

Table 51. Women Operators - Selected Operator Characteristics: 2007 and 2002

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

Characteristics	All operators ¹		Principal operator		Characteristics	All operators ¹		Principal operator	
	2007	2002	2007	2002		2007	2002	2007	2002
Operatorsnumber	24,997	23,954	8,255	7,092	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					55 to 64 years	7,112	5,735	2,382	1,647
Farming	9,413	11,164	3,771	3,968	65 to 74 years	3,428	2,299	1,230	701
Other	15,584	12,790	4,484	3,124	75 years and over	1,469	896	762	472
Place of residence:					Average age of -				
On farm operated	22,584	22,148	7,409	6,527	All operators	53.9	51.2	(X)	(X)
Not on farm operated	2,413	1,806	846	565	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	56.1	52.9
Days worked off farm:					Second operator	53.4	50.9	(X)	(X)
None	8,300	10,567	2,938	3,391	Third operator	46.2	44.5	(X)	(X)
Any	16,697	13,387	5,317	3,701	Spanish, Hispanic, or				
1 to 49 days	3,051	1,579	910	421	Latino origin (see text)	440	500	153	175
50 to 99 days	1,664	1,072	493	285	Race:				
100 to 199 days	2,899	2,547	1,005	719	American Indian or Alaska Native	345	235	123	81
200 days or more	9,083	8,189	2,909	2,276	Asian	187	129	56	34
Years on present farm:					Black or African American	12	15	6	1
2 years or less	1,460	1,213	455	368	Native Hawaiian or				
3 or 4 years	2,298	2,424	769	728	Other Pacific Islander	33	35	10	17
5 to 9 years	5,143	5,920	1,696	1,799	White	24,123	23,352	7,948	6,877
10 years or more	16,096	14,397	5,335	4,197	More than one race reported	297	188	112	82
Age group:					Number of persons living				
Under 25 years	380	435	34	37	in household of-				
25 to 34 years	1,429	1,359	364	305	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	19,984	17,809
35 to 44 years	3,490	5,061	1,001	1,442	Second operator	5,989	6,311	(X)	(X)
45 to 54 years	7,689	8,169	2,482	2,488	Third operator	1,595	1,051	(X)	(X)

¹ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.