

Graph 12:

# Off-Farm Employment

## Jeanquart-Kiehnau Farms

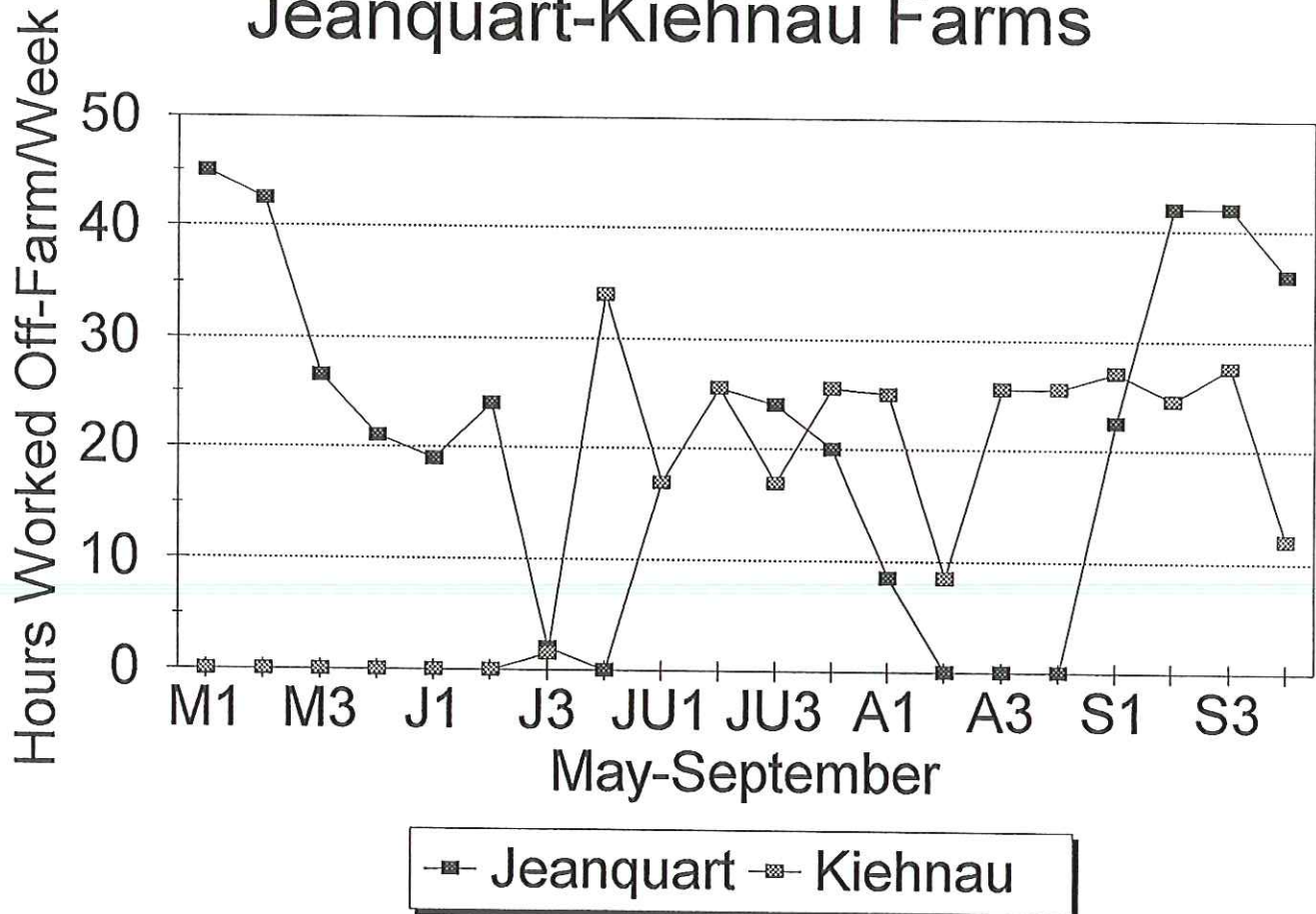


Table 3: Off Farm Work, Hours Per Month; May-September

Month	Sue Kiehnau	Kay Jeanquart
May		134.5
June	35.5	45.0
July	93.5	91.0
August	93.0	8.5
September	91.0	159.5

