

**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	1,102	947	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years .....	-	-
Male .....	1,050	915	25 to 34 years .....	21	16
Female .....	52	32	35 to 44 years .....	28	19
Hired managers (see text) .....	48	39	45 to 54 years .....	95	68
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years .....	149	135
Farming .....	582	530	65 to 74 years .....	484	408
Other .....	520	417	75 years and over .....	325	301
Place of residence:			Average age .....	68.9	69.6
On farm operated .....	858	743	Young producers (see text) .....	23	18
Not on farm operated .....	244	204	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin .....	5	5
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None .....	492	423	American Indian or Alaska Native .....	2	1
Any .....	610	524	Asian .....	4	4
1 to 49 days .....	108	94	Black or African American .....	7	7
50 to 99 days .....	55	50	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander .....	-	-
100 to 199 days .....	108	92	White .....	1,074	928
200 days or more .....	339	288	More than one race reported .....	15	7
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in producers' households (see text) .....	2,251	2,059
2 years or less .....	47	39	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
3 or 4 years .....	38	30	Day-to-day decisions .....	994	892
5 to 9 years .....	110	90	Land use and/or crop decisions .....	886	793
10 years or more .....	907	788	Livestock decisions .....	592	526
Years operating any farm (see text):			Record keeping and/or financial management .....	809	760
5 years or less .....	78	62	Estate planning or succession planning .....	688	641
6 to 10 years .....	111	88			
11 years or more .....	913	797			