

Table 57. Women Operators – Selected Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007

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

Characteristics	All operators ¹		Principal operator		Characteristics	All operators ¹		Principal operator	
	2012	2007	2012	2007		2012	2007	2012	2007
Operators number	17,779	19,831	6,404	7,532	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					35 to 44 years	2,008	3,188	506	801
Farming	6,516	6,878	2,686	2,815	45 to 54 years	4,251	5,533	1,333	1,858
Other	11,263	12,953	3,718	4,717	55 to 64 years	5,236	5,186	1,847	1,941
Place of residence:					65 to 74 years	3,524	2,934	1,442	1,490
On farm operated	14,169	16,041	4,827	5,792	75 years and over	1,606	1,570	1,060	1,146
Not on farm operated	3,610	3,790	1,577	1,740	Average age of -				
Days worked off farm:					All operators	56.7	54.5	(X)	(X)
None	7,241	7,197	2,820	3,166	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	60.8	59.1
Any	10,538	12,634	3,584	4,366	Second operator	55.0	52.0	(X)	(X)
1 to 49 days	1,432	2,026	507	686	Third operator	49.0	47.6	(X)	(X)
50 to 99 days	819	1,050	261	363	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
100 to 199 days	1,649	1,828	537	638	Latino origin (see text)	190	121	65	40
200 days or more	6,638	7,730	2,279	2,679	Race:				
Years on present farm:					American Indian or Alaska Native	52	230	20	91
2 years or less	969	1,319	321	369	Asian	140	147	31	49
3 or 4 years	1,319	2,111	456	694	Black or African American	570	621	286	308
5 to 9 years	3,608	4,787	1,251	1,712	Native Hawaiian or				
10 years or more	11,883	11,614	4,376	4,757	Other Pacific Islander	8	7	6	2
Years operating any farm (see text):					White	16,931	18,569	6,036	7,060
2 years or less	763	(NA)	249	(NA)	More than one race reported	78	257	25	22
3 or 4 years	1,184	(NA)	402	(NA)	Number of persons living				
5 to 9 years	3,292	(NA)	1,124	(NA)	in household of-				
10 years or more	12,540	(NA)	4,629	(NA)	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	13,998	17,283
Age group:					Second operator	5,561	5,680	(X)	(X)
Under 25 years	241	265	17	22	Third operator	1,364	1,361	(X)	(X)
25 to 34 years	913	1,155	199	274					

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