

Table 62. Selected Principal Operator Characteristics by Race: 2012 and 2007

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

Characteristics	All principal operators		American Indian or Alaska Native		Asian		Black or African American	
	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
Operatorsnumber	28,093	30,106	204	228	64	38	2,359	1,914
Sex of operator:								
Male	24,636	26,248	185	213	52	28	2,080	1,684
Female	3,457	3,858	19	15	12	10	279	230
Primary occupation:								
Farming	12,136	12,591	110	103	27	18	1,075	854
Other	15,957	17,515	94	125	37	20	1,284	1,060
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	20,115	21,339	166	177	54	30	1,541	1,175
Not on farm operated	7,978	8,767	38	51	10	8	818	739
Days of work off farm:								
None	10,482	10,413	80	70	16	11	898	634
Any	17,611	19,693	124	158	48	27	1,461	1,280
1 to 49 days	1,923	2,858	10	19	9	3	194	191
50 to 99 days	1,237	1,753	15	13	-	-	150	133
100 to 199 days	3,004	3,216	19	19	6	4	267	243
200 days or more	11,447	11,866	80	107	33	20	850	713
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	968	1,397	8	21	8	1	94	93
3 or 4 years	1,799	2,119	23	20	2	6	154	137
5 to 9 years	4,327	5,507	22	54	15	7	345	323
10 years or more	20,999	21,083	151	133	39	24	1,766	1,361
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	764	(NA)	6	(NA)	8	(NA)	82	(NA)
3 or 4 years	1,448	(NA)	25	(NA)	2	(NA)	119	(NA)
5 to 9 years	3,816	(NA)	22	(NA)	15	(NA)	302	(NA)
10 years or more	22,065	(NA)	151	(NA)	39	(NA)	1,856	(NA)
Age group:								
Under 25 years	147	171	-	-	4	-	23	24
25 to 34 years	1,338	1,234	10	10	-	5	56	51
35 to 44 years	3,019	3,916	38	54	18	6	187	194
45 to 54 years	5,874	7,552	43	51	14	9	366	419
55 to 64 years	8,222	8,040	74	42	23	13	765	555
65 to 74 years	5,990	5,881	34	49	5	5	582	426
75 years and over	3,503	3,312	5	22	-	-	380	245
Average age	58.5	57.3	54.2	55.6	50.3	50.7	61.2	59.3
Number of persons living in household	69,665	77,659	572	639	182	101	5,645	5,050

Characteristics	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		White		More than one race reported	
	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
Operatorsnumber	10	14	25,305	27,820	151	92
Sex of operator:						
Male	10	13	22,186	24,236	123	74
Female	-	1	3,119	3,584	28	18
Primary occupation:						
Farming	7	5	10,836	11,575	81	36
Other	3	9	14,469	16,245	70	56
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	10	14	18,239	19,871	105	72
Not on farm operated	-	-	7,066	7,949	46	20
Days of work off farm:						
None	4	7	9,453	9,661	31	30
Any	6	7	15,852	18,159	120	62
1 to 49 days	-	1	1,703	2,630	7	14
50 to 99 days	-	-	1,058	1,604	14	3
100 to 199 days	-	-	2,696	2,935	16	15
200 days or more	6	6	10,395	10,990	83	30
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	-	2	855	1,279	3	1
3 or 4 years	7	3	1,606	1,948	7	5
5 to 9 years	-	-	3,921	5,098	24	25
10 years or more	3	9	18,923	19,495	117	61
Years operating any farm (see text):						
2 years or less	-	(NA)	665	(NA)	3	(NA)
3 or 4 years	7	(NA)	1,292	(NA)	3	(NA)
5 to 9 years	-	(NA)	3,458	(NA)	19	(NA)
10 years or more	3	(NA)	19,890	(NA)	126	(NA)
Age group:						
Under 25 years	-	-	120	147	-	-
25 to 34 years	-	3	1,267	1,161	5	4
35 to 44 years	7	2	2,716	3,655	53	5
45 to 54 years	-	2	5,428	7,032	23	39
55 to 64 years	3	6	7,319	7,409	38	15
65 to 74 years	-	-	5,346	5,383	23	18
75 years and over	-	1	3,109	3,033	9	11
Average age	48.3	48.6	58.4	57.2	53.2	58.3
Number of persons living in household	38	35	62,836	71,593	392	241