

Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017

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Item	South Dakota	Aurora	Beadle	Bennett	Bon Homme	Brookings
FARMS						
Land in farms	29,968	392	744	213	583	886
farms	43,243,742	354,554	810,623	636,917	304,914	459,501
acres	20,828	284	562	164	443	605
Harvested cropland	16,371,543	204,840	497,788	175,530	206,886	286,523
farms						
acres						
TENURE						
Full owners	15,400	209	359	91	272	546
farms	10,225,555	63,381	118,486	184,262	64,763	100,530
acres	8,134	116	200	59	152	314
Harvested cropland	2,111,487	28,747	70,673	42,577	30,800	39,394
farms						
acres						
Part owners	11,764	157	298	99	261	263
farms	29,905,605	256,142	640,036	409,409	231,726	319,343
acres	15,452,418	115,645	285,419	234,411	107,291	151,094
Owned land in farms	14,453,187	140,497	354,617	174,998	124,435	168,249
Rented land in farms	10,720	144	292	89	252	233
Harvested cropland	12,858,615	146,072	396,739	99,561	170,658	218,967
farms						
acres						
Tenants	2,804	26	87	23	50	77
farms	3,112,582	35,031	52,101	43,246	8,425	39,628
acres	1,974	24	70	16	39	58
Harvested cropland	1,401,441	30,021	30,376	33,392	5,428	28,162
farms						
acres						
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)						
Total producers	49,547	637	1,201	364	865	1,484
number						
Farms by number of producers:						
1 producer	14,950	192	357	113	335	449
2 producers	12,188	175	337	69	222	323
3 producers	1,733	11	36	14	18	83
4 producers	785	12	8	14	8	23
5 or more producers	312	2	6	3	-	8
Total male producers	34,341	445	814	278	617	1,049
number						
Farms by number of male producers:						
1 producer	23,728	302	607	162	487	701
2 producers	3,482	56	64	27	62	81
3 producers	836	5	25	9	2	46
4 producers	182	4	1	5	-	8
5 or more producers	64	-	-	3	-	2
Total female producers	15,206	192	387	86	248	435
number						
Farms by number of female producers:						
1 producer	12,916	170	359	76	232	380
2 producers	835	5	14	5	8	15
3 producers	103	-	-	-	-	3
4 producers	57	-	-	-	-	4
5 or more producers	14	2	-	-	-	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹						
Sex of producers:						
Male	34,051	445	814	275	617	1,035
Female	14,862	186	381	86	248	433
Hired managers (see text)	2,737	9	29	26	12	124
Primary occupation:						
Farming	25,939	294	647	237	450	577
Other	22,974	337	548	124	415	891
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	35,272	443	879	267	578	1,014
Not on farm operated	13,641	188	316	94	287	454
Days worked off farm:						
None	21,854	241	552	168	406	565
Any	27,059	390	643	193	459	903
1 to 49 days	4,451	56	101	37	63	136
50 to 99 days	1,898	18	32	12	45	63
100 to 199 days	3,246	58	48	27	49	135
200 days or more	17,464	258	462	117	302	569
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	1,940	9	51	41	27	66
3 or 4 years	2,931	19	110	29	44	72
5 to 9 years	6,015	66	145	43	102	166
10 years or more	38,027	537	889	248	692	1,164
Average years on present farm	24.9	26.0	23.5	22.7	26.9	24.0
Years operating any farm (see text):						
5 years or less	4,813	19	143	66	73	132
6 to 10 years	5,354	72	125	48	103	174
11 years or more	38,746	540	927	247	689	1,162
Average years on any farm	26.8	27.9	26.1	24.6	28.2	25.9
Age group:						
Under 25 years	675	6	14	16	15	31
25 to 34 years	4,496	66	159	42	82	144
35 to 44 years	6,205	64	136	38	107	166
45 to 54 years	8,139	116	223	65	145	212
55 to 64 years	14,402	188	332	99	229	464
65 to 74 years	10,299	138	239	63	218	268
75 years and over	4,697	53	92	38	69	183

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

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Item	Brown	Brule	Buffalo	Butte	Campbell	Charles Mix
FARMS						
Land in farms	farms 1,034	394	68	565	249	671
Harvested cropland	acres 1,083,014	517,536	299,891	1,155,068	433,761	685,988
	farms 677	290	51	356	159	509
	acres 771,781	228,639	74,195	81,073	206,637	397,907
TENURE						
Full owners	farms 581	198	24	351	113	265
Harvested cropland	acres 152,172	97,079	80,241	264,944	62,432	94,269
	farms 254	114	15	203	44	134
	acres 61,649	32,900	10,690	26,726	16,895	41,941
Part owners	farms 339	148	39	176	106	326
Owned land in farms	acres 808,915	394,612	205,320	806,952	343,554	511,248
Rented land in farms	acres 401,567	235,268	89,609	470,754	159,486	258,906
Harvested cropland	acres 407,348	159,344	115,711	336,198	184,068	252,342
	farms 328	139	33	120	98	309
	acres 618,166	182,427	60,998	50,945	184,371	296,498
Tenants	farms 114	48	5	38	30	80
Harvested cropland	acres 121,927	25,845	14,330	83,127	27,775	80,471
	farms 95	37	3	33	17	66
	acres 91,966	13,312	2,507	3,402	5,371	59,468
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)						
Total producers	number 1,645	662	137	988	391	1,075
Farms by number of producers:						
1 producer	566	199	29	211	136	351
2 producers	378	149	26	312	96	274
3 producers	55	31	3	25	8	30
4 producers	27	11	7	9	6	11
5 or more producers	8	4	3	8	3	5
Total male producers	number 1,152	469	100	601	286	775
Farms by number of male producers:						
1 producer	781	313	46	486	201	546
2 producers	139	43	10	43	22	68
3 producers	25	18	7	7	8	19
4 producers	3	-	2	2	3	5
5 or more producers	1	2	1	-	1	1
Total female producers	number 493	193	37	387	105	300
Farms by number of female producers:						
1 producer	405	177	25	329	85	270
2 producers	33	5	3	29	6	12
3 producers	4	2	2	-	-	-
4 producers	1	-	-	-	2	-
5 or more producers	1	-	-	-	-	1
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹						
Sex of producers:						
Male	1,150	461	98	593	285	761
Female	477	189	32	385	103	292
Hired managers (see text)	104	53	8	40	25	69
Primary occupation:						
Farming	831	360	105	482	225	573
Other	796	290	25	496	163	480
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	1,049	517	109	851	249	719
Not on farm operated	578	133	21	127	139	334
Days worked off farm:						
None	769	302	56	419	179	474
Any	858	348	74	559	209	579
1 to 49 days	99	67	17	75	51	97
50 to 99 days	112	35	10	49	20	28
100 to 199 days	75	43	1	112	20	81
200 days or more	572	203	46	323	118	373
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	48	39	6	50	15	39
3 or 4 years	124	22	9	57	38	45
5 to 9 years	197	98	12	160	47	133
10 years or more	1,258	491	103	711	288	836
Average years on present farm	25.7	24.6	23.9	20.9	23.6	25.8
Years operating any farm (see text):						
5 years or less	168	71	21	121	30	99
6 to 10 years	182	78	2	100	51	104
11 years or more	1,277	501	107	757	307	850
Average years on any farm	27.6	26.1	26.7	25.2	26.4	27.4
Age group:						
Under 25 years	14	7	3	19	3	25
25 to 34 years	158	61	16	65	44	86
35 to 44 years	209	102	16	106	31	152
45 to 54 years	244	134	24	139	63	191
55 to 64 years	473	166	33	318	120	312
65 to 74 years	352	106	32	259	79	202
75 years and over	177	74	6	72	48	85

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Item	Clark	Clay	Codington	Corson	Custer	Davison
FARMS						
Land in farms	553	472	601	322	441	463
farms	602,011	238,940	383,166	1,287,507	611,805	270,256
acres	408	348	410	231	239	337
Harvested cropland	400,622	204,924	230,280	292,697	34,331	192,356
farms						
acres						
TENURE						
Full owners	247	252	376	138	301	282
farms	91,069	46,212	87,318	261,437	256,664	44,884
acres	125	134	208	71	150	170
Harvested cropland	33,344	30,080	31,883	46,717	16,103	21,382
farms						
acres						
Part owners	262	188	183	164	113	154
farms	481,386	181,047	284,947	944,958	319,494	203,204
acres	245,251	65,486	142,102	525,569	192,798	92,424
Owned land in farms	236,135	115,561	142,845	419,389	126,696	110,780
Rented land in farms	253	186	173	152	74	143
Harvested cropland	347,404	164,449	189,751	238,356	16,238	151,737
farms						
acres						
Tenants	44	32	42	20	27	27
farms	29,556	11,681	10,901	81,112	35,647	22,168
acres	30	28	29	8	15	24
Harvested cropland	19,874	10,395	8,646	7,624	1,990	19,237
farms						
acres						
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)						
Total producers	941	750	950	530	786	740
number						
Farms by number of producers:						
1 producer	303	284	305	150	159	231
2 producers	182	144	260	146	244	198
3 producers	32	28	21	16	26	27
4 producers	26	8	13	10	6	4
5 or more producers	10	8	2	-	6	3
Total male producers	658	525	669	359	475	510
number						
Farms by number of male producers:						
1 producer	433	370	480	268	359	389
2 producers	55	46	82	35	32	48
3 producers	23	11	3	7	12	7
4 producers	1	3	4	-	4	1
5 or more producers	5	3	-	-	-	-
Total female producers	283	225	281	171	311	230
number						
Farms by number of female producers:						
1 producer	217	175	255	148	267	201
2 producers	28	10	10	10	14	11
3 producers	2	1	2	1	4	1
4 producers	1	3	-	-	1	1
5 or more producers	-	3	-	-	-	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹						
Sex of producers:						
Male	636	516	669	359	472	508
Female	271	204	279	171	301	228
Hired managers (see text)	19	30	44	30	24	26
Primary occupation:						
Farming	497	379	427	387	339	321
Other	410	341	521	143	434	415
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	568	446	705	437	648	579
Not on farm operated	339	274	243	93	125	157
Days worked off farm:						
None	452	300	402	307	280	288
Any	455	420	546	223	493	448
1 to 49 days	77	63	71	54	110	65
50 to 99 days	23	45	26	20	35	24
100 to 199 days	48	58	54	26	83	38
200 days or more	307	254	395	123	265	321
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	27	7	31	23	41	25
3 or 4 years	46	45	87	24	53	27
5 to 9 years	101	102	110	51	113	101
10 years or more	733	566	720	432	566	583
Average years on present farm	25.3	25.4	22.8	27.4	19.8	25.3
Years operating any farm (see text):						
5 years or less	72	61	96	49	93	82
6 to 10 years	100	83	113	44	86	58
11 years or more	735	576	739	437	594	596
Average years on any farm	27.0	27.5	24.7	28.5	23.5	26.7
Age group:						
Under 25 years	5	4	6	9	5	8
25 to 34 years	76	79	73	77	43	54
35 to 44 years	113	78	137	95	42	90
45 to 54 years	168	108	189	100	105	159
55 to 64 years	262	211	286	123	235	206
65 to 74 years	191	171	199	73	243	143
75 years and over	92	69	58	53	100	76