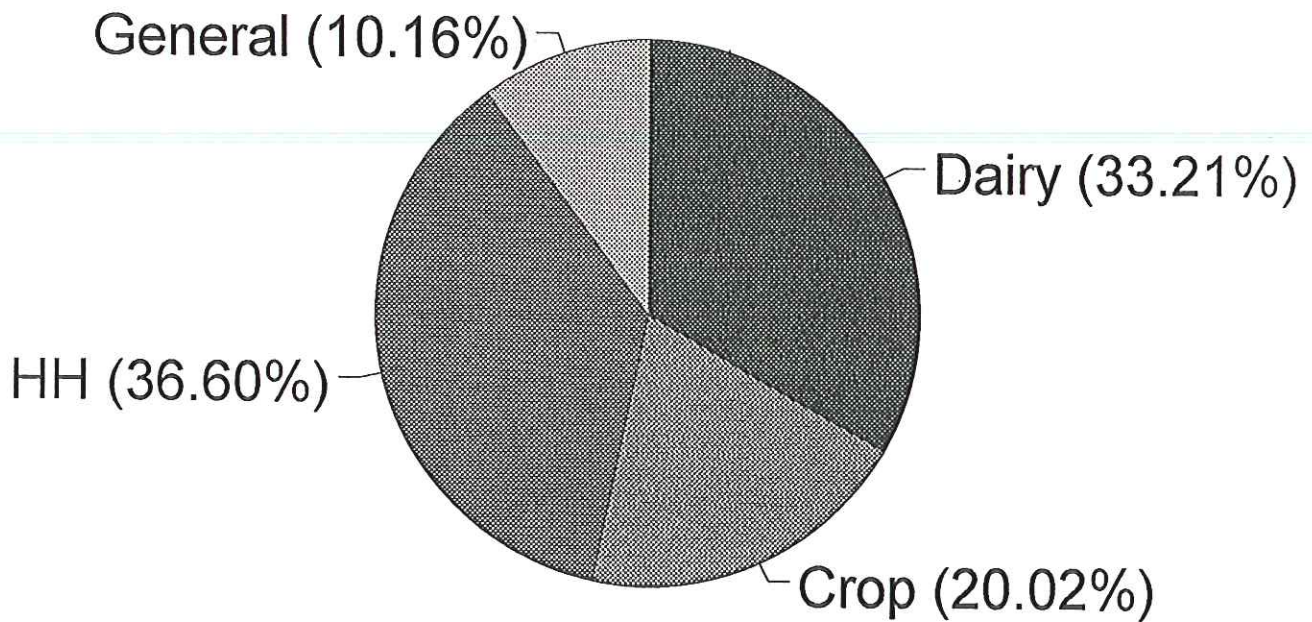
## Family and Hired Labor Use

This section (Graphs 13-22) look at how the available labor, both family and hired, is utilized on each farm for various tasks. Graphs 13 and 14 show the amount of time each primary farm operator, Ed Jeanquart and Kevin Kiehnau devote to various task categories.

Graph 13:

# Task Hours

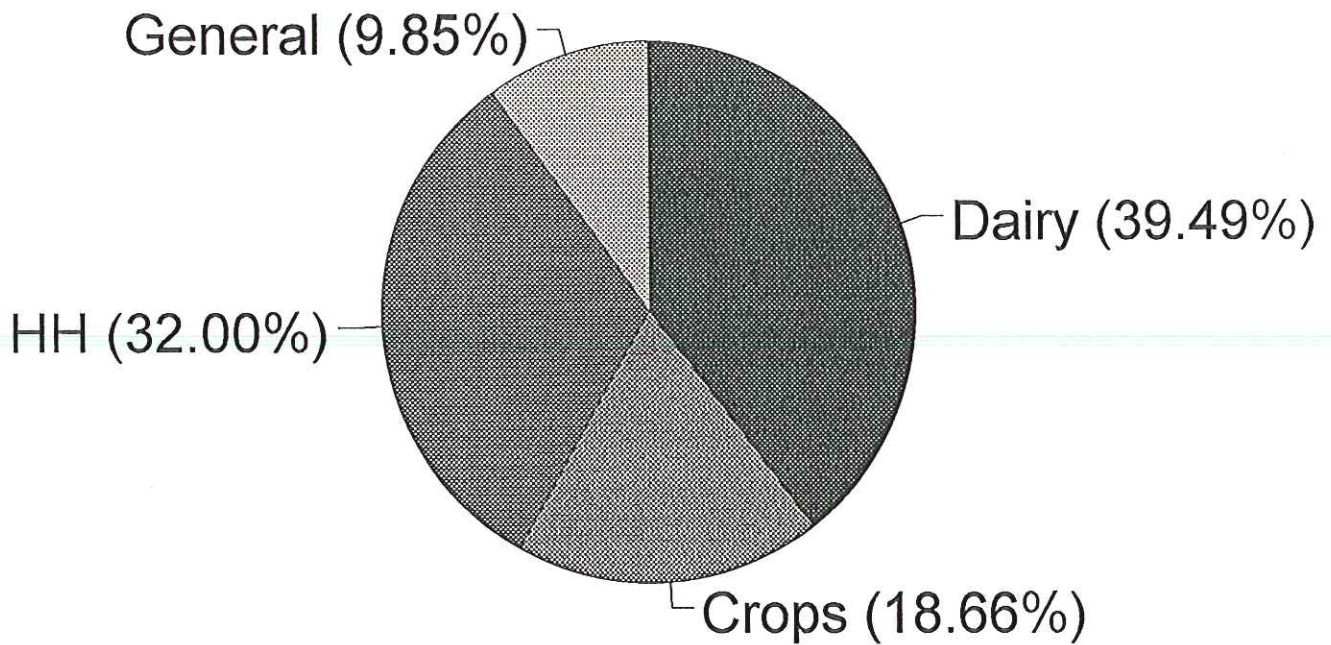
Ed Jeanquart



Graph 14:

# Task Hours

Kevin Kiehnau

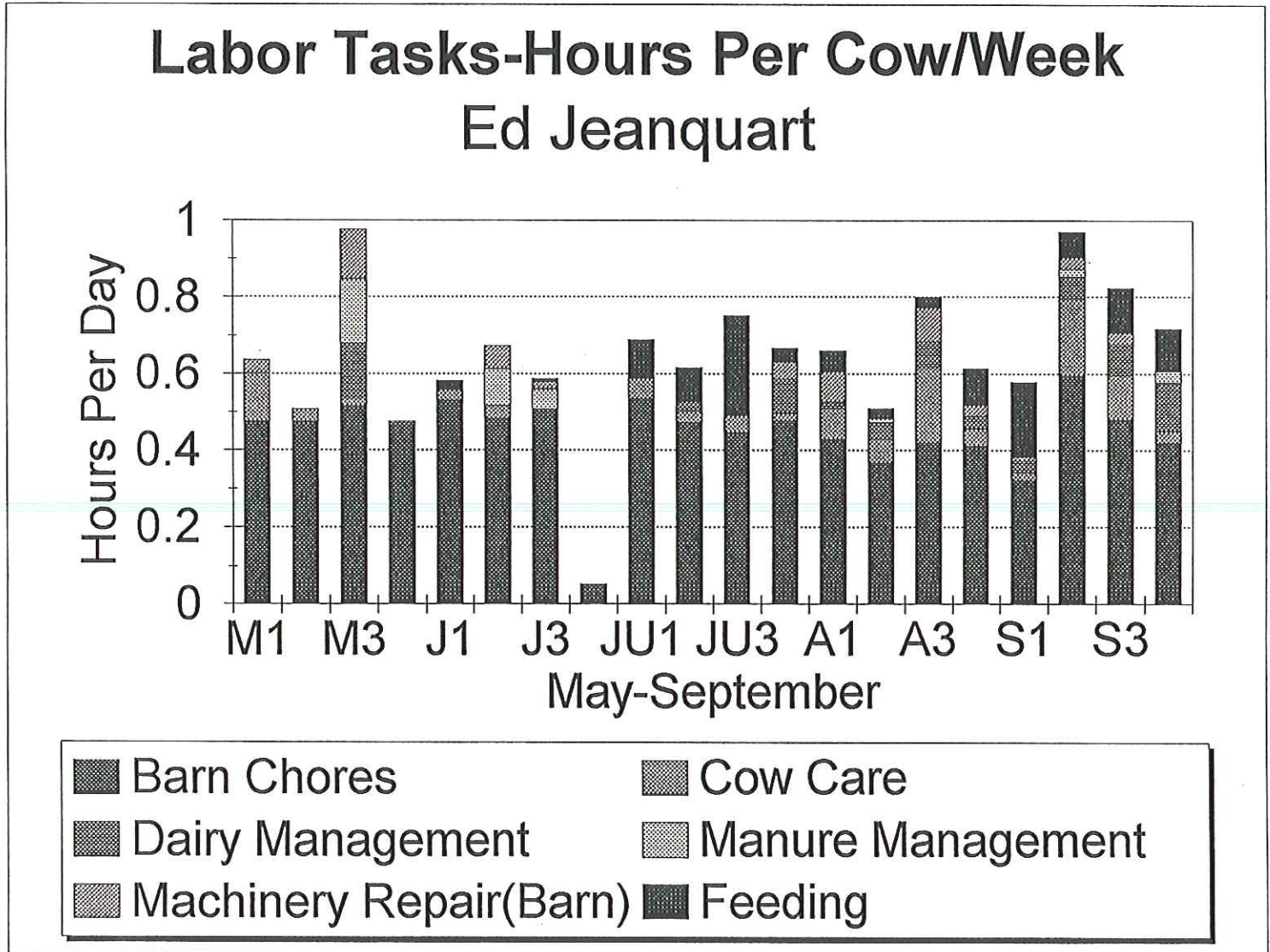


On both farms, as would be expected, 33.2 % of Ed Jeanquarts time is spent on Dairy Tasks and 39.4% of Kevin Kiehnau's is. About 18-20% of their time is spent on Cropping Tasks.



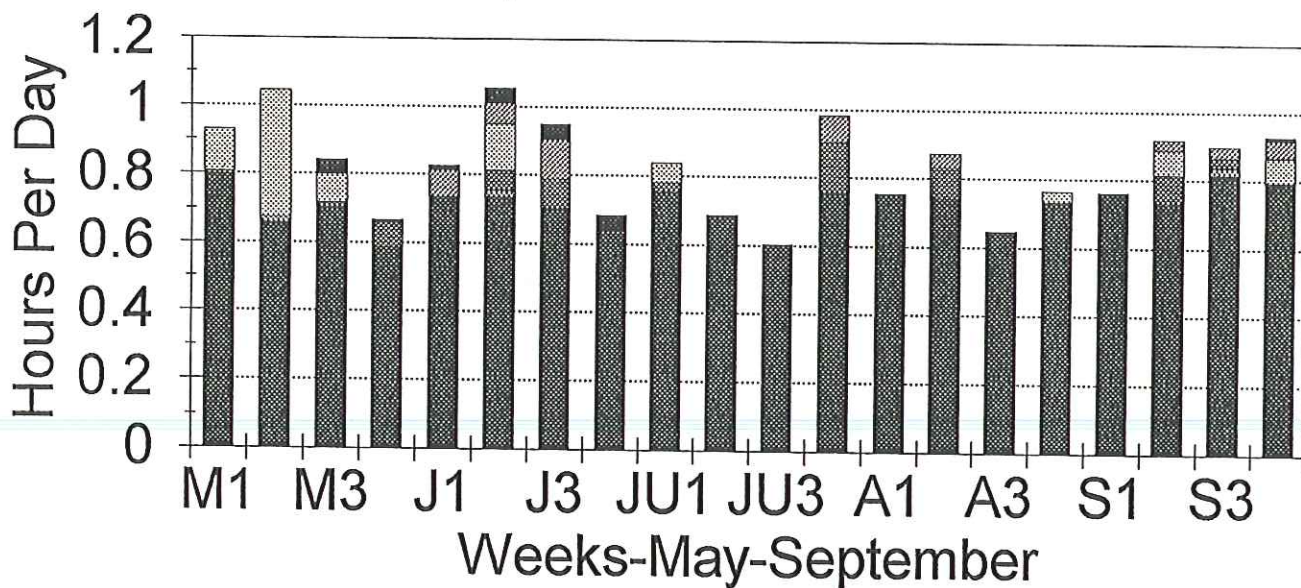
Graphs 15 and 16 break down the Dairy Tasks category into the number of hours per day during each week of the study spent by Ed and Kevin on each subcategory.

