

**Table 63. Selected Operator Characteristics by Race: 2012**

[Data were collected for a maximum of three operators. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	American Indian or Alaska Native only	American Indian or Alaska Native alone or in combination with other races	Asian only	Asian alone or in combination with other races	Black or African American only	Black or African American alone or in combination with other races
Operators ..... number	77	150	39	52	35	43
Sex of operator:						
Male .....	40	84	16	21	28	31
Female .....	37	66	23	31	7	12
Primary occupation:						
Farming .....	40	64	12	16	12	14
Other .....	37	86	27	36	23	29
Place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	72	139	27	34	23	29
Not on farm operated .....	5	11	12	18	12	14
Days worked off farm:						
None .....	25	53	9	15	15	16
Any .....	52	97	30	37	20	27
1 to 49 days .....	12	19	7	7	5	5
50 to 99 days .....	5	7	8	9	-	-
100 to 199 days .....	4	12	1	1	2	2
200 days or more .....	31	59	14	20	13	20
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	5	7	-	-	2	2
3 or 4 years .....	3	6	3	7	2	2
5 to 9 years .....	11	24	12	14	6	9
10 years or more .....	58	113	24	31	25	30
Years operating any farm (see text):						
2 years or less .....	5	7	-	-	-	-
3 or 4 years .....	3	4	3	4	2	2
5 to 9 years .....	6	18	12	15	6	7
10 years or more .....	63	117	24	33	27	34
Age group:						
Under 25 years .....	2	7	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years .....	5	12	-	3	-	-
35 to 44 years .....	14	19	11	11	11	11
45 to 54 years .....	14	45	13	16	1	7
55 to 64 years .....	22	36	7	7	13	15
65 to 74 years .....	19	28	5	5	5	5
75 years and over .....	1	3	3	10	5	5
Average age of -						
All operators .....	53.9	52.4	53.4	55.1	57.9	57.0
Principal operator .....	56.5	56.1	(D)	53.2	61.0	60.4
Second operator .....	52.4	51.3	58.1	55.6	42.8	47.3
Third operator .....	39.2	30.7	(D)	62.8	-	-
Number of persons living in household of -						
Principal operator .....	132	250	52	55	(D)	84
Second operator .....	7	19	9	21	(D)	9
Third operator .....	6	18	(D)	6	-	-

  

Characteristics	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander only	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander alone or in combination with other races	White only	White alone or in combination with other races
Operators ..... number	5	5	31,552	31,642
Sex of operator:				
Male .....	2	2	22,342	22,394
Female .....	3	3	9,210	9,248
Primary occupation:				
Farming .....	2	2	12,276	12,306
Other .....	3	3	19,276	19,336
Place of residence:				
On farm operated .....	5	5	26,257	26,333
Not on farm operated .....	-	-	5,295	5,309
Days worked off farm:				
None .....	-	-	11,330	11,365
Any .....	5	5	20,222	20,277
1 to 49 days .....	-	-	2,365	2,372
50 to 99 days .....	2	2	1,623	1,626
100 to 199 days .....	2	2	3,210	3,218
200 days or more .....	1	1	13,024	13,061
Years on present farm:				
2 years or less .....	-	-	1,124	1,126
3 or 4 years .....	1	1	1,772	1,779
5 to 9 years .....	-	-	4,913	4,927
10 years or more .....	4	4	23,743	23,810
Years operating any farm (see text):				
2 years or less .....	-	-	894	896
3 or 4 years .....	1	1	1,530	1,532
5 to 9 years .....	-	-	4,409	4,425
10 years or more .....	4	4	24,719	24,789
Age group:				
Under 25 years .....	-	-	459	464
25 to 34 years .....	-	-	1,761	1,771
35 to 44 years .....	-	-	3,610	3,615
45 to 54 years .....	-	-	6,800	6,836
55 to 64 years .....	4	4	8,886	8,902
65 to 74 years .....	1	1	6,769	6,778
75 years and over .....	-	-	3,267	3,276
Average age of -				
All operators .....	60.2	60.2	57.2	57.2
Principal operator .....	(D)	(D)	59.8	59.8
Second operator .....	(D)	(D)	52.9	52.9
Third operator .....	-	-	44.2	44.2
Number of persons living in household of -				
Principal operator .....	(D)	(D)	52,372	52,503
Second operator .....	(D)	(D)	6,872	6,890
Third operator .....	-	-	1,836	1,850