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

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Item	Day	Deuel	Dewey	Douglas	Edmunds	Fall River	Faulk
FARMS							
Land in farms	farms 581	634	310	392	348	314	291
	acres 610,611	335,322	1,136,564	274,755	739,006	898,071	627,164
Harvested cropland	farms 366	391	188	293	278	162	228
	acres 392,578	190,336	129,016	190,476	514,439	47,226	364,999
TENURE							
Full owners	farms 316	396	131	191	133	208	86
	acres 98,870	91,997	301,943	56,037	113,440	482,109	77,484
Harvested cropland	farms 126	185	71	99	72	96	47
	acres 27,382	31,916	23,218	33,566	63,653	24,575	26,530
Part owners	farms 230	182	147	177	162	82	148
	acres 490,347	224,227	711,808	203,807	502,292	367,534	495,202
Owned land in farms	acres 252,822	108,470	285,937	71,292	216,871	214,505	278,480
Rented land in farms	acres 237,525	115,757	425,871	132,515	285,421	153,029	216,722
Harvested cropland	farms 217	174	111	173	160	55	144
	acres 349,944	143,907	103,393	147,570	344,590	19,191	307,343
Tenants	farms 35	56	32	24	53	24	57
	acres 21,394	19,098	122,813	14,911	123,274	48,428	54,478
Harvested cropland	farms 23	32	6	21	46	11	37
	acres 15,252	14,513	2,405	9,340	106,196	3,460	31,126
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)							
Total producers	number 942	1,008	536	633	593	515	497
Farms by number of producers:							
1 producer	307	327	140	205	174	160	157
2 producers	216	270	128	156	132	128	96
3 producers	37	18	32	14	23	10	17
4 producers	17	12	6	11	13	14	11
5 or more producers	4	7	4	6	6	2	10
Total male producers	number 691	704	329	457	425	322	361
Farms by number of male producers:							
1 producer	442	503	249	339	278	241	228
2 producers	68	73	22	35	40	25	37
3 producers	19	7	12	16	15	9	17
4 producers	12	6	-	-	3	1	2
5 or more producers	1	2	-	-	2	-	-
Total female producers	number 251	304	207	176	168	193	136
Farms by number of female producers:							
1 producer	210	273	167	153	132	152	94
2 producers	19	12	15	10	12	16	19
3 producers	1	1	-	1	4	3	-
4 producers	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
5 or more producers	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	685	700	329	451	420	321	358
Female	249	297	203	176	163	189	126
Hired managers (see text)	50	44	18	22	46	48	84
Primary occupation:							
Farming	492	458	309	338	350	277	359
Other	442	539	223	289	233	233	125
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	639	679	466	419	383	424	348
Not on farm operated	295	318	66	208	200	86	136
Days worked off farm:							
None	440	393	248	270	280	229	267
Any	494	604	284	357	303	281	217
1 to 49 days	67	66	35	54	47	46	40
50 to 99 days	22	48	14	37	13	18	25
100 to 199 days	70	40	49	50	33	46	26
200 days or more	335	450	186	216	210	171	126
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	53	54	9	18	29	25	21
3 or 4 years	41	48	20	33	26	24	27
5 to 9 years	123	119	67	90	82	45	79
10 years or more	717	776	436	486	446	416	357
Average years on present farm	25.9	24.3	27.3	25.4	23.6	23.5	24.6
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	86	98	43	67	69	44	41
6 to 10 years	116	129	49	66	65	56	89
11 years or more	732	770	440	494	449	410	354
Average years on any farm	27.1	25.7	28.7	26.9	25.9	26.1	26.0
Age group:							
Under 25 years	4	26	6	15	13	1	11
25 to 34 years	103	68	43	72	53	47	79
35 to 44 years	135	174	66	94	87	73	40
45 to 54 years	134	187	91	103	138	77	84
55 to 64 years	268	273	177	174	152	139	163
65 to 74 years	183	176	101	117	93	135	75
75 years and over	107	93	48	52	47	38	32

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

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Item	Grant	Gregory	Haakon	Hamlin	Hand	Hanson	Harding
FARMS							
Land in farms	554	495	293	476	405	333	265
farms	425,627	562,085	1,157,670	310,025	895,347	270,935	1,467,765
Harvested cropland	397	396	189	333	307	249	140
farms	283,987	191,649	190,737	221,708	521,841	210,853	96,615
acres							
TENURE							
Full owners	236	236	151	263	167	136	112
farms	48,995	147,289	405,235	56,349	75,014	31,686	337,348
acres	117	152	82	127	81	65	55
Harvested cropland	22,278	30,592	30,407	20,125	31,235	18,444	(D)
farms							
acres							
Part owners	249	207	118	178	192	170	121
farms	327,775	375,069	702,962	236,307	734,468	229,355	1,005,548
acres	162,056	220,698	436,032	105,412	375,153	103,114	683,004
Owned land in farms	165,719	154,371	266,930	130,895	359,315	126,241	322,544
acres	230	202	100	174	188	165	83
Rented land in farms	224,483	140,337	156,415	186,835	426,906	187,076	70,609
acres							
Tenants	69	52	24	35	46	27	32
farms	48,857	39,727	49,473	17,369	85,865	9,894	124,869
acres	50	42	7	32	38	19	2
Harvested cropland	37,226	20,720	3,915	14,748	63,700	5,333	(D)
farms							
acres							
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)							
Total producers	933	807	544	743	684	582	548
number							
Farms by number of producers:							
1 producer	246	242	119	249	218	171	84
2 producers	261	215	131	198	122	120	125
3 producers	29	27	22	22	40	28	25
4 producers	14	7	15	4	24	6	21
5 or more producers	4	4	6	3	1	8	10
Total male producers	668	566	373	524	497	407	337
number							
Farms by number of male producers:							
1 producer	398	406	230	391	283	268	188
2 producers	107	69	36	49	66	41	55
3 producers	9	2	12	9	22	5	7
4 producers	6	4	7	2	4	8	2
5 or more producers	1	-	1	-	-	1	2
Total female producers	265	241	171	219	187	175	211
number							
Farms by number of female producers:							
1 producer	235	209	143	206	146	142	140
2 producers	13	13	8	5	16	1	31
3 producers	-	2	4	1	3	5	3
4 producers	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
5 or more producers	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	664	566	365	522	497	397	333
Female	263	231	166	217	185	154	200
Hired managers (see text)	67	36	23	33	28	12	43
Primary occupation:							
Farming	494	463	338	352	479	275	385
Other	433	334	193	387	203	276	148
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	659	597	405	495	485	393	479
Not on farm operated	268	200	126	244	197	158	54
Days worked off farm:							
None	413	391	280	330	389	256	293
Any	514	406	251	409	293	295	240
1 to 49 days	98	101	60	71	99	33	50
50 to 99 days	32	28	30	22	18	28	16
100 to 199 days	58	37	22	62	34	34	56
200 days or more	326	240	139	254	142	200	118
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	52	50	2	45	15	33	20
3 or 4 years	67	43	55	47	63	35	13
5 to 9 years	144	107	47	51	108	30	93
10 years or more	664	597	427	596	496	453	407
Average years on present farm	23.8	26.1	24.8	24.5	24.7	26.5	23.6
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	108	94	47	84	73	67	65
6 to 10 years	121	83	58	60	87	31	68
11 years or more	698	620	426	595	522	453	400
Average years on any farm	25.6	28.2	26.9	25.8	26.7	28.0	25.9
Age group:							
Under 25 years	15	18	4	15	9	21	1
25 to 34 years	117	62	39	68	72	36	110
35 to 44 years	115	121	76	100	103	74	68
45 to 54 years	142	75	100	150	106	111	86
55 to 64 years	316	217	158	215	196	144	161
65 to 74 years	178	221	119	127	118	116	77
75 years and over	44	83	35	64	78	49	30

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

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Item	Hughes	Hutchinson	Hyde	Jackson	Jerauld	Jones	Kingsbury
FARMS							
Land in farms farms	315	775	174	314	244	192	518
Harvested cropland acres	435,033	455,628	505,694	1,166,244	341,627	618,468	535,987
..... farms	198	565	134	207	164	143	440
..... acres	184,497	327,021	171,676	114,233	195,650	178,612	356,452
TENURE							
Full owners farms	179	404	75	149	101	101	205
Harvested cropland acres	88,951	73,626	55,483	520,978	51,670	152,436	88,326
..... farms	92	215	47	82	50	66	135
..... acres	36,085	39,277	11,216	28,431	22,304	38,795	44,576
Part owners farms	103	322	77	137	107	69	257
Owned land in farms acres	298,310	365,174	418,270	616,920	235,721	411,092	409,384
Rented land in farms acres	152,462	184,628	192,216	327,481	103,267	211,582	190,956
Harvested cropland farms	145,848	180,546	226,054	289,439	132,454	199,510	218,428
..... acres	90	314	75	117	95	63	251
..... acres	121,743	274,284	144,653	83,252	125,907	127,521	280,706
Tenants farms	33	49	22	28	36	22	56
Harvested cropland acres	47,772	16,828	31,941	28,346	54,236	54,940	38,277
..... farms	16	36	12	8	19	14	54
..... acres	26,669	13,460	15,807	2,550	47,439	12,296	31,170
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)							
Total producers number	516	1,287	294	510	386	335	854
Farms by number of producers:							
1 producer	152	404	78	175	138	85	274
2 producers	137	297	78	102	84	90	180
3 producers	14	47	14	25	12	9	45
4 producers	12	17	3	6	6	4	15
5 or more producers	-	10	1	6	4	4	4
Total male producers number	361	891	200	357	289	225	588
Farms by number of male producers:							
1 producer	243	613	130	256	192	155	415
2 producers	50	94	29	39	29	27	59
3 producers	6	16	4	6	9	4	15
4 producers	-	-	-	-	3	1	-
5 or more producers	-	6	-	1	-	-	2
Total female producers number	155	396	94	153	97	110	266
Farms by number of female producers:							
1 producer	131	323	85	124	87	79	207
2 producers	12	19	3	8	5	5	17
3 producers	-	1	1	3	-	1	7
4 producers	-	8	-	1	-	1	1
5 or more producers	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	361	865	200	355	289	224	584
Female	155	382	92	147	93	100	261
Hired managers (see text)	21	67	20	11	29	37	38
Primary occupation:							
Farming	213	641	175	358	178	204	478
Other	303	606	117	144	204	120	367
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	330	831	218	373	216	206	596
Not on farm operated	186	416	74	129	166	118	249
Days worked off farm:							
None	237	531	151	276	145	157	421
Any	279	716	141	226	237	167	424
1 to 49 days	26	110	29	50	46	40	80
50 to 99 days	13	46	7	13	24	13	12
100 to 199 days	39	100	19	33	32	8	47
200 days or more	201	460	86	130	135	106	285
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	12	58	4	24	28	17	39
3 or 4 years	34	80	12	40	12	10	44
5 to 9 years	79	202	20	61	51	53	100
10 years or more	391	907	256	377	291	244	662
Average years on present farm	21.1	24.7	26.3	26.7	23.0	25.2	26.0
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	48	148	17	47	48	18	71
6 to 10 years	65	169	22	58	29	54	95
11 years or more	403	930	253	397	305	252	679
Average years on any farm	23.7	26.9	28.0	28.9	25.7	26.9	27.5
Age group:							
Under 25 years	-	40	-	8	2	2	22
25 to 34 years	29	115	13	55	20	25	105
35 to 44 years	112	133	43	66	82	35	112
45 to 54 years	60	207	50	84	63	53	104
55 to 64 years	156	356	86	121	94	84	240
65 to 74 years	108	273	64	107	101	87	186
75 years and over	51	123	36	61	20	38	76

