

Table RD-12. National estimates of **working youth** (1) (<20 years) on racial minority operated farms in the U.S. by type of farm and age group

Type of Farm	Age Group	2000	2003	2008
Crop	<16 years	3,376	3,028	3,541
	16-17 years	1,947	1,877	1,464
	18-19 years	2,012	1,729	1,343
	Unknown	3,482	801	1,277
Livestock	<16 years	6,333	7,507	8,337
	16-17 years	2,704	3,780	3,149
	18-19 years	2,024	2,941	2,592
	Unknown	1,818	371	1,962
Unknown	<16 years	191	213	0
	16-17 years	67	67	0
	18-19 years	59	55	0
	Unknown	32	11	0
Total (2)	<16 years	9,900	10,748	11,878
	16-17 years	4,718	5,725	4,614
	18-19 years	4,094	4,725	3,935
	Unknown	5,331	1,183	3,240

1 Working youth excludes working visitors

2 Estimates may not sum due to rounding

Source: Minority Farm Operator Childhood Agricultural Injury Survey, 2000, 2003 and 2008.