

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	7,755	7,691	15	11	71	56	80	32
Sex of operator:								
Male	5,248	5,465	13	1	33	33	48	27
Female	2,507	2,226	2	10	38	23	32	5
Primary occupation:								
Farming	3,878	3,688	12	7	18	17	22	17
Other	3,877	4,003	3	4	53	39	58	15
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	6,038	6,093	7	1	22	32	18	13
Not on farm operated	1,717	1,598	8	10	49	24	62	19
Days of work off farm:								
None	2,736	2,418	8	-	7	11	15	4
Any	5,019	5,273	7	11	64	45	65	28
1 to 49 days	743	799	-	-	10	11	39	9
50 to 99 days	447	437	-	-	4	4	1	2
100 to 199 days	759	780	-	-	-	2	3	8
200 days or more	3,070	3,257	7	11	50	28	22	9
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	328	326	-	4	-	11	24	7
3 or 4 years	507	442	6	-	24	-	34	-
5 to 9 years	1,119	1,249	3	-	32	21	4	1
10 years or more	5,801	5,674	6	7	15	24	18	24
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	223	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	22	(NA)
3 or 4 years	433	(NA)	-	(NA)	24	(NA)	33	(NA)
5 to 9 years	993	(NA)	9	(NA)	27	(NA)	5	(NA)
10 years or more	6,106	(NA)	6	(NA)	20	(NA)	20	(NA)
Age group:								
Under 25 years	60	49	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	359	292	-	-	16	-	4	-
35 to 44 years	655	972	-	1	11	15	34	5
45 to 54 years	1,933	2,237	3	10	23	17	17	12
55 to 64 years	2,415	2,227	10	-	16	21	13	7
65 to 74 years	1,556	1,204	2	-	5	3	4	1
75 years and over	777	710	-	-	-	-	8	7
Average age	57.8	56.3	59.1	49.0	47.5	51.1	(D)	58.2
Number of persons living in household	20,126	21,538	34	(D)	266	208	270	106

Characteristics	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		White		More than one race reported	
	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
Operatorsnumber	1	3	7,559	7,569	29	20
Sex of operator:						
Male	1	3	5,143	5,390	10	11
Female	-	-	2,416	2,179	19	9
Primary occupation:						
Farming	-	3	3,813	3,630	13	14
Other	1	-	3,746	3,939	16	6
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	1	1	5,971	6,029	19	17
Not on farm operated	-	2	1,588	1,540	10	3
Days of work off farm:						
None	-	3	2,700	2,396	6	4
Any	1	-	4,859	5,173	23	16
1 to 49 days	-	-	694	775	-	4
50 to 99 days	1	-	439	428	2	3
100 to 199 days	-	-	747	768	9	2
200 days or more	-	-	2,979	3,202	12	7
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	-	-	298	302	6	2
3 or 4 years	-	-	436	437	7	5
5 to 9 years	1	-	1,078	1,224	1	3
10 years or more	-	3	5,747	5,606	15	10
Years operating any farm (see text):						
2 years or less	-	(NA)	195	(NA)	6	(NA)
3 or 4 years	-	(NA)	369	(NA)	7	(NA)
5 to 9 years	1	(NA)	950	(NA)	1	(NA)
10 years or more	-	(NA)	6,045	(NA)	15	(NA)
Age group:						
Under 25 years	-	-	60	48	-	1
25 to 34 years	-	-	338	292	1	-
35 to 44 years	-	-	608	948	2	3
45 to 54 years	1	-	1,878	2,193	11	5
55 to 64 years	-	2	2,364	2,190	12	7
65 to 74 years	-	1	1,542	1,195	3	4
75 years and over	-	-	769	703	-	-
Average age	(D)	59.7	58.0	56.3	55.8	55.4
Number of persons living in household	(D)	(D)	19,500	21,137	(D)	54