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Lake	Lawrence	Lincoln	Lyman	McCook	McPherson	Marshall
FARMS							
Land in farms	463	275	756	414	512	382	503
farms	272,529	165,012	294,694	950,795	367,087	723,073	525,474
Harvested cropland	344	189	575	285	359	286	330
farms	203,422	23,023	252,973	284,093	271,326	286,770	278,897
acres							
TENURE							
Full owners	220	204	422	247	248	169	268
farms	36,175	42,528	53,608	357,304	54,112	120,119	106,977
Harvested cropland	132	138	245	145	114	93	122
farms	14,854	(D)	30,215	73,025	26,992	47,170	35,159
acres							
Part owners	178	59	262	123	235	188	181
farms	207,809	115,604	215,265	505,887	287,479	593,935	354,814
Owned land in farms	88,686	60,792	69,728	284,732	128,758	329,946	179,250
acres	119,123	54,812	145,537	221,155	158,721	263,989	175,564
Rented land in farms	155	46	262	112	216	173	167
farms	162,122	14,624	198,912	202,737	219,998	235,551	199,476
acres							
Tenants	65	12	72	44	29	25	54
farms	28,545	6,880	25,821	87,604	25,496	9,019	63,683
Harvested cropland	57	5	68	28	29	20	41
farms	26,446	(D)	23,846	8,331	24,336	4,049	44,262
acres							
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)							
Total producers	768	482	1,169	678	887	649	888
number							
Farms by number of producers:							
1 producer	223	104	400	243	244	188	241
2 producers	209	150	308	122	204	158	190
3 producers	12	13	41	24	34	23	38
4 producers	10	5	5	14	23	8	23
5 or more producers	9	3	2	11	7	5	11
Total male producers	532	299	852	488	625	457	633
number							
Farms by number of male producers:							
1 producer	378	209	620	319	378	309	345
2 producers	51	28	81	61	76	35	84
3 producers	8	6	22	7	25	13	26
4 producers	7	-	1	4	5	4	8
5 or more producers	-	3	-	2	-	2	2
Total female producers	236	183	317	190	262	192	255
number							
Farms by number of female producers:							
1 producer	195	167	301	142	218	166	199
2 producers	5	8	8	13	16	11	24
3 producers	1	-	-	2	4	-	1
4 producers	7	-	-	4	-	1	-
5 or more producers	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	525	295	851	475	621	436	630
Female	228	180	316	184	253	189	241
Hired managers (see text)	33	31	50	20	57	43	64
Primary occupation:							
Farming	352	191	516	347	422	388	437
Other	401	284	651	312	452	237	434
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	530	399	842	364	597	419	524
Not on farm operated	223	76	325	295	277	206	347
Days worked off farm:							
None	342	189	449	251	342	327	438
Any	411	286	718	408	532	298	433
1 to 49 days	59	56	105	54	73	31	57
50 to 99 days	27	32	49	39	22	30	18
100 to 199 days	36	38	72	58	59	30	44
200 days or more	289	160	492	257	378	207	314
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	45	14	41	18	21	27	28
3 or 4 years	40	12	64	38	81	7	58
5 to 9 years	85	52	121	87	110	75	122
10 years or more	583	397	941	516	662	516	663
Average years on present farm	24.1	24.2	25.8	24.7	25.2	26.5	24.9
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	89	27	93	58	111	44	93
6 to 10 years	75	55	129	55	110	53	100
11 years or more	589	393	945	546	653	528	678
Average years on any farm	25.6	26.1	27.7	26.4	26.6	28.4	27.6
Age group:							
Under 25 years	2	8	7	4	16	2	14
25 to 34 years	92	14	79	48	83	51	78
35 to 44 years	111	46	141	77	123	76	107
45 to 54 years	129	74	170	127	164	112	115
55 to 64 years	223	137	395	233	242	168	267
65 to 74 years	163	116	253	92	178	147	219
75 years and over	33	80	122	78	68	69	71

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Meade	Mellette	Miner	Minnehaha	Moody	Oglala Lakota	Pennington
FARMS							
Land in farms	835	219	408	1,023	490	190	656
farms							
acres	1,998,775	752,566	351,356	374,666	265,024	1,116,156	1,146,586
Harvested cropland	460	159	263	793	314	77	324
farms							
acres	204,457	111,439	205,109	301,993	210,670	64,815	124,052
TENURE							
Full owners	516	73	216	584	275	84	430
farms							
acres	659,710	101,236	72,009	55,163	36,125	543,936	496,461
Harvested cropland	269	43	87	372	118	26	196
farms							
acres	57,484	15,298	15,477	27,732	16,546	3,126	25,542
Part owners	245	113	156	332	179	84	176
farms							
acres	1,241,248	610,794	268,705	273,365	209,329	516,294	572,432
Owned land in farms	785,700	349,500	120,785	113,771	82,769	165,437	317,133
acres							
Rented land in farms	455,548	261,294	147,920	159,594	126,560	350,857	255,299
acres							
Harvested cropland	163	101	150	322	168	45	108
farms							
acres	141,412	93,837	181,210	232,428	175,502	59,097	93,673
Tenants	74	33	36	107	36	22	50
farms							
acres	97,817	40,536	10,642	46,138	19,570	55,926	77,693
Harvested cropland	28	15	26	99	28	6	20
farms							
acres	5,561	2,304	8,422	41,833	18,622	2,592	4,837
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)							
Total producers	1,427	405	635	1,668	812	291	1,102
number							
Farms by number of producers:							
1 producer	370	96	225	500	229	101	291
2 producers	393	90	156	445	222	79	313
3 producers	37	18	12	43	27	8	28
4 producers	23	10	14	26	9	2	21
5 or more producers	12	5	1	9	3	-	3
Total male producers	917	257	465	1,108	551	203	688
number							
Farms by number of male producers:							
1 producer	676	164	358	843	411	132	505
2 producers	89	26	29	104	36	31	72
3 producers	16	10	8	13	21	3	11
4 producers	1	-	5	2	-	-	-
5 or more producers	2	1	1	2	1	-	1
Total female producers	510	148	170	560	261	88	414
number							
Farms by number of female producers:							
1 producer	430	107	162	491	228	88	349
2 producers	32	12	4	27	11	-	31
3 producers	4	3	-	5	1	-	1
4 producers	1	2	-	-	2	-	-
5 or more producers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	912	247	463	1,104	548	203	686
Female	495	143	170	555	254	88	411
Hired managers (see text)	68	31	21	81	66	16	31
Primary occupation:							
Farming	788	278	249	666	384	158	470
Other	619	112	384	993	418	133	627
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	1,225	284	405	1,330	597	233	907
Not on farm operated	182	106	228	329	205	58	190
Days worked off farm:							
None	508	228	223	589	309	141	404
Any	899	162	410	1,070	493	150	693
1 to 49 days	206	27	60	148	57	29	138
50 to 99 days	70	7	13	71	32	8	59
100 to 199 days	150	30	50	112	59	26	83
200 days or more	473	98	287	739	345	87	413
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	50	26	29	65	49	6	49
3 or 4 years	103	8	17	62	56	12	121
5 to 9 years	194	42	50	237	92	25	113
10 years or more	1,060	314	537	1,295	605	248	814
Average years on present farm	22.8	28.2	25.6	24.8	24.0	28.8	21.5
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	145	24	43	129	84	20	153
6 to 10 years	181	35	51	210	101	20	111
11 years or more	1,081	331	539	1,320	617	251	833
Average years on any farm	24.6	30.2	26.9	26.5	25.6	30.5	23.7
Age group:							
Under 25 years	21	8	3	18	19	-	14
25 to 34 years	168	20	56	130	111	18	82
35 to 44 years	211	31	64	152	86	27	115
45 to 54 years	218	96	100	294	130	44	170
55 to 64 years	406	82	219	547	209	69	350
65 to 74 years	265	89	150	390	173	71	250
75 years and over	118	64	41	128	74	62	116

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Perkins	Potter	Roberts	Sanborn	Spink	Stanley	Sully
FARMS							
Land in farms	421	221	782	351	556	172	201
farms							
acres	1,639,705	548,312	595,195	363,599	961,154	812,145	632,859
Harvested cropland	259	162	540	247	432	103	144
farms							
acres	177,102	330,022	400,198	160,213	761,144	129,496	376,872
TENURE							
Full owners	199	99	388	181	218	82	85
farms							
acres	431,161	73,644	94,400	89,509	101,988	147,549	162,236
Harvested cropland	91	45	177	105	111	42	44
farms							
acres	39,281	19,799	31,221	32,987	65,099	21,297	71,920
Part owners	189	105	336	135	273	68	77
farms							
acres	1,116,775	458,054	465,843	254,705	751,640	593,581	392,079
Owned land in farms	748,080	221,314	213,094	128,932	345,831	433,048	183,211
Rented land in farms	368,695	236,740	252,749	125,773	405,809	160,533	208,868
Harvested cropland	148	102	318	117	265	49	73
farms							
acres	133,579	295,438	338,519	114,631	597,494	87,627	260,189
Tenants	33	17	58	35	65	22	39
farms							
acres	91,769	16,614	34,952	19,385	107,526	71,015	78,544
Harvested cropland	20	15	45	25	56	12	27
farms							
acres	4,242	14,785	30,458	12,595	98,551	20,572	44,763
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)							
Total producers	732	371	1,212	579	932	315	319
Farms by number of producers:							
1 producer	172	119	436	185	281	79	114
2 producers	209	73	289	118	195	66	66
3 producers	26	18	38	35	62	15	14
4 producers	9	6	15	12	17	8	6
5 or more producers	5	5	4	1	1	4	1
Total male producers	479	257	844	411	682	218	233
Farms by number of male producers:							
1 producer	344	158	630	272	423	115	149
2 producers	52	24	63	47	81	41	31
3 producers	7	11	20	15	25	7	3
4 producers	-	2	7	-	4	-	1
5 or more producers	2	2	-	-	1	-	1
Total female producers	253	114	368	168	250	97	86
Farms by number of female producers:							
1 producer	213	93	336	138	211	62	78
2 producers	18	4	12	15	18	10	4
3 producers	-	3	-	-	1	-	-
4 producers	1	1	2	-	-	2	-
5 or more producers	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	473	252	842	411	680	216	230
Female	251	111	362	167	249	88	86
Hired managers (see text)	66	41	51	39	106	20	18
Primary occupation:							
Farming	508	224	610	304	601	183	224
Other	216	139	594	274	328	121	92
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	586	186	883	366	632	218	167
Not on farm operated	138	177	321	212	297	86	149
Days worked off farm:							
None	380	202	540	287	524	124	166
Any	344	161	664	291	405	180	150
1 to 49 days	75	30	106	53	93	40	27
50 to 99 days	36	7	33	21	33	7	9
100 to 199 days	47	19	84	37	38	11	17
200 days or more	186	105	441	180	241	122	97
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	12	15	26	16	18	-	31
3 or 4 years	65	14	60	41	44	28	8
5 to 9 years	55	49	165	81	99	47	21
10 years or more	592	285	953	440	768	229	256
Average years on present farm	26.7	26.8	26.1	25.4	27.4	23.2	26.2
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	59	30	95	60	62	25	15
6 to 10 years	52	55	133	67	103	40	35
11 years or more	613	278	976	451	764	239	266
Average years on any farm	29.0	27.7	28.2	27.0	29.2	26.6	28.3
Age group:							
Under 25 years	8	2	7	4	14	6	-
25 to 34 years	70	36	78	25	58	24	29
35 to 44 years	122	40	191	108	108	45	47
45 to 54 years	100	44	201	84	150	59	48
55 to 64 years	191	107	343	175	318	71	98
65 to 74 years	140	92	250	116	205	66	54
75 years and over	93	42	134	66	76	33	40

