

**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	594	961	120	141	228	258
Sex of operator:						
Male .....	356	579	60	73	158	178
Female .....	238	382	60	68	70	80
Primary occupation:						
Farming .....	233	375	35	41	84	98
Other .....	361	586	85	100	144	160
Place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	498	795	70	85	130	153
Not on farm operated .....	96	166	50	56	98	105
Days worked off farm:						
None .....	191	317	33	37	58	67
Any .....	403	644	87	104	170	191
1 to 49 days .....	33	72	18	18	17	17
50 to 99 days .....	39	46	5	9	11	12
100 to 199 days .....	64	101	14	19	29	29
200 days or more .....	267	425	50	58	113	133
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	27	52	10	10	3	5
3 or 4 years .....	22	58	3	6	35	35
5 to 9 years .....	139	214	40	42	31	34
10 years or more .....	406	637	67	83	159	184
Years operating any farm (see text):						
2 years or less .....	23	43	9	9	3	3
3 or 4 years .....	19	55	3	6	32	32
5 to 9 years .....	116	171	41	43	21	24
10 years or more .....	436	664	67	83	172	199
Age group:						
Under 25 years .....	10	18	2	3	3	3
25 to 34 years .....	55	97	8	10	10	12
35 to 44 years .....	101	189	15	18	16	25
45 to 54 years .....	170	225	23	27	62	65
55 to 64 years .....	132	226	41	45	67	77
65 to 74 years .....	88	153	25	28	35	40
75 years and over .....	38	53	6	10	35	36
Average age of -						
All operators .....	53.1	52.4	55.2	55.1	58.2	57.4
Principal operator .....	55.0	54.2	58.1	58.2	60.3	59.6
Second operator .....	49.5	49.3	50.5	51.3	54.5	53.2
Third operator .....	48.4	46.9	53.7	47.6	44.6	44.6
Number of persons living in household of -						
Principal operator .....	1,025	1,661	199	234	406	485
Second operator .....	41	71	5	9	67	70
Third operator .....	17	30	-	-	19	19

  

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	21	36	90,269	90,689
Sex of operator:				
Male .....	17	26	65,197	65,450
Female .....	4	10	25,072	25,239
Primary occupation:				
Farming .....	10	14	40,194	40,355
Other .....	11	22	50,075	50,334
Place of residence:				
On farm operated .....	19	34	60,775	61,114
Not on farm operated .....	2	2	29,494	29,575
Days worked off farm:				
None .....	7	9	33,789	33,924
Any .....	14	27	56,480	56,765
1 to 49 days .....	2	4	7,455	7,496
50 to 99 days .....	-	2	3,640	3,654
100 to 199 days .....	1	1	6,652	6,694
200 days or more .....	11	20	38,733	38,921
Years on present farm:				
2 years or less .....	-	-	3,466	3,493
3 or 4 years .....	3	6	5,183	5,225
5 to 9 years .....	3	5	12,400	12,482
10 years or more .....	15	25	69,220	69,489
Years operating any farm (see text):				
2 years or less .....	-	-	2,526	2,546
3 or 4 years .....	3	6	4,276	4,318
5 to 9 years .....	3	5	10,819	10,881
10 years or more .....	15	25	72,648	72,944
Age group:				
Under 25 years .....	1	1	1,160	1,169
25 to 34 years .....	-	3	6,964	7,013
35 to 44 years .....	6	8	10,312	10,412
45 to 54 years .....	8	11	20,322	20,385
55 to 64 years .....	5	12	24,962	25,072
65 to 74 years .....	1	1	15,901	15,970
75 years and over .....	-	-	10,648	10,668
Average age of -				
All operators .....	47.0	46.7	56.6	56.5
Principal operator .....	47.4	48.6	58.3	58.3
Second operator .....	(D)	50.9	53.6	53.6
Third operator .....	(D)	25.0	48.9	48.9
Number of persons living in household of -				
Principal operator .....	42	51	154,885	155,611
Second operator .....	6	8	23,494	23,533
Third operator .....	(D)	18	7,076	7,104