Graph 15:



Graph 16:

## Labor Tasks-Hours Per Cow/Week Kevin Kiehnau



Barn Chores
  Cow Care  
 Dairy Management
  Manure Management  
 Machinery Repair(Barn)
  Feeding

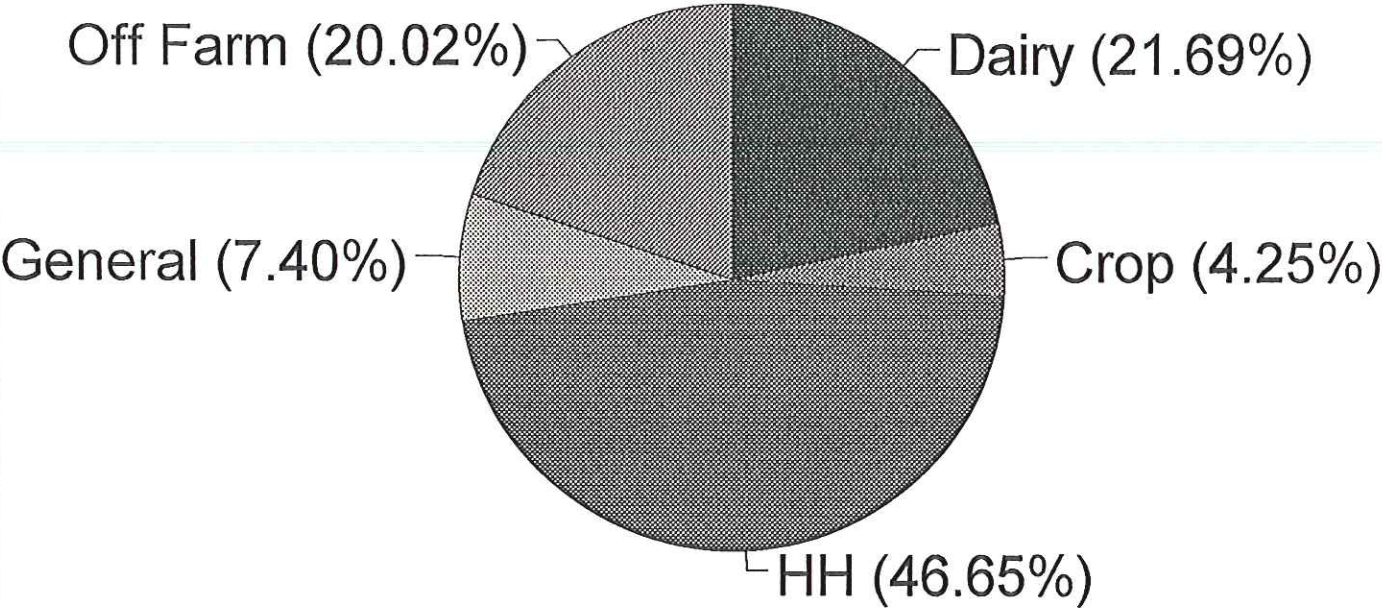
A large percentage of total time on each farm is spent on Dairy Tasks. Hours devoted to feeding and milking are the largest components. Depending on the week, the amount of time spent per cow per week ranges from .4 hour to .7 hour (24-42 minutes) on an average. A minor part of the time spent in this area is spent on barn machinery repair, feeding youngstock and manure management.

On both farms, the wives, other family members and hired labor are a key part of the farming operation. Graphs 17 and 18 show how Kay and Sue spend their time and Graphs 19 and 20 show how other family members time is utilized.

Graph 17:

# Task Hours

## Kay Jeanquart





Graph 18:

# Task Hours

Sue Kiehnau

