

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	42,062	34,884	10,849	8,720	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					55 to 64 years	10,358	7,965	2,654	1,976
Farming	13,338	15,515	4,179	4,688	65 to 74 years	6,625	4,468	2,287	1,527
Other	28,724	19,369	6,670	4,032	75 years and over	3,490	2,344	2,221	1,492
Place of residence:					Average age of -				
On farm operated	34,008	28,729	7,942	6,509	All operators	54.0	52.3	(X)	(X)
Not on farm operated	8,054	6,155	2,907	2,211	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	60.8	58.4
Days worked off farm:					Second operator	52.0	50.6	(X)	(X)
None	14,398	15,319	4,685	4,680	Third operator	47.1	44.4	(X)	(X)
Any	27,664	19,565	6,164	4,040	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
1 to 49 days	4,167	1,708	925	352	Latino origin (see text)	448	607	117	183
50 to 99 days	2,234	1,154	423	252	Race:				
100 to 199 days	4,064	2,915	973	645	American Indian or Alaska Native	3,914	2,721	900	533
200 days or more	17,199	13,788	3,843	2,791	Asian	208	58	46	12
Years on present farm:					Black or African American	370	268	157	93
2 years or less	2,679	2,562	569	567	Native Hawaiian or				
3 or 4 years	3,810	3,970	940	814	Other Pacific Islander	31	17	2	5
5 to 9 years	9,395	8,519	2,228	1,958	White	36,341	31,206	9,476	7,956
10 years or more	26,178	19,833	7,112	5,381	More than one race reported	1,198	614	268	121
Age group:					Number of persons living				
Under 25 years	731	721	113	91	in household of-				
25 to 34 years	3,387	2,616	441	322	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	23,033	18,201
35 to 44 years	6,662	7,304	1,007	1,188	Second operator	11,204	8,246	(X)	(X)
45 to 54 years	10,809	9,466	2,126	2,124	Third operator	2,314	1,225	(X)	(X)

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