

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	21,489	23,618	44	38	20	19	29	35
Sex of operator:								
Male	18,784	20,399	33	27	12	17	26	33
Female	2,705	3,219	11	11	8	2	3	2
Primary occupation:								
Farming	9,164	9,799	28	9	7	9	12	21
Other	12,325	13,819	16	29	13	10	17	14
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	18,080	20,209	41	31	11	13	18	24
Not on farm operated	3,409	3,409	3	7	9	6	11	11
Days of work off farm:								
None	8,092	8,074	19	2	5	9	12	12
Any	13,397	15,544	25	36	15	10	17	23
1 to 49 days	1,563	2,428	7	2	2	1	5	3
50 to 99 days	1,062	1,149	2	-	5	2	-	5
100 to 199 days	2,022	2,019	2	4	-	1	-	5
200 days or more	8,750	9,948	14	30	8	6	12	10
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	583	738	-	2	-	3	2	8
3 or 4 years	1,006	1,407	2	4	-	-	2	1
5 to 9 years	2,936	3,761	9	7	9	4	5	6
10 years or more	16,964	17,712	33	25	11	12	20	20
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	454	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
3 or 4 years	850	(NA)	2	(NA)	-	(NA)	2	(NA)
5 to 9 years	2,566	(NA)	5	(NA)	9	(NA)	5	(NA)
10 years or more	17,619	(NA)	37	(NA)	11	(NA)	22	(NA)
Age group:								
Under 25 years	60	98	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	834	903	3	1	-	-	-	2
35 to 44 years	1,988	2,662	8	2	8	1	6	6
45 to 54 years	4,234	5,618	4	21	9	5	1	7
55 to 64 years	6,309	6,732	14	12	1	7	13	15
65 to 74 years	5,235	4,915	14	1	-	6	4	1
75 years and over	2,829	2,690	1	1	2	-	5	4
Average age	59.7	58.1	56.5	54.2	(D)	59.0	61.0	55.2
Number of persons living in household	52,765	59,267	132	104	52	48	(D)	89

Characteristics	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		White		More than one race reported	
	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
Operatorsnumber	2	4	21,340	23,463	54	59
Sex of operator:						
Male	2	4	18,668	20,270	43	48
Female	-	-	2,672	3,193	11	11
Primary occupation:						
Farming	-	3	9,094	9,733	23	24
Other	2	1	12,246	13,730	31	35
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	2	4	17,960	20,083	48	54
Not on farm operated	-	-	3,380	3,380	6	5
Days of work off farm:						
None	-	2	8,034	8,027	22	22
Any	2	2	13,306	15,436	32	37
1 to 49 days	-	2	1,545	2,415	4	5
50 to 99 days	2	-	1,051	1,141	2	1
100 to 199 days	-	-	2,014	2,009	6	-
200 days or more	-	-	8,696	9,871	20	31
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	-	-	581	724	-	1
3 or 4 years	-	-	1,001	1,401	1	1
5 to 9 years	-	-	2,906	3,734	7	10
10 years or more	2	4	16,852	17,604	46	47
Years operating any farm (see text):						
2 years or less	-	(NA)	454	(NA)	-	(NA)
3 or 4 years	-	(NA)	845	(NA)	1	(NA)
5 to 9 years	-	(NA)	2,540	(NA)	7	(NA)
10 years or more	2	(NA)	17,501	(NA)	46	(NA)
Age group:						
Under 25 years	-	-	60	98	-	-
25 to 34 years	-	-	828	893	3	7
35 to 44 years	-	-	1,963	2,650	3	3
45 to 54 years	-	4	4,198	5,566	22	15
55 to 64 years	2	-	6,266	6,678	13	20
65 to 74 years	-	-	5,209	4,895	8	12
75 years and over	-	-	2,816	2,683	5	2
Average age	(D)	51.3	59.8	58.1	57.0	55.0
Number of persons living in household	(D)	11	52,372	58,860	131	155