

Table 56. Male Producers - 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	3,433	2,973	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	436	299	45 to 54 years	579	523
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	955	822
Farming	1,900	1,650	65 to 74 years	836	758
Other	1,533	1,323	75 years and over	441	403
Place of residence:			Average age	58.5	59.4
On farm operated	2,742	2,420	Young producers (see text)	310	216
Not on farm operated	691	553	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	194	160
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	1,348	1,163	American Indian or Alaska Native	174	166
Any	2,085	1,810	Asian	7	4
1 to 49 days	310	269	Black or African American	9	9
50 to 99 days	195	180	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-
100 to 199 days	317	273	White	3,218	2,776
200 days or more	1,263	1,088	More than one race reported	25	18
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	233	186	Never served	2,905	2,504
3 or 4 years	235	189	Served	528	469
5 to 9 years	553	476	Number of persons living in producers'		
10 years or more	2,412	2,122	households (see text)	8,005	7,154
Years operating any farm (see text):			On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
5 years or less	459	367	Day-to-day decisions	3,160	2,846
6 to 10 years	423	364	Land use and/or crop decisions	2,890	2,600
11 years or more	2,551	2,242	Livestock decisions	2,569	2,307
Age group:			Record keeping and/or financial management	2,421	2,278
Under 25 years	56	35	Estate planning or succession planning	2,010	1,848
25 to 34 years	225	160			
35 to 44 years	341	272			