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Todd	Tripp	Turner	Union	Walworth	Yankton	Ziebach
FARMS							
Land in farms	223	648	757	557	256	610	213
farms	880,043	1,036,646	392,794	290,055	453,301	329,607	1,099,454
Harvested cropland	151	472	553	415	172	454	125
farms	96,762	334,661	332,905	251,314	237,695	232,945	165,565
acres							
TENURE							
Full owners	65	331	404	278	121	340	72
farms	277,029	177,913	80,324	37,810	60,721	62,124	268,275
acres	32	193	220	149	62	207	31
Harvested cropland	17,283	56,563	58,812	21,915	22,017	26,645	17,644
farms							
acres							
Part owners	125	258	297	221	115	228	115
farms	549,748	804,712	286,993	230,044	377,910	245,451	701,245
acres	216,540	416,398	93,454	92,649	203,322	127,150	302,890
Owned land in farms	333,208	388,314	193,539	137,395	174,588	118,301	398,355
acres	111	246	290	214	102	220	78
Rented land in farms	76,834	252,910	250,347	208,260	207,461	191,979	132,766
acres							
Tenants	33	59	56	58	20	42	26
farms	53,266	54,021	25,477	22,201	14,670	22,032	129,934
acres	8	33	43	52	8	27	16
Harvested cropland	2,645	25,188	23,746	21,139	8,217	14,321	15,155
farms							
acres							
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRODUCERS (SEE TEXT)							
Total producers	388	1,088	1,273	841	427	966	350
number							
Farms by number of producers:							
1 producer	101	314	347	322	127	314	109
2 producers	89	273	330	204	102	257	77
3 producers	26	29	60	18	14	25	21
4 producers	5	19	18	11	12	7	6
5 or more producers	2	13	2	2	1	7	-
Total male producers	272	761	904	628	293	686	244
number							
Farms by number of male producers:							
1 producer	177	492	611	458	213	505	155
2 producers	28	81	85	64	29	59	31
3 producers	9	26	33	6	6	17	9
4 producers	3	6	6	3	1	3	-
5 or more producers	-	1	-	2	-	-	-
Total female producers	116	327	369	213	134	280	106
number							
Farms by number of female producers:							
1 producer	100	263	328	197	95	257	93
2 producers	8	22	16	8	9	7	5
3 producers	-	-	3	-	7	3	1
4 producers	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more producers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	270	756	902	624	292	683	244
Female	115	319	365	212	133	276	106
Hired managers (see text)	40	75	64	35	39	42	40
Primary occupation:							
Farming	265	636	593	426	226	499	247
Other	120	439	674	410	199	460	103
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	296	756	942	569	287	712	317
Not on farm operated	89	319	325	267	138	247	33
Days worked off farm:							
None	212	487	468	374	180	452	161
Any	173	588	799	462	245	507	189
1 to 49 days	8	104	117	77	41	57	36
50 to 99 days	17	53	46	28	26	24	5
100 to 199 days	29	39	71	41	16	73	26
200 days or more	119	392	565	316	162	353	122
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	17	48	49	37	7	27	16
3 or 4 years	27	83	100	58	36	40	23
5 to 9 years	45	95	116	129	62	99	49
10 years or more	296	849	1,002	612	320	793	262
Average years on present farm	28.0	25.0	25.7	24.6	26.3	26.3	27.3
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	44	127	140	107	39	77	41
6 to 10 years	44	94	100	92	46	80	34
11 years or more	297	854	1,027	637	340	802	275
Average years on any farm	29.8	26.3	27.3	26.2	27.9	28.3	29.2
Age group:							
Under 25 years	-	11	25	4	18	12	5
25 to 34 years	52	116	94	114	21	64	29
35 to 44 years	35	101	170	72	74	89	45
45 to 54 years	37	170	275	129	64	172	73
55 to 64 years	118	342	345	264	129	298	109
65 to 74 years	87	225	242	169	78	242	39
75 years and over	56	110	116	84	41	82	50

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	South Dakota	Aurora	Beadle	Bennett	Bon Homme	Brookings
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.						
Age group: - Con.						
Average age	56.2	55.8	54.9	54.5	55.8	56.9
Young producers (see text)	5,717	75	177	69	107	188
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	289	1	10	1	-	13
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,034	-	-	61	5	1
Asian	24	2	-	-	1	-
Black or African American	13	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	11	4	-	-	-	2
White	47,600	625	1,192	294	857	1,460
More than one race reported	231	-	3	6	2	5
Military service (see text):						
Never served	44,079	591	1,053	330	772	1,302
Served	4,834	40	142	31	93	166
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	99,619	1,293	2,405	786	1,628	3,038
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):						
Day-to-day decisions	42,019	548	1,045	311	731	1,250
Land use and/or crop decisions	37,136	461	943	280	664	1,107
Livestock decisions	28,884	407	842	261	497	762
Record keeping and/or financial management	38,330	518	991	280	694	1,072
Estate planning or succession planning	29,508	423	768	235	554	800
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS¹ (SEE TEXT)						
Total principal producers	39,136	493	958	288	715	1,146
Farms by number of principal producers:						
1 producer	14,950	192	357	113	335	449
2 producers	18,245	254	495	105	335	460
3 producers	3,366	22	75	27	30	166
4 producers	1,779	21	13	34	15	52
Total male principal producers	30,801	408	762	237	573	932
Farms by number of male principal producers:						
1 producer	23,303	302	600	160	476	694
2 producers	5,280	93	103	32	93	112
3 producers	1,623	9	58	22	4	99
4 producers	436	4	1	14	-	19
Total female principal producers	8,335	85	196	51	142	214
Farms by number of female principal producers:						
1 producer	7,394	79	190	47	138	186
2 producers	751	4	6	4	4	14
3 producers	95	-	-	-	-	6
4 producers	87	-	-	-	-	8
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹						
Sex of producers:						
Male	30,801	408	762	237	573	932
Female	8,335	85	196	51	142	214
Hired managers (see text)	1,972	8	21	17	9	82
Primary occupation:						
Farming	22,100	261	544	197	399	500
Other	17,036	232	414	91	316	646
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	28,563	359	710	207	490	784
Not on farm operated	10,573	134	248	81	225	362
Days worked off farm:						
None	18,204	209	462	141	340	454
Any	20,932	284	496	147	375	692
1 to 49 days	3,524	47	78	24	53	99
50 to 99 days	1,471	16	25	11	41	51
100 to 199 days	2,466	41	37	11	32	104
200 days or more	13,471	180	356	101	249	438
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	1,362	1	45	24	19	38
3 or 4 years	2,084	12	89	19	36	54
5 to 9 years	4,518	47	97	34	86	121
10 years or more	31,172	433	727	211	574	933
Average years on present farm	25.8	26.9	24.2	24.4	27.9	25.2
Years operating any farm (see text):						
5 years or less	3,344	9	111	39	59	85
6 to 10 years	3,966	46	86	38	80	121
11 years or more	31,826	438	761	211	576	940
Average years on any farm	27.8	28.9	26.7	26.8	29.2	27.2
Age group:						
Under 25 years	270	-	8	9	13	14
25 to 34 years	3,142	41	120	24	65	92
35 to 44 years	4,697	50	111	30	78	124
45 to 54 years	6,489	87	171	52	115	147

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Brown	Brule	Buffalo	Butte	Campbell	Charles Mix
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.						
Age group: - Con.						
Average age	56.9	55.2	54.1	57.4	57.1	55.4
Young producers (see text)	206	74	21	93	47	119
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	9	2	-	12	5	-
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	4	8	7	-	8
Asian	-	-	-	1	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	1
White	1,617	642	122	967	388	1,044
More than one race reported	3	4	-	3	-	-
Military service (see text):						
Never served	1,471	598	110	866	356	937
Served	156	52	20	112	32	116
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	3,394	1,389	259	1,612	680	2,190
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):						
Day-to-day decisions	1,354	562	124	875	341	924
Land use and/or crop decisions	1,181	498	97	802	287	812
Livestock decisions	765	446	75	753	235	626
Record keeping and/or financial management	1,292	525	94	792	302	852
Estate planning or succession planning	989	440	58	597	232	659
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)						
Total principal producers	1,364	512	107	785	326	883
Farms by number of principal producers:						
1 producer	566	199	29	211	136	351
2 producers	581	223	46	491	147	422
3 producers	114	53	3	53	17	64
4 producers	74	29	17	14	16	31
Total male principal producers	1,074	411	83	554	272	710
Farms by number of male principal producers:						
1 producer	774	313	43	482	201	540
2 producers	231	63	19	62	43	104
3 producers	56	29	11	8	16	47
4 producers	9	-	6	2	10	16
Total female principal producers	290	101	24	231	54	173
Farms by number of female principal producers:						
1 producer	248	93	20	201	40	159
2 producers	39	8	3	30	8	14
3 producers	3	-	1	-	-	-
4 producers	-	-	-	-	6	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹						
Sex of producers:						
Male	1,074	411	83	554	272	710
Female	290	101	24	231	54	173
Hired managers (see text)	74	39	8	17	16	47
Primary occupation:						
Farming	738	306	83	417	203	508
Other	626	206	24	368	123	375
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	886	410	87	690	210	592
Not on farm operated	478	102	20	95	116	291
Days worked off farm:						
None	651	250	48	348	163	413
Any	713	262	59	437	163	470
1 to 49 days	77	45	17	54	35	79
50 to 99 days	103	20	7	47	14	19
100 to 199 days	52	35	1	93	19	72
200 days or more	481	162	34	243	95	300
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	40	23	1	26	14	30
3 or 4 years	106	11	6	39	28	38
5 to 9 years	155	84	7	132	31	117
10 years or more	1,063	394	93	588	253	698
Average years on present farm	26.1	25.7	25.7	22.0	24.9	25.9
Years operating any farm (see text):						
5 years or less	140	43	8	74	20	84
6 to 10 years	141	67	2	79	37	91
11 years or more	1,083	402	97	632	269	708
Average years on any farm	28.1	27.5	29.2	26.6	27.6	27.5
Age group:						
Under 25 years	14	-	-	-	1	16
25 to 34 years	121	40	6	39	35	74
35 to 44 years	176	76	15	83	17	129
45 to 54 years	196	103	20	120	54	156

