

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
Operatorsnumber	31,419	32,652	8,200	9,110	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					35 to 44 years	4,487	5,966	840	1,082
Farming	9,396	9,898	3,115	3,215	45 to 54 years	8,458	9,538	1,767	2,284
Other	22,023	22,754	5,085	5,895	55 to 64 years	8,692	8,140	2,301	2,304
Place of residence:					65 to 74 years	4,945	3,929	1,658	1,623
On farm operated	26,248	27,027	6,560	7,162	75 years and over	2,200	2,243	1,357	1,477
Not on farm operated	5,171	5,625	1,640	1,948	Average age of -				
Days worked off farm:					All operators	54.4	52.9	(X)	(X)
None	11,203	10,919	3,583	3,917	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	60.0	58.9
Any	20,216	21,733	4,617	5,193	Second operator	52.7	50.8	(X)	(X)
1 to 49 days	2,551	3,522	563	803	Third operator	48.7	47.2	(X)	(X)
50 to 99 days	1,545	1,881	351	447	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
100 to 199 days	3,208	3,303	816	797	Latino origin (see text)	198	166	38	54
200 days or more	12,912	13,027	2,887	3,146	Race:				
Years on present farm:					American Indian or Alaska Native	86	161	33	42
2 years or less	1,775	2,135	404	575	Asian	83	59	15	13
3 or 4 years	2,146	3,099	552	815	Black or African American	98	132	35	54
5 to 9 years	5,939	6,931	1,508	1,880	Native Hawaiian or				
10 years or more	21,559	20,487	5,736	5,840	Other Pacific Islander	11	8	2	2
Years operating any farm (see text):					White	31,006	32,098	8,075	8,924
2 years or less	1,355	(NA)	289	(NA)	More than one race reported	135	194	40	75
3 or 4 years	1,832	(NA)	456	(NA)	Number of persons living				
5 to 9 years	5,136	(NA)	1,255	(NA)	in household of-				
10 years or more	23,096	(NA)	6,200	(NA)	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	17,880	19,842
Age group:					Second operator	10,462	9,793	(X)	(X)
Under 25 years	493	556	49	42	Third operator	2,065	2,184	(X)	(X)
25 to 34 years	2,144	2,280	228	298					

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