

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

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

Characteristics	All operators <sup>1</sup>		Principal operator		Characteristics	All operators <sup>1</sup>		Principal operator	
	2012	2007	2012	2007		2012	2007	2012	2007
Operators .....number	28,711	33,041	7,770	9,960	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					35 to 44 years .....	3,978	5,624	741	1,098
Farming .....	8,921	10,134	3,080	3,649	45 to 54 years .....	7,088	9,308	1,592	2,378
Other .....	19,790	22,907	4,690	6,311	55 to 64 years .....	8,505	8,379	2,226	2,480
Place of residence:					65 to 74 years .....	4,813	4,594	1,607	1,868
On farm operated .....	24,336	27,712	6,305	7,969	75 years and over .....	2,324	2,605	1,294	1,782
Not on farm operated .....	4,375	5,329	1,465	1,991	Average age of -				
Days worked off farm:					All operators .....	55.5	53.9	(X)	(X)
None .....	10,549	11,155	3,502	4,306	Principal operator .....	(X)	(X)	60.1	59.6
Any .....	18,162	21,886	4,268	5,654	Second operator .....	54.2	51.9	(X)	(X)
1 to 49 days .....	2,277	3,721	541	953	Third operator .....	49.4	46.8	(X)	(X)
50 to 99 days .....	1,473	1,996	363	512	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
100 to 199 days .....	2,705	3,179	706	852	Latino origin (see text) .....	270	257	73	56
200 days or more .....	11,707	12,990	2,658	3,337	Race:				
Years on present farm:					American Indian or Alaska Native .....	135	258	36	58
2 years or less .....	1,445	2,314	417	622	Asian .....	83	78	11	12
3 or 4 years .....	2,125	3,223	566	939	Black or African American .....	355	265	154	138
5 to 9 years .....	5,880	6,928	1,597	1,871	Native Hawaiian or				
10 years or more .....	19,261	20,576	5,190	6,528	Other Pacific Islander .....	5	15	1	2
Years operating any farm (see text):					White .....	27,957	31,903	7,530	9,671
2 years or less .....	1,089	(NA)	267	(NA)	More than one race reported .....	176	522	38	79
3 or 4 years .....	1,832	(NA)	483	(NA)	Number of persons living				
5 to 9 years .....	5,305	(NA)	1,425	(NA)	in household of-				
10 years or more .....	20,485	(NA)	5,595	(NA)	Principal operator .....	(X)	(X)	16,834	21,744
Age group:					Second operator .....	9,210	9,602	(X)	(X)
Under 25 years .....	369	572	20	45	Third operator .....	2,247	2,169	(X)	(X)
25 to 34 years .....	1,634	1,959	290	309					

<sup>1</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.