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Clark	Clay	Codington	Corson	Custer	Davison
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.						
Age group: - Con.						
Average age	56.8	57.0	55.5	52.7	60.9	56.6
Young producers (see text)	89	87	89	89	50	68
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	4	2	7	2	3	10
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	-	2	3	68	2	-
Asian	1	-	2	-	-	2
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	904	717	943	454	771	730
More than one race reported	2	1	-	8	-	4
Military service (see text):						
Never served	831	649	843	475	651	675
Served	76	71	105	55	122	61
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,952	1,517	1,996	1,091	1,217	1,488
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):						
Day-to-day decisions	756	601	847	466	678	657
Land use and/or crop decisions	674	538	679	373	588	556
Livestock decisions	437	268	456	393	607	428
Record keeping and/or financial management	675	586	686	416	592	596
Estate planning or succession planning	556	391	480	278	476	467
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)						
Total principal producers	708	588	766	396	591	589
Farms by number of principal producers:						
1 producer	303	284	305	150	159	231
2 producers	271	213	389	206	345	287
3 producers	58	56	31	28	60	56
4 producers	57	13	37	12	14	11
Total male principal producers	566	455	611	317	424	453
Farms by number of male principal producers:						
1 producer	429	363	469	264	336	380
2 producers	79	58	129	39	54	58
3 producers	49	18	6	14	25	14
4 producers	1	8	7	-	9	1
Total female principal producers	142	133	155	79	167	136
Farms by number of female principal producers:						
1 producer	119	121	136	74	147	121
2 producers	21	7	17	4	15	14
3 producers	2	2	2	1	4	1
4 producers	-	2	-	-	1	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹						
Sex of producers:						
Male	566	455	611	317	424	453
Female	142	133	155	79	167	136
Hired managers (see text)	10	22	42	20	17	12
Primary occupation:						
Farming	395	315	362	304	282	265
Other	313	273	404	92	309	324
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	455	366	574	322	488	486
Not on farm operated	253	222	192	74	103	103
Days worked off farm:						
None	364	243	335	235	217	233
Any	344	345	431	161	374	356
1 to 49 days	60	45	50	43	85	51
50 to 99 days	15	30	12	13	23	24
100 to 199 days	32	52	38	20	60	33
200 days or more	237	218	331	85	206	248
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	19	5	23	16	32	17
3 or 4 years	24	36	70	17	37	18
5 to 9 years	73	87	85	41	92	71
10 years or more	592	460	588	322	430	483
Average years on present farm	26.4	25.9	23.6	28.0	20.2	26.3
Years operating any farm (see text):						
5 years or less	46	47	78	36	73	50
6 to 10 years	71	71	91	33	65	44
11 years or more	591	470	597	327	453	495
Average years on any farm	28.1	28.2	25.4	29.2	24.0	27.9
Age group:						
Under 25 years	1	2	5	6	-	4
25 to 34 years	62	62	50	46	30	26
35 to 44 years	79	55	103	64	27	78
45 to 54 years	132	95	158	76	92	117

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Day	Deuel	Dewey	Douglas	Edmunds	Fall River	Faulk
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
Average age	56.4	54.7	56.3	53.8	54.0	56.7	53.2
Young producers (see text)	125	121	49	101	82	67	100
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	2	4	-	4	4	9	2
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	-	194	-	-	21	-
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
White	933	996	333	627	582	488	484
More than one race reported	-	1	4	-	1	1	-
Military service (see text):							
Never served	826	885	484	591	530	444	433
Served	108	112	48	36	53	66	51
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,998	2,007	952	1,457	1,234	901	1,050
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	788	877	484	534	492	459	425
Land use and/or crop decisions	659	726	437	475	425	409	388
Livestock decisions	467	563	432	375	290	418	257
Record keeping and/or financial management	703	781	429	502	468	413	404
Estate planning or succession planning	626	556	347	400	333	349	290
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)							
Total principal producers	774	808	392	489	468	411	381
Farms by number of principal producers:							
1 producer	307	327	140	205	174	160	157
2 producers	340	402	191	218	207	201	145
3 producers	67	41	39	29	40	18	24
4 producers	54	16	14	19	35	27	29
Total male principal producers	616	656	294	413	377	285	322
Farms by number of male principal producers:							
1 producer	434	500	249	337	275	233	228
2 producers	102	120	25	54	64	37	61
3 producers	40	15	20	22	29	14	29
4 producers	39	17	-	-	6	1	4
Total female principal producers	158	152	98	76	91	126	59
Farms by number of female principal producers:							
1 producer	146	145	92	63	80	104	43
2 producers	11	6	4	12	8	20	16
3 producers	1	1	-	1	3	2	-
4 producers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	616	656	294	413	377	285	322
Female	158	152	98	76	91	126	59
Hired managers (see text)	40	28	8	16	37	33	63
Primary occupation:							
Farming	415	397	258	290	309	232	299
Other	359	411	134	199	159	179	82
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	528	566	352	342	316	350	276
Not on farm operated	246	242	40	147	152	61	105
Days worked off farm:							
None	383	340	196	216	242	186	219
Any	391	468	196	273	226	225	162
1 to 49 days	48	48	33	36	43	38	25
50 to 99 days	19	43	11	24	8	17	23
100 to 199 days	49	37	37	43	18	33	20
200 days or more	275	340	115	170	157	137	94
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	45	32	7	9	26	23	20
3 or 4 years	35	33	7	29	19	16	18
5 to 9 years	81	87	35	67	62	39	40
10 years or more	613	656	343	384	361	333	303
Average years on present farm	27.2	25.7	29.6	26.3	24.5	23.3	26.2
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	72	57	14	48	50	36	32
6 to 10 years	71	94	40	49	50	50	46
11 years or more	631	657	338	392	368	325	303
Average years on any farm	28.5	27.3	30.9	27.8	27.3	26.0	27.7
Age group:							
Under 25 years	4	13	3	3	4	-	3
25 to 34 years	62	47	18	62	41	35	54
35 to 44 years	107	124	41	66	65	50	26
45 to 54 years	112	162	67	86	101	64	67

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Grant	Gregory	Haakon	Hamlin	Hand	Hanson	Harding
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
Average age	54.0	57.1	56.2	55.1	54.9	55.2	52.1
Young producers (see text)	133	88	49	95	87	63	122
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	3	2	-	10	1	4	17
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	1	7	-	-	-	8
Asian	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	922	787	524	739	682	551	517
More than one race reported	-	9	-	-	-	-	6
Military service (see text):							
Never served	867	712	490	673	649	492	505
Served	60	85	41	66	33	59	28
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,979	1,645	1,064	1,709	1,437	1,284	1,049
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	798	691	446	631	581	448	492
Land use and/or crop decisions	717	630	387	562	540	409	414
Livestock decisions	475	540	391	427	421	308	465
Record keeping and/or financial management	722	646	405	587	535	422	432
Estate planning or succession planning	538	498	329	530	404	333	364
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)							
Total principal producers	756	654	389	617	534	449	418
Farms by number of principal producers:							
1 producer	246	242	119	249	218	171	84
2 producers	398	319	173	316	180	177	204
3 producers	71	69	41	36	75	64	49
4 producers	34	16	36	9	60	18	56
Total male principal producers	605	536	311	486	429	364	293
Farms by number of male principal producers:							
1 producer	393	402	219	391	282	268	181
2 producers	173	122	44	77	103	58	92
3 producers	24	4	23	16	36	11	7
4 producers	14	8	21	2	8	23	5
Total female principal producers	151	118	78	131	105	85	125
Farms by number of female principal producers:							
1 producer	142	110	66	122	79	81	94
2 producers	9	8	7	8	22	2	31
3 producers	-	-	5	1	4	-	-
4 producers	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	605	536	311	486	429	364	293
Female	151	118	78	131	105	85	125
Hired managers (see text)	51	24	14	26	15	11	24
Primary occupation:							
Farming	437	396	259	318	384	250	326
Other	319	258	130	299	150	199	92
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	532	490	304	403	383	330	377
Not on farm operated	224	164	85	214	151	119	41
Days worked off farm:							
None	353	336	196	288	314	216	244
Any	403	318	193	329	220	233	174
1 to 49 days	88	85	47	65	75	27	46
50 to 99 days	18	15	17	19	9	22	13
100 to 199 days	36	24	17	43	29	26	41
200 days or more	261	194	112	202	107	158	74
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	40	37	-	41	15	28	14
3 or 4 years	57	41	33	32	48	25	7
5 to 9 years	113	84	41	38	77	21	63
10 years or more	546	492	315	506	394	375	334
Average years on present farm	24.7	26.5	26.6	25.5	25.6	27.3	24.5
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	86	81	27	67	57	46	33
6 to 10 years	93	65	36	45	61	24	58
11 years or more	577	508	326	505	416	379	327
Average years on any farm	26.7	28.5	28.7	26.8	27.6	29.0	27.4
Age group:							
Under 25 years	8	8	2	6	4	10	-
25 to 34 years	91	52	25	58	48	26	81
35 to 44 years	84	100	42	82	64	60	42
45 to 54 years	122	61	77	118	86	94	67

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Hughes	Hutchinson	Hyde	Jackson	Jerauld	Jones	Kingsbury
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
Average age	56.8	56.0	58.1	56.4	55.3	58.4	55.0
Young producers (see text)	29	174	14	68	26	27	141
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	8	6	2	4	2	1	-
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	-	-	80	-	1	-
Asian	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	508	1,244	291	399	382	322	844
More than one race reported	3	3	1	21	-	1	1
Military service (see text):							
Never served	467	1,148	251	467	357	306	765
Served	49	99	41	35	25	18	80
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,080	2,670	624	1,050	921	642	1,755
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	424	1,019	264	472	339	274	695
Land use and/or crop decisions	394	916	233	443	305	259	649
Livestock decisions	290	614	207	412	235	182	466
Record keeping and/or financial management	400	942	222	436	298	234	670
Estate planning or succession planning	307	802	152	332	220	209	456
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)							
Total principal producers	397	988	230	410	326	254	660
Farms by number of principal producers:							
1 producer	152	404	78	175	138	85	274
2 producers	198	429	110	162	137	142	255
3 producers	24	89	28	50	22	15	79
4 producers	23	36	10	10	15	6	41
Total male principal producers	319	799	177	327	270	196	526
Farms by number of male principal producers:							
1 producer	239	600	129	256	191	150	414
2 producers	66	150	38	63	46	39	82
3 producers	14	35	10	7	21	5	28
4 producers	-	-	-	-	12	2	-
Total female principal producers	78	189	53	83	56	58	134
Farms by number of female principal producers:							
1 producer	72	164	50	70	54	52	94
2 producers	6	13	2	5	2	4	19
3 producers	-	-	1	6	-	-	18
4 producers	-	12	-	2	-	-	3
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	319	799	177	327	270	196	526
Female	78	189	53	83	56	58	134
Hired managers (see text)	17	47	19	8	21	29	24
Primary occupation:							
Farming	188	552	145	305	152	167	405
Other	209	436	85	105	174	87	255
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	262	656	176	299	181	167	482
Not on farm operated	135	332	54	111	145	87	178
Days worked off farm:							
None	188	444	121	242	128	127	348
Any	209	544	109	168	198	127	312
1 to 49 days	26	85	21	39	39	33	68
50 to 99 days	10	31	7	11	19	11	8
100 to 199 days	28	79	15	24	28	7	33
200 days or more	145	349	66	94	112	76	203
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	3	31	4	11	28	14	19
3 or 4 years	24	41	11	35	12	6	39
5 to 9 years	53	163	12	47	41	40	74
10 years or more	317	753	203	317	245	194	528
Average years on present farm	22.5	26.0	27.4	27.0	22.7	26.6	27.4
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	24	86	15	34	45	10	42
6 to 10 years	43	138	15	43	22	38	71
11 years or more	330	764	200	333	259	206	547
Average years on any farm	25.4	28.2	28.9	29.2	25.5	28.5	28.9
Age group:							
Under 25 years	-	6	-	4	-	-	11
25 to 34 years	15	87	9	41	15	21	61
35 to 44 years	70	114	30	50	76	25	88
45 to 54 years	46	174	40	63	52	37	80

