por Amostra de Domicílios - PNAD)

Note: Data not available for rural areas of the states of Rondônia, Acre, Amazonas, Roraima, Pará e Amapá.

* Last available data



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