

Table 57. Selected Operator Characteristics by Race: 2007

[Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	American Indian or Alaska Native only	American Indian or Alaska Native alone or in combination with other races	Asian only	Asian alone or in combination with other races	Black or African American only	Black or African American alone or in combination with other races
Operators number	13,794	13,880	99	101	51	52
Sex of operator:						
Male	6,792	6,837	81	81	45	46
Female	7,002	7,043	18	20	6	6
Primary occupation:						
Farming	9,623	9,672	53	54	13	14
Other	4,171	4,208	46	47	38	38
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	11,191	11,269	56	58	29	30
Not on farm operated	2,603	2,611	43	43	22	22
Days worked off farm:						
None	6,406	6,423	34	36	19	20
Any	7,388	7,457	65	65	32	32
1 to 49 days	1,711	1,721	25	25	6	6
50 to 99 days	1,117	1,123	5	5	9	9
100 to 199 days	1,260	1,263	10	10	4	4
200 days or more	3,300	3,350	25	25	13	13
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	518	523	3	3	5	5
3 or 4 years	694	706	1	2	3	3
5 to 9 years	1,943	1,962	20	21	16	17
10 years or more	10,639	10,689	75	75	27	27
Age group:						
Under 25 years	312	312	-	-	1	1
25 to 34 years	928	936	8	8	-	-
35 to 44 years	1,959	1,972	9	9	10	10
45 to 54 years	3,170	3,186	16	16	1	1
55 to 64 years	2,744	2,775	16	17	26	27
65 to 74 years	2,723	2,731	23	23	11	11
75 years and over	1,958	1,968	27	28	2	2
Average age of -						
All operators	56.4	56.4	61.6	61.7	57.5	57.6
Principal operator	59.5	59.5	63.3	63.5	58.2	58.2
Second operator	53.6	53.6	61.6	61.6	56.5	56.8
Third operator	44.4	44.4	33.5	33.5	51.7	51.7
Number of persons living in household of -						
Principal operator	27,214	27,337	135	138	103	103
Second operator	2,357	2,369	48	48	8	8
Third operator	1,389	1,389	11	11	(D)	(D)

Characteristics	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander only	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander alone or in combination with other races	White only	White alone or in combination with other races
Operators number	19	19	11,355	11,441
Sex of operator:				
Male	15	15	7,164	7,209
Female	4	4	4,191	4,232
Primary occupation:				
Farming	6	6	5,324	5,374
Other	13	13	6,031	6,067
Place of residence:				
On farm operated	12	12	8,400	8,478
Not on farm operated	7	7	2,955	2,963
Days worked off farm:				
None	3	3	3,957	3,974
Any	16	16	7,398	7,467
1 to 49 days	3	3	1,049	1,059
50 to 99 days	1	1	766	772
100 to 199 days	1	1	1,097	1,100
200 days or more	11	11	4,486	4,536
Years on present farm:				
2 years or less	3	3	766	771
3 or 4 years	2	2	1,217	1,230
5 to 9 years	5	5	2,587	2,605
10 years or more	9	9	6,785	6,835
Age group:				
Under 25 years	-	-	190	190
25 to 34 years	-	-	719	727
35 to 44 years	5	5	1,418	1,431
45 to 54 years	9	9	3,056	3,072
55 to 64 years	4	4	3,212	3,244
65 to 74 years	-	-	1,856	1,864
75 years and over	1	1	904	913
Average age of -				
All operators	50.4	50.4	55.1	55.1
Principal operator	50.0	50.0	57.4	57.4
Second operator	48.0	48.0	52.3	52.3
Third operator	78.0	78.0	46.9	46.9
Number of persons living in household of -				
Principal operator	26	26	18,571	18,695
Second operator	17	17	3,417	3,429
Third operator	(D)	(D)	1,440	1,440