

**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	351	520	137	158	12	21
Sex of operator:						
Male .....	194	292	100	114	7	13
Female .....	157	228	37	44	5	8
Primary occupation:						
Farming .....	128	204	78	87	5	8
Other .....	223	316	59	71	7	13
Place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	270	424	101	121	10	19
Not on farm operated .....	81	96	36	37	2	2
Days worked off farm:						
None .....	98	166	48	58	3	5
Any .....	253	354	89	100	9	16
1 to 49 days .....	46	65	19	22	3	6
50 to 99 days .....	28	35	3	6	-	-
100 to 199 days .....	36	47	9	9	1	2
200 days or more .....	143	207	58	63	5	8
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	28	44	14	20	1	1
3 or 4 years .....	58	82	3	7	4	5
5 to 9 years .....	76	106	20	21	-	2
10 years or more .....	189	288	100	110	7	13
Age group:						
Under 25 years .....	24	29	-	1	-	1
25 to 34 years .....	26	33	8	8	-	-
35 to 44 years .....	56	77	12	20	5	5
45 to 54 years .....	87	133	47	55	1	1
55 to 64 years .....	105	157	40	43	5	12
65 to 74 years .....	35	67	19	20	1	2
75 years and over .....	18	24	11	11	-	-
Average age of -						
All operators .....	50.8	52.1	55.3	54.2	50.3	53.5
Principal operator .....	54.9	56.9	56.9	56.3	55.8	58.9
Second operator .....	45.8	46.8	52.7	51.6	39.5	39.5
Third operator .....	27.8	30.4	55.8	51.9	-	41.5
Number of persons living in household of -						
Principal operator .....	642	865	202	242	15	27
Second operator .....	38	66	54	62	(D)	(D)
Third operator .....	5	14	16	21	-	(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	26	36	38,804	39,000
Sex of operator:				
Male .....	12	19	26,451	26,564
Female .....	14	17	12,353	12,436
Primary occupation:				
Farming .....	21	26	16,463	16,551
Other .....	5	10	22,341	22,449
Place of residence:				
On farm operated .....	17	24	31,740	31,917
Not on farm operated .....	9	12	7,064	7,083
Days worked off farm:				
None .....	11	13	12,308	12,386
Any .....	15	23	26,496	26,614
1 to 49 days .....	4	4	4,733	4,755
50 to 99 days .....	-	1	2,272	2,281
100 to 199 days .....	3	5	3,848	3,862
200 days or more .....	8	13	15,643	15,716
Years on present farm:				
2 years or less .....	-	-	2,187	2,209
3 or 4 years .....	6	7	3,291	3,318
5 to 9 years .....	4	8	6,945	6,981
10 years or more .....	16	21	26,381	26,492
Age group:				
Under 25 years .....	-	-	558	565
25 to 34 years .....	4	5	2,699	2,707
35 to 44 years .....	3	4	5,468	5,498
45 to 54 years .....	8	11	11,072	11,126
55 to 64 years .....	11	11	10,223	10,277
65 to 74 years .....	-	5	5,998	6,035
75 years and over .....	-	-	2,786	2,792
Average age of -				
All operators .....	50.7	52.2	54.3	54.3
Principal operator .....	48.8	52.7	56.5	56.5
Second operator .....	57.6	55.3	51.1	51.1
Third operator .....	30.0	30.0	45.0	44.9
Number of persons living in household of -				
Principal operator .....	37	61	69,208	69,484
Second operator .....	(D)	8	10,407	10,449
Third operator .....	(D)	(D)	3,457	3,473