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Lake	Lawrence	Lincoln	Lyman	McCook	McPherson	Marshall
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
Average age	54.4	60.2	58.0	57.1	54.9	57.4	56.6
Young producers (see text)	96	28	100	53	105	55	104
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	2	2	3	2	3	2	2
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	2	4	-	23	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Black or African American	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	745	469	1,164	626	874	621	871
More than one race reported	2	2	3	6	-	4	-
Military service (see text):							
Never served	684	410	1,043	603	824	545	795
Served	69	65	124	56	50	80	76
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,606	843	2,403	1,369	1,934	1,162	1,793
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	648	423	985	552	725	537	737
Land use and/or crop decisions	562	370	872	486	638	488	664
Livestock decisions	404	320	498	317	472	404	452
Record keeping and/or financial management	615	362	881	513	670	484	657
Estate planning or succession planning	421	344	688	418	498	383	480
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)							
Total principal producers	612	378	919	519	676	500	704
Farms by number of principal producers:							
1 producer	223	104	400	243	244	188	241
2 producers	300	234	430	174	295	241	281
3 producers	33	20	72	52	75	42	85
4 producers	28	15	11	28	51	16	63
Total male principal producers	496	264	768	417	539	393	565
Farms by number of male principal producers:							
1 producer	371	203	606	304	375	303	344
2 producers	85	48	111	92	117	59	134
3 producers	23	8	50	8	39	22	56
4 producers	17	-	1	9	8	4	26
Total female principal producers	116	114	151	102	137	107	139
Farms by number of female principal producers:							
1 producer	92	106	143	86	128	98	116
2 producers	10	8	8	10	9	8	22
3 producers	-	-	-	2	-	-	1
4 producers	14	-	-	4	-	1	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	496	264	768	417	539	393	565
Female	116	114	151	102	137	107	139
Hired managers (see text)	30	18	34	12	48	30	53
Primary occupation:							
Farming	313	161	423	282	357	324	370
Other	299	217	496	237	319	176	334
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	439	331	678	289	488	335	426
Not on farm operated	173	47	241	230	188	165	278
Days worked off farm:							
None	304	151	349	194	284	287	371
Any	308	227	570	325	392	213	333
1 to 49 days	44	38	76	48	62	27	40
50 to 99 days	18	31	44	27	14	17	14
100 to 199 days	25	38	60	45	36	24	31
200 days or more	221	120	390	205	280	145	248
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	32	10	29	14	8	17	18
3 or 4 years	24	10	46	25	56	4	38
5 to 9 years	63	44	97	57	68	53	94
10 years or more	493	314	747	423	544	426	554
Average years on present farm	25.2	24.4	26.0	25.8	26.9	27.3	26.2
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	58	20	64	38	69	30	65
6 to 10 years	56	47	103	34	69	36	69
11 years or more	498	311	752	447	538	434	570
Average years on any farm	26.9	26.1	27.9	27.7	27.9	29.2	29.0
Age group:							
Under 25 years	2	4	-	-	8	-	5
25 to 34 years	69	14	58	21	53	32	52
35 to 44 years	80	39	111	60	85	57	81
45 to 54 years	99	59	139	102	135	95	90

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Meade	Mellette	Miner	Minnehaha	Moody	Oglala Lakota	Pennington
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
Average age	54.4	59.0	57.1	56.9	54.9	61.0	57.7
Young producers (see text)	206	31	64	160	144	18	99
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	13	-	-	5	6	5	18
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	13	46	1	6	4	178	24
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
White	1,386	335	631	1,647	796	104	1,057
More than one race reported	8	9	-	6	1	9	15
Military service (see text):							
Never served	1,253	345	569	1,491	743	255	944
Served	154	45	64	168	59	36	153
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	2,588	777	1,296	3,260	1,662	652	2,008
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	1,251	339	554	1,399	689	251	974
Land use and/or crop decisions	1,094	306	463	1,244	528	211	877
Livestock decisions	1,142	322	362	894	430	221	827
Record keeping and/or financial management	1,109	302	521	1,309	616	215	886
Estate planning or succession planning	844	222	379	1,033	444	175	675
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)							
Total principal producers	1,119	311	511	1,346	629	256	879
Farms by number of principal producers:							
1 producer	370	96	225	500	229	101	291
2 producers	605	144	230	690	313	134	485
3 producers	61	28	27	88	62	19	49
4 producers	50	25	25	50	17	2	47
Total male principal producers	805	211	421	1,003	502	190	587
Farms by number of male principal producers:							
1 producer	648	160	350	811	404	131	471
2 producers	124	35	46	161	53	56	97
3 producers	28	14	17	21	41	3	18
4 producers	1	-	5	2	-	-	-
Total female principal producers	314	100	90	343	127	66	292
Farms by number of female principal producers:							
1 producer	277	72	88	320	115	66	263
2 producers	32	16	2	22	10	-	28
3 producers	4	6	-	1	-	-	1
4 producers	1	6	-	-	2	-	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	805	211	421	1,003	502	190	587
Female	314	100	90	343	127	66	292
Hired managers (see text)	51	26	17	65	53	14	23
Primary occupation:							
Farming	674	236	226	594	329	144	431
Other	445	75	285	752	300	112	448
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	989	230	343	1,114	477	202	756
Not on farm operated	130	81	168	232	152	54	123
Days worked off farm:							
None	427	193	188	499	263	127	367
Any	692	118	323	847	366	129	512
1 to 49 days	157	17	50	129	47	27	116
50 to 99 days	45	5	13	61	25	6	47
100 to 199 days	107	24	43	91	43	26	55
200 days or more	383	72	217	566	251	70	294
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	33	23	16	46	26	6	29
3 or 4 years	74	2	9	52	40	9	76
5 to 9 years	131	33	42	166	72	23	84
10 years or more	881	253	444	1,082	491	218	690
Average years on present farm	24.2	29.2	26.9	25.6	25.4	28.7	23.0
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	96	18	24	88	56	17	98
6 to 10 years	123	26	39	161	74	18	77
11 years or more	900	267	448	1,097	499	221	704
Average years on any farm	26.2	31.2	28.2	27.4	26.9	30.6	25.3
Age group:							
Under 25 years	13	6	3	6	12	-	3
25 to 34 years	102	15	45	92	76	16	47
35 to 44 years	161	20	55	115	61	25	88
45 to 54 years	165	64	74	236	106	38	141

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Perkins	Potter	Roberts	Sanborn	Spink	Stanley	Sully
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
Average age	56.5	57.5	57.0	57.3	57.0	56.1	56.9
Young producers (see text)	86	40	104	35	80	34	29
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	6	5	5	2	1	7	2
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	1	14	-	-	14	6
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
White	717	362	1,175	578	929	279	309
More than one race reported	4	-	15	-	-	7	1
Military service (see text):							
Never served	645	317	1,082	510	804	269	284
Served	79	46	122	68	125	35	32
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,309	754	2,536	1,195	2,017	635	655
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	642	316	1,023	504	733	258	293
Land use and/or crop decisions	559	281	857	428	693	252	249
Livestock decisions	543	117	545	311	365	212	148
Record keeping and/or financial management	549	274	945	442	743	252	271
Estate planning or succession planning	459	224	633	332	590	175	182
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)							
Total principal producers	575	289	963	451	732	252	267
Farms by number of principal producers:							
1 producer	172	119	436	185	281	79	114
2 producers	336	112	410	188	279	109	107
3 producers	45	36	78	55	127	36	25
4 producers	13	9	23	21	43	20	18
Total male principal producers	424	222	765	360	598	191	208
Farms by number of male principal producers:							
1 producer	332	156	615	268	419	113	149
2 producers	78	35	94	66	125	63	45
3 producers	9	25	43	26	41	15	1
4 producers	-	2	13	-	11	-	10
Total female principal producers	151	67	198	91	134	61	59
Farms by number of female principal producers:							
1 producer	139	57	182	81	109	50	57
2 producers	12	5	12	10	24	8	2
3 producers	-	3	-	-	1	-	-
4 producers	-	2	4	-	-	2	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	424	222	765	360	598	191	208
Female	151	67	198	91	134	61	59
Hired managers (see text)	43	33	36	31	71	13	15
Primary occupation:							
Farming	414	195	522	259	493	152	194
Other	161	94	441	192	239	100	73
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	480	150	697	295	499	185	141
Not on farm operated	95	139	266	156	233	67	126
Days worked off farm:							
None	302	169	451	220	432	111	141
Any	273	120	512	231	300	141	126
1 to 49 days	56	24	79	50	72	23	26
50 to 99 days	27	6	31	17	26	2	8
100 to 199 days	34	14	74	29	27	9	13
200 days or more	156	76	328	135	175	107	79
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	9	11	14	14	9	-	26
3 or 4 years	49	6	40	32	27	24	7
5 to 9 years	35	34	120	49	74	44	19
10 years or more	482	238	789	356	622	184	215
Average years on present farm	27.2	28.0	27.7	27.3	28.4	23.9	26.1
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	48	18	57	45	37	21	13
6 to 10 years	29	37	102	37	75	37	31
11 years or more	498	234	804	369	620	194	223
Average years on any farm	29.5	29.0	29.6	29.0	30.4	27.0	28.3
Age group:							
Under 25 years	2	1	3	2	-	2	-
25 to 34 years	54	25	42	23	41	11	18
35 to 44 years	93	33	144	63	77	39	39
45 to 54 years	77	30	161	66	117	57	45

