

Table 58. Female 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
Producersnumber	16,577	12,047	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	288	192	45 to 54 years	2,658	1,857
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	4,837	3,621
Farming	6,310	5,055	65 to 74 years	4,113	3,211
Other	10,267	6,992	75 years and over	2,531	2,020
Place of residence:			Average age	60.1	61.7
On farm operated	12,474	9,286	Young producers (see text)	1,096	508
Not on farm operated	4,103	2,761	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	4,012	2,842
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	6,581	5,029	American Indian or Alaska Native	3,884	3,122
Any	9,996	7,018	Asian	72	32
1 to 49 days	1,707	1,120	Black or African American	15	8
50 to 99 days	1,037	727	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	19	16
100 to 199 days	1,377	982	White	12,455	8,788
200 days or more	5,875	4,189	More than one race reported	132	81
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	1,148	800	Never served	16,223	11,797
3 or 4 years	1,190	797	Served	354	250
5 to 9 years	2,487	1,701	Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	21,735	18,013
10 years or more	11,752	8,749	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years operating any farm (see text):			Day-to-day decisions	13,292	10,701
5 years or less	2,380	1,570	Land use and/or crop decisions	10,679	8,738
6 to 10 years	2,208	1,529	Livestock decisions	10,420	8,454
11 years or more	11,989	8,948	Record keeping and/or financial management	11,935	9,312
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning	8,926	7,153
Under 25 years	188	51			
25 to 34 years	777	387			
35 to 44 years	1,473	900			