

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
Operators number	985,192	822,383	306,209	237,819	Age group - Con.				
Primary occupation:					55 to 64 years	251,231	181,501	77,155	51,904
Farming	341,538	374,244	121,799	124,759	65 to 74 years	137,246	94,545	53,179	36,372
Other	643,654	448,139	184,410	113,060	75 years and over	77,610	52,575	50,329	34,068
Place of residence:					Average age of -				
On farm operated	796,072	685,472	232,683	188,015	All operators	54.0	51.9	(X)	(X)
Not on farm operated	189,120	136,911	73,526	49,804	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	58.8	56.7
Days worked off farm:					Second operator	52.2	50.3	(X)	(X)
None	338,395	373,292	124,779	126,196	Third operator	47.9	45.2	(X)	(X)
Any	646,797	449,091	181,430	111,623	Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	21,670	16,605	6,777	5,132
1 to 49 days	107,340	48,526	29,224	12,534	Race:				
50 to 99 days	56,190	30,668	14,722	7,710	American Indian or Alaska Native	22,845	8,483	10,103	2,418
100 to 199 days	100,654	74,660	28,104	19,345	Asian	6,690	4,238	2,033	1,283
200 days or more	382,613	295,237	109,380	72,034	Black or African American	9,148	6,739	4,429	2,894
Years on present farm:					Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	894	634	267	210
2 years or less	58,427	48,889	15,832	13,092	White	935,256	797,947	287,092	229,587
3 or 4 years	85,552	85,899	26,063	24,295	More than one race reported	10,359	4,342	2,285	1,427
5 to 9 years	207,057	185,667	63,554	53,136					
10 years or more	634,156	501,928	200,760	147,296					
Age group:					Number of persons living in household of -				
Under 25 years	16,632	16,448	1,800	1,800	Principal operator	(X)	(X)	707,254	535,731
25 to 34 years	62,182	56,898	11,286	9,312	Second operator	265,027	214,021	(X)	(X)
35 to 44 years	157,193	179,222	35,444	40,286	Third operator	71,302	42,251		
45 to 54 years	283,098	241,194	77,016	64,077					

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