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Todd	Tripp	Turner	Union	Walworth	Yankton	Ziebach
PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
Average age	58.2	56.5	55.5	56.3	55.4	57.7	55.4
Young producers (see text)	60	137	148	127	44	84	37
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	4	15	2	2	-	8	1
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	83	11	5	-	-	3	100
Asian	-	2	-	3	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	294	1,054	1,256	829	425	956	229
More than one race reported	8	8	5	4	-	-	21
Military service (see text):							
Never served	329	950	1,188	771	382	873	319
Served	56	125	79	65	43	86	31
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	800	2,142	2,537	1,753	855	1,941	694
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	340	886	1,041	710	359	845	302
Land use and/or crop decisions	323	846	943	683	298	728	276
Livestock decisions	294	712	679	387	202	519	292
Record keeping and/or financial management	304	829	972	666	296	753	280
Estate planning or succession planning	216	664	727	467	258	584	215
NUMBER OF TOTAL PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS ¹ (SEE TEXT)							
Total principal producers	290	857	1,011	684	328	768	290
Farms by number of principal producers:							
1 producer	101	314	347	322	127	314	109
2 producers	133	404	492	306	149	367	123
3 producers	38	64	114	33	27	48	44
4 producers	13	44	52	17	23	17	14
Total male principal producers	234	670	812	586	267	639	221
Farms by number of male principal producers:							
1 producer	174	484	598	457	210	495	155
2 producers	38	119	121	103	45	91	51
3 producers	16	51	73	13	10	42	15
4 producers	6	12	20	7	2	11	-
Total female principal producers	56	187	199	98	61	129	69
Farms by number of female principal producers:							
1 producer	46	154	180	96	48	120	63
2 producers	10	18	14	2	12	6	4
3 producers	-	-	5	-	1	3	2
4 producers	-	15	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹							
Sex of producers:							
Male	234	670	812	586	267	639	221
Female	56	187	199	98	61	129	69
Hired managers (see text)	17	50	47	26	35	34	31
Primary occupation:							
Farming	200	523	513	373	184	441	210
Other	90	334	498	311	144	327	80
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	231	618	757	473	230	562	260
Not on farm operated	59	239	254	211	98	206	30
Days worked off farm:							
None	151	397	399	329	150	379	136
Any	139	460	612	355	178	389	154
1 to 49 days	8	76	87	69	37	51	31
50 to 99 days	17	43	37	17	24	20	3
100 to 199 days	24	34	49	35	10	48	19
200 days or more	90	307	439	234	107	270	101
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	16	41	37	26	3	18	11
3 or 4 years	15	59	58	33	16	27	18
5 to 9 years	30	81	97	111	46	75	38
10 years or more	229	676	819	514	263	648	223
Average years on present farm	28.6	25.2	26.5	25.7	27.7	27.2	27.9
Years operating any farm (see text):							
5 years or less	31	98	95	74	21	55	26
6 to 10 years	27	80	76	72	33	53	30
11 years or more	232	679	840	538	274	660	234
Average years on any farm	30.6	26.6	28.0	27.4	29.1	29.4	30.1
Age group:							
Under 25 years	-	3	5	2	2	2	2
25 to 34 years	41	93	62	82	13	45	18
35 to 44 years	19	76	143	64	61	65	42
45 to 54 years	27	129	225	107	44	138	56

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	South Dakota	Aurora	Beadle	Bennett	Bon Homme	Brookings
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.						
Age group: - Con.						
55 to 64 years	11,739	154	264	79	190	377
65 to 74 years	8,715	113	206	61	192	222
75 years and over	4,084	48	78	33	62	170
Average age	57.3	57.2	55.5	56.7	56.7	58.7
Young producers (see text)	3,808	43	130	42	86	113
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	225	1	10	1	-	11
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	822	-	-	38	5	-
Asian	15	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	9	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4	-	-	-	-	2
White	38,097	493	958	247	708	1,139
More than one race reported	189	-	-	3	2	5
Military service (see text):						
Never served	34,711	460	820	258	627	989
Served	4,425	33	138	30	88	157
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	88,387	1,215	2,180	685	1,504	2,645
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):						
Day-to-day decisions	35,915	459	887	268	652	1,058
Land use and/or crop decisions	32,476	407	819	246	594	957
Livestock decisions	24,697	341	698	226	441	630
Record keeping and/or financial management	32,730	427	834	242	616	897
Estate planning or succession planning	25,162	352	648	208	474	682
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)						
Farms with-						
Internet access	24,285	322	632	154	466	748
Dial-up service	672	10	17	3	18	26
DSL service	4,389	50	106	30	122	75
Cable modem service	4,328	64	161	22	81	102
Fiber-optic service	8,026	158	82	80	195	365
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	8,748	74	267	60	119	307
Satellite	3,119	24	108	17	26	82
Don't know (see text)	2,143	40	62	5	29	54
Other Internet service	321	1	25	-	-	6
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)						
farms	28,462	370	722	202	567	835
acres	40,485,460	347,981	790,603	580,375	289,013	404,379
Limited Liability Company	1,486	24	26	5	21	36
farms	3,049,543	16,427	45,175	30,620	9,126	21,206
acres						
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES						
Family or individual						
farms	24,925	335	646	180	524	715
acres	28,669,472	293,240	612,337	(D)	269,869	270,681
Partnership						
farms	2,306	42	62	20	26	48
acres	6,234,668	44,219	109,454	107,643	8,466	65,338
Corporation:						
Family held						
farms	1,741	4	22	10	14	75
acres	4,772,610	11,331	75,074	59,520	3,368	106,083
Other than family held						
farms	167	1	2	-	-	2
acres	187,518	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)						
farms	829	10	12	3	19	46
acres	3,379,474	(D)	(D)	(D)	23,211	(D)

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Brown	Brule	Buffalo	Butte	Campbell	Charles Mix
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.						
Age group: - Con.						
55 to 64 years	401	124	30	262	100	262
65 to 74 years	299	100	30	216	74	172
75 years and over	157	69	6	65	45	74
Average age	57.4	57.1	57.1	58.9	58.6	55.6
Young producers (see text)	168	42	8	43	36	98
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	9	1	-	11	5	-
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	4	8	7	-	7
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	1,354	504	99	775	326	876
More than one race reported	3	4	-	3	-	-
Military service (see text):						
Never served	1,213	461	87	682	298	770
Served	151	51	20	103	28	113
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	3,129	1,217	233	1,451	607	2,024
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):						
Day-to-day decisions	1,199	477	105	747	291	825
Land use and/or crop decisions	1,068	444	83	674	252	750
Livestock decisions	681	381	68	635	201	560
Record keeping and/or financial management	1,139	439	88	671	259	759
Estate planning or succession planning	859	381	52	516	195	574
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)						
Farms with-						
Internet access	815	309	59	441	184	574
Dial-up service	23	7	-	17	2	20
DSL service	244	18	16	75	27	160
Cable modem service	149	52	10	47	49	118
Fiber-optic service	72	197	30	128	106	172
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	329	74	15	154	86	169
Satellite	111	13	2	78	6	29
Don't know (see text)	83	18	2	43	6	48
Other Internet service	31	-	-	2	3	5
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)						
farms	971	372	58	546	232	619
acres	1,005,005	478,367	289,597	1,127,527	401,793	626,854
Limited Liability Company	38	30	12	31	1	30
farms	64,235	49,746	39,137	95,726	(D)	19,691
acres						
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES						
Family or individual						
farms	833	327	51	491	206	545
acres	680,774	348,876	(D)	788,783	314,222	509,102
Partnership						
farms	99	42	12	31	8	62
acres	215,006	119,433	41,430	200,125	28,160	58,781
Corporation:						
Family held						
farms	76	16	1	35	20	40
acres	166,093	30,010	(D)	125,808	68,410	89,770
Other than family held						
farms	6	3	1	1	7	7
acres	65	862	(D)	(D)	6,804	2,112
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)						
farms	20	6	3	7	8	17
acres	21,076	18,355	(D)	(D)	16,165	26,223

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Clark	Clay	Codington	Corson	Custer	Davison
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.						
Age group: - Con.						
55 to 64 years	201	172	234	104	153	174
65 to 74 years	160	146	169	59	205	120
75 years and over	73	56	47	41	84	70
Average age	57.4	57.5	56.2	54.0	62.0	58.0
Young producers (see text)	67	65	63	55	32	34
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	2	2	4	1	3	6
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	-	1	1	47	1	-
Asian	1	-	-	-	-	2
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	705	586	765	341	590	586
More than one race reported	2	1	-	8	-	1
Military service (see text):						
Never served	639	532	666	344	478	529
Served	69	56	100	52	113	60
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,702	1,307	1,790	993	1,050	1,306
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):						
Day-to-day decisions	645	519	716	366	550	559
Land use and/or crop decisions	586	467	615	308	485	476
Livestock decisions	369	234	410	321	496	358
Record keeping and/or financial management	565	516	602	329	489	509
Estate planning or succession planning	468	348	411	228	400	391
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)						
Farms with-						
Internet access	452	374	484	260	339	392
Dial-up service	35	18	8	3	14	7
DSL service	103	78	72	66	161	42
Cable modem service	102	64	106	29	35	88
Fiber-optic service	145	22	39	55	58	75
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	184	188	244	40	118	137
Satellite	40	83	129	85	48	101
Don't know (see text)	23	24	40	12	15	31
Other Internet service	5	4	9	-	-	25
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)						
farms	530	437	567	315	435	454
acres	580,978	213,915	349,213	1,248,577	526,552	267,409
Limited Liability Company	14	13	39	4	18	17
farms						
acres	22,881	4,042	64,009	4,720	69,253	12,845
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES						
Family or individual						
farms	466	402	498	277	372	409
acres	473,432	190,636	206,202	(D)	(D)	195,779
Partnership	45	29	52	21	32	32
farms						
acres	51,330	22,178	116,361	154,767	121,050	64,616
Corporation:						
Family held	18	26	30	15	30	13
farms						
acres	43,663	21,392	41,112	89,022	84,985	8,605
Other than family held	5	4	8	-	1	-
farms						
acres	506	1,700	8,568	-	(D)	-
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)						
farms	19	11	13	9	6	9
acres	33,080	3,034	10,923	(D)	(D)	1,256

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Day	Deuel	Dewey	Douglas	Edmunds	Fall River	Faulk
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
55 to 64 years	235	225	129	135	138	119	141
65 to 74 years	154	150	93	94	79	112	62
75 years and over	100	87	41	43	40	31	28
Average age	57.8	56.3	58.7	54.5	55.2	57.6	54.8
Young producers (see text)	81	78	21	79	55	46	60
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	2	4	-	-	4	9	2
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	-	155	-	-	15	-
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
White	773	808	234	489	467	395	381
More than one race reported	-	-	2	-	1	1	-
Military service (see text):							
Never served	673	699	349	453	418	349	333
Served	101	109	43	36	50	62	48
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,757	1,799	839	1,269	1,105	811	933
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	688	754	383	443	433	380	359
Land use and/or crop decisions	590	667	359	423	378	346	329
Livestock decisions	415	496	336	331	243	355	211
Record keeping and/or financial management	627	686	342	426	396	350	336
Estate planning or succession planning	557	490	272	338	291	291	243
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)							
Farms with-							
Internet access	399	504	227	307	297	257	252
Dial-up service	7	15	3	16	11	13	5
DSL service	94	53	33	55	41	68	35
Cable modem service	94	57	13	74	50	31	40
Fiber-optic service	97	300	95	111	165	117	120
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	136	128	57	97	110	65	114
Satellite	12	23	39	17	28	14	12
Don't know (see text)	62	34	44	30	13	25	24
Other Internet service	-	2	1	1	-	5	1
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)							
farms	540	594	294	381	330	309	277
acres	544,354	322,303	1,114,964	261,361	648,547	875,907	581,544
Limited Liability Company	31	25	20	12	26	24	13
farms				(D)	62,966	97,570	67,715
acres	41,197	13,933	36,166				
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES							
Family or individual							
farms	475	545	256	361	263	267	224
acres	429,320	264,138	803,743	243,170	443,598	473,936	398,145
Partnership							
farms	41	30	28	19	49	19	27
acres	68,533	15,120	115,114	17,333	217,831	81,954	85,757
Corporation:							
Family held	41	43	16	6	26	16	33
acres	82,868	48,848	45,245	13,708	65,921	(D)	126,249
Other than family held	-	3	-	3	1	1	-
farms					(D)	(D)	-
acres	-	268	-	60			
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)							
farms	24	13	10	3	9	11	7
acres	29,890	6,948	172,462	484	(D)	(D)	17,013

