

Table 51. Women Operators - Selected Operator Characteristics: 2007 and 2002

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	All operators ¹		Principal operator		Characteristics	All operators ¹		Principal operator	
	2007	2002	2007	2002		2007	2002	2007	2002
Operatorsnumber	25,706	19,957	10,429	8,116	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					55 to 64 years	6,644	4,628	2,742	1,781
Farming	9,927	9,337	4,768	4,481	65 to 74 years	3,574	2,198	1,685	1,112
Other	15,779	10,620	5,661	3,635	75 years and over	2,054	1,509	1,458	1,113
Place of residence:					Average age of -				
On farm operated	20,695	16,200	8,431	6,690	All operators	54.4	52.5	(X)	(X)
Not on farm operated	5,011	3,757	1,998	1,426	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	58.0	55.9
Days worked off farm:					Second operator	52.5	50.7	(X)	(X)
None	8,824	10,115	4,094	4,574	Third operator	45.8	44.0	(X)	(X)
Any	16,882	9,842	6,335	3,542	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
1 to 49 days	2,960	1,055	982	443	Latino origin (see text)	1,496	1,051	499	423
50 to 99 days	1,528	647	532	247	Race:				
100 to 199 days	2,284	1,506	861	581	American Indian or Alaska Native	309	187	99	72
200 days or more	10,110	6,634	3,960	2,271	Asian	395	269	162	112
Years on present farm:					Black or African American	459	309	215	147
2 years or less	1,745	1,296	563	390	Native Hawaiian or				
3 or 4 years	2,841	2,755	1,053	985	Other Pacific Islander	26	15	8	1
5 to 9 years	6,686	5,024	2,498	1,988	White	24,211	19,091	9,869	7,743
10 years or more	14,434	10,882	6,315	4,753	More than one race reported	306	86	76	41
Age group:					Number of persons living				
Under 25 years	343	343	18	53	in household of-				
25 to 34 years	1,296	1,324	320	386	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	24,016	18,199
35 to 44 years	4,108	4,290	1,273	1,561	Second operator	6,957	4,963	(X)	(X)
45 to 54 years	7,687	5,665	2,933	2,110	Third operator	1,762	1,255	(X)	(X)

¹ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.