

Table 68. Young 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	5,717	3,808	Years operating any farm (see text):		
Sex of producers:			5 years or less	2,273	1,402
Male	4,030	3,100	6 to 10 years	2,035	1,376
Female	1,687	708	11 years or more	1,409	1,030
Hired managers (see text)	536	251	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	54	39
Primary occupation:			Producers by race:		
Farming	2,801	2,038	American Indian or Alaska Native	128	78
Other	2,916	1,770	Asian	4	-
Place of residence:			Black or African American	9	7
On farm operated	3,712	2,428	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	1
Not on farm operated	2,005	1,380	White	5,534	3,688
Days of work off farm:			More than one race reported	41	34
None	1,523	1,043	Military service (see text):		
Any	4,194	2,765	Never served	5,600	3,727
1 to 49 days	808	537	Served	117	81
50 to 99 days	293	173	Number of persons living in producers'		
100 to 199 days	422	262	households (see text)	12,727	10,222
200 days or more	2,671	1,793	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years on present farm:			Day-to-day decisions	4,829	3,556
2 years or less	954	600	Land use and/or crop decisions	4,162	3,174
3 or 4 years	1,231	799	Livestock decisions	3,830	2,741
5 to 9 years	2,087	1,391	Record keeping and/or financial management	4,297	3,337
10 years or more	1,445	1,018	Estate planning or succession planning	2,501	1,957