

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	15,331	12,810	4,586	3,667	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					55 to 64 years	4,277	2,790	1,294	793
Farming	5,677	6,315	1,670	1,885	65 to 74 years	2,130	1,513	779	598
Other	9,654	6,495	2,916	1,782	75 years and over	1,316	804	775	465
Place of residence:					Average age of -				
On farm operated	12,076	10,561	3,158	2,700	All operators	55.0	52.3	(X)	(X)
Not on farm operated	3,255	2,249	1,428	967	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	59.4	56.4
Days worked off farm:					Second operator	53.3	50.9	(X)	(X)
None	5,588	5,727	1,840	1,824	Third operator	51.6	49.1	(X)	(X)
Any	9,743	7,083	2,746	1,843	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
1 to 49 days	1,762	1,070	427	206	Latino origin (see text)	125	134	34	33
50 to 99 days	903	597	235	148	Race:				
100 to 199 days	1,686	1,221	449	327	American Indian or Alaska Native	606	375	258	158
200 days or more	5,392	4,195	1,635	1,162	Asian	42	22	6	2
Years on present farm:					Black or African American	3	6	2	2
2 years or less	769	651	211	197	Native Hawaiian or				
3 or 4 years	1,048	1,205	322	332	Other Pacific Islander	13	4	4	2
5 to 9 years	2,850	2,624	844	742	White	14,454	12,336	4,270	3,478
10 years or more	10,664	8,330	3,209	2,396	More than one race reported	213	67	46	25
Age group:					Number of persons living				
Under 25 years	176	159	13	37	in household of-				
25 to 34 years	862	830	180	136	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	9,738	7,951
35 to 44 years	2,059	2,574	424	562	Second operator	3,918	3,377	(X)	(X)
45 to 54 years	4,511	4,140	1,121	1,076	Third operator	1,249	738	(X)	(X)

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