

Table 66. Producers with Military Service - Selected Producer Characteristics: 2017

[Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers	Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers
Producers number	12,113	10,877	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years	26	14
Male	11,587	10,480	25 to 34 years	170	119
Female	526	397	35 to 44 years	444	341
Hired managers (see text)	769	563	45 to 54 years	772	669
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	1,384	1,190
Farming	6,757	6,159	65 to 74 years	4,878	4,444
Other	5,356	4,718	75 years and over	4,439	4,100
Place of residence:			Average age	70.3	70.8
On farm operated	9,167	8,492	Young producers (see text)	221	149
Not on farm operated	2,946	2,385	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	935	825
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	6,275	5,732	American Indian or Alaska Native	167	157
Any	5,838	5,145	Asian	262	224
1 to 49 days	1,121	994	Black or African American	68	63
50 to 99 days	606	541	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	32	26
100 to 199 days	927	818	White	11,406	10,257
200 days or more	3,184	2,792	More than one race reported	178	150
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	24,964	22,988
2 years or less	364	280	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
3 or 4 years	795	646	Day-to-day decisions	10,763	10,040
5 to 9 years	1,325	1,163	Land use and/or crop decisions	9,716	9,034
10 years or more	9,629	8,788	Livestock decisions	5,000	4,678
Years operating any farm (see text):			Record keeping and/or financial management	8,597	8,137
5 years or less	1,142	937	Estate planning or succession planning	7,281	6,865
6 to 10 years	1,134	981			
11 years or more	9,837	8,959			