

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
Operators number	12,104	9,174	3,858	2,547	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					55 to 64 years	2,927	1,976	956	564
Farming	4,088	3,900	1,517	1,235	65 to 74 years	1,727	1,044	802	417
Other	8,016	5,274	2,341	1,312	75 years and over	906	485	640	328
Place of residence:					Average age of -				
On farm operated	8,988	7,274	2,650	1,917	All operators	53.6	51.0	(X)	(X)
Not on farm operated	3,116	1,900	1,208	630	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	59.5	56.3
Days worked off farm:					Second operator	51.3	49.4	(X)	(X)
None	4,428	4,504	1,762	1,438	Third operator	47.1	43.8	(X)	(X)
Any	7,676	4,670	2,096	1,109	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
1 to 49 days	1,275	478	361	117	Latino origin (see text)	152	130	37	20
50 to 99 days	794	256	187	70	Race:				
100 to 199 days	1,302	834	330	191	American Indian or Alaska Native	84	69	15	23
200 days or more	4,305	3,102	1,218	731	Asian	35	28	10	14
Years on present farm:					Black or African American	485	402	230	159
2 years or less	859	594	222	125	Native Hawaiian or				
3 or 4 years	1,238	1,185	335	295	Other Pacific Islander	4	2	1	-
5 to 9 years	2,864	2,265	901	596	White	11,399	8,640	3,584	2,331
10 years or more	7,143	5,130	2,400	1,531	More than one race reported	97	33	18	20
Age group:					Number of persons living				
Under 25 years	196	202	34	23	in household of-				
25 to 34 years	755	754	134	123	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	8,300	5,751
35 to 44 years	2,023	2,034	408	397	Second operator	3,605	2,734	(X)	(X)
45 to 54 years	3,570	2,679	884	695	Third operator	1,264	528	(X)	(X)

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