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Grant	Gregory	Haakon	Hamlin	Hand	Hanson	Harding
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
55 to 64 years	256	173	128	177	162	121	136
65 to 74 years	156	185	84	116	100	95	65
75 years and over	39	75	31	60	70	43	27
Average age	54.8	57.7	57.4	56.1	56.5	56.1	53.3
Young producers (see text)	99	65	31	74	53	42	91
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	3	2	-	5	1	3	8
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	1	3	-	-	-	7
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	753	649	386	617	534	449	405
More than one race reported	-	4	-	-	-	-	6
Military service (see text):							
Never served	700	577	350	551	505	396	390
Served	56	77	39	66	29	53	28
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,757	1,489	892	1,600	1,206	1,148	869
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	688	603	361	553	481	405	406
Land use and/or crop decisions	629	560	322	496	445	375	346
Livestock decisions	412	479	311	371	330	275	386
Record keeping and/or financial management	614	553	321	511	451	372	361
Estate planning or succession planning	449	416	252	454	330	289	303
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)							
Farms with-							
Internet access	435	409	255	402	332	246	229
Dial-up service	14	13	-	25	7	-	3
DSL service	69	99	56	117	34	17	45
Cable modem service	84	49	40	59	70	36	35
Fiber-optic service	80	197	150	79	127	143	145
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	139	128	72	176	126	96	52
Satellite	56	23	23	42	56	15	14
Don't know (see text)	57	41	17	63	31	24	15
Other Internet service	31	2	-	-	3	4	-
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)							
farms	534	483	283	446	384	310	256
acres	402,520	540,875	1,087,089	290,590	817,325	248,194	1,366,293
Limited Liability Company	22	46	33	9	26	19	19
farms							
acres	37,295	56,366	185,668	12,556	86,261	6,830	105,083
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES							
Family or individual							
farms	463	410	242	405	319	275	198
acres	257,534	374,300	844,094	207,635	505,012	209,611	851,104
Partnership							
farms	42	54	31	26	50	25	34
acres	80,798	86,919	218,109	43,868	271,241	15,238	165,809
Corporation:							
Family held							
farms	40	16	10	33	18	13	24
acres	80,154	71,441	63,342	39,542	98,315	17,853	314,306
Other than family held							
farms	3	3	-	4	3	8	2
acres	(D)	5,100	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)							
farms	6	12	10	8	15	12	7
acres	(D)	24,325	32,125	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Hughes	Hutchinson	Hyde	Jackson	Jerauld	Jones	Kingsbury
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
55 to 64 years	133	267	71	109	79	67	190
65 to 74 years	88	228	47	85	86	68	162
75 years and over	45	112	33	58	18	36	68
Average age	58.4	57.3	58.9	57.5	55.4	59.2	56.8
Young producers (see text)	15	111	10	47	19	21	83
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	8	6	2	2	-	1	-
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	-	-	64	-	-	-
Asian	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	389	986	229	326	326	253	659
More than one race reported	3	2	1	20	-	1	1
Military service (see text):							
Never served	356	892	189	375	303	240	592
Served	41	96	41	35	23	14	68
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	932	2,334	540	943	872	550	1,529
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	361	890	217	391	302	234	577
Land use and/or crop decisions	339	830	190	384	272	224	555
Livestock decisions	223	521	160	349	213	153	390
Record keeping and/or financial management	332	814	186	363	269	202	549
Estate planning or succession planning	244	704	135	284	198	180	381
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)							
Farms with-							
Internet access	266	599	152	249	187	157	429
Dial-up service	2	16	3	12	1	2	11
DSL service	38	34	10	64	21	28	32
Cable modem service	58	140	30	32	42	30	53
Fiber-optic service	45	359	96	100	91	32	81
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	92	219	58	100	72	81	180
Satellite	34	37	-	28	9	19	104
Don't know (see text)	46	29	10	27	18	13	54
Other Internet service	10	1	-	-	5	2	24
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)							
farms	300	726	169	286	231	182	487
acres	401,502	408,924	479,088	1,114,758	334,299	559,831	482,055
Limited Liability Company	27	32	12	17	15	17	18
farms	64,867	16,296	108,786	72,848	11,928	59,124	16,041
acres							
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES							
Family or individual							
farms	254	671	136	250	200	139	436
acres	290,492	355,884	317,382	700,523	(D)	450,514	399,814
Partnership							
farms	44	35	17	24	29	28	39
acres	107,536	17,288	130,127	111,837	78,772	78,597	35,650
Corporation:							
Family held							
farms	10	31	12	17	9	14	17
acres	28,233	55,179	42,127	76,333	18,308	83,074	71,854
Other than family held							
farms	1	2	1	6	-	-	4
acres	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,278	-	-	9,130
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)							
farms	6	36	8	17	6	11	22
acres	(D)	(D)	(D)	276,273	(D)	6,283	19,539

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Lake	Lawrence	Lincoln	Lyman	McCook	McPherson	Marshall
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
55 to 64 years	186	104	317	189	197	127	224
65 to 74 years	144	89	212	78	141	128	187
75 years and over	32	69	82	69	57	61	65
Average age	55.5	60.3	58.0	58.9	55.9	58.7	58.0
Young producers (see text)	73	22	69	21	66	33	65
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	1	2	2	2	2	2	1
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	2	4	-	23	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Black or African American	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	606	372	916	486	676	496	704
More than one race reported	-	2	3	6	-	4	-
Military service (see text):							
Never served	546	318	815	469	630	430	632
Served	66	60	104	50	46	70	72
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,426	718	2,153	1,192	1,656	1,039	1,594
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	567	360	841	471	620	453	637
Land use and/or crop decisions	500	309	758	435	533	432	571
Livestock decisions	356	273	430	275	410	350	373
Record keeping and/or financial management	523	296	742	438	561	426	564
Estate planning or succession planning	360	294	564	363	420	342	411
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)							
Farms with-							
Internet access	389	220	586	319	422	289	421
Dial-up service	5	2	8	8	24	8	30
DSL service	34	25	99	79	127	42	34
Cable modem service	74	25	119	52	45	49	120
Fiber-optic service	143	10	69	80	113	152	199
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	145	96	277	100	161	97	130
Satellite	47	112	114	14	38	26	19
Don't know (see text)	39	15	62	44	44	20	34
Other Internet service	-	-	14	2	2	3	-
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)							
farms	439	264	719	388	481	371	482
acres	251,556	156,618	284,357	805,194	347,311	680,139	474,324
Limited Liability Company	27	20	22	36	33	8	29
farms							
acres	43,189	44,952	17,914	46,918	11,487	7,088	45,585
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES							
Family or individual							
farms	396	236	673	300	431	331	401
acres	206,405	(D)	221,909	596,115	265,136	568,582	272,674
Partnership							
farms	30	13	35	56	30	13	35
acres	23,378	15,303	37,464	138,884	45,620	43,358	107,645
Corporation:							
Family held							
farms	13	21	29	36	31	26	53
acres	22,199	22,068	24,736	52,655	47,780	70,805	123,876
Other than family held							
farms	5	-	1	5	8	1	5
acres	3,072	-	(D)	13,940	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)							
farms	19	5	18	17	12	11	9
acres	17,475	(D)	(D)	149,201	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Meade	Mellette	Miner	Minnehaha	Moody	Oglala Lakota	Pennington
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
55 to 64 years	339	71	164	448	160	59	283
65 to 74 years	234	76	129	344	149	62	226
75 years and over	105	59	41	105	65	56	91
Average age	56.1	60.7	57.6	57.8	56.2	60.9	59.0
Young producers (see text)	131	24	53	107	97	16	52
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	3	-	-	5	6	3	14
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	13	25	1	4	3	153	18
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
White	1,098	279	509	1,336	624	94	845
More than one race reported	8	7	-	6	1	9	15
Military service (see text):							
Never served	996	274	449	1,195	575	223	747
Served	123	37	62	151	54	33	132
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	2,266	625	1,152	2,967	1,518	587	1,752
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	1,051	291	477	1,243	585	233	833
Land use and/or crop decisions	933	260	416	1,119	482	193	754
Livestock decisions	945	275	321	802	380	203	700
Record keeping and/or financial management	938	262	440	1,136	526	190	744
Estate planning or succession planning	739	196	327	898	380	161	554
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)							
Farms with-							
Internet access	661	179	325	894	411	157	545
Dial-up service	6	12	13	28	-	3	24
DSL service	166	62	24	71	54	28	125
Cable modem service	57	27	59	165	89	29	102
Fiber-optic service	114	38	169	481	43	34	60
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	271	53	110	255	186	59	194
Satellite	120	9	20	77	90	27	139
Don't know (see text)	78	19	27	57	54	12	39
Other Internet service	4	-	1	16	10	-	4
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)							
farms	809	207	386	985	453	170	635
acres	1,921,867	718,644	314,893	342,318	242,889	1,057,486	1,109,129
Limited Liability Company	44	21	21	48	12	16	42
farms	188,124	112,286	36,907	16,807	4,703	65,552	60,552
acres							
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES							
Family or individual							
farms	754	164	357	891	398	128	575
acres	1,626,309	(D)	258,378	264,702	192,989	(D)	726,774
Partnership							
farms	44	31	12	36	39	37	25
acres	181,799	158,232	47,686	49,501	29,927	157,548	97,475
Corporation:							
Family held							
farms	26	18	21	67	28	4	35
acres	132,851	59,695	27,711	46,675	36,869	30,848	110,026
Other than family held							
farms	-	1	5	9	3	-	7
acres	-	(D)	814	310	154	-	(D)
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)							
farms	11	5	13	20	22	21	14
acres	57,816	(D)	16,767	13,478	5,085	(D)	(D)

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Perkins	Potter	Roberts	Sanborn	Spink	Stanley	Sully
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
55 to 64 years	164	93	302	137	264	54	85
65 to 74 years	108	72	194	102	171	60	48
75 years and over	77	35	117	58	62	29	32
Average age	57.0	58.1	58.1	58.7	58.3	57.4	57.6
Young producers (see text)	62	28	55	29	47	16	18
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	6	5	5	2	1	7	2
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	-	13	-	-	10	6
Asian	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Black or African American	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	569	289	941	451	732	233	260
More than one race reported	3	-	9	-	-	7	1
Military service (see text):							
Never served	504	246	856	384	617	218	235
Served	71	43	107	67	115	34	32
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	1,169	668	2,266	1,000	1,687	559	586
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	539	267	876	421	618	227	251
Land use and/or crop decisions	482	245	756	377	597	219	228
Livestock decisions	458	97	481	256	317	183	127
Record keeping and/or financial management	463	237	830	361	627	219	239
Estate planning or succession planning	390	191	549	279	487	153	163
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)							
Farms with-							
Internet access	355	176	623	281	461	134	178
Dial-up service	6	2	14	5	10	10	-
DSL service	76	21	159	61	104	19	19
Cable modem service	60	44	123	100	103	25	46
Fiber-optic service	173	100	261	98	93	46	105
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	75	63	212	93	190	67	88
Satellite	20	9	52	11	85	18	6
Don't know (see text)	17	15	66	10	54	4	9
Other Internet service	-	-	11	-	6	4	-
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)							
farms	410	206	736	332	501	167	186
acres	1,589,647	511,464	536,516	340,170	774,943	795,018	602,223
Limited Liability Company	17	19	17	26	19	15	17
farms							
acres	117,123	64,314	11,150	28,186	41,136	87,474	41,747
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES							
Family or individual							
farms	360	134	671	278	404	134	140
acres	1,254,688	197,472	422,023	250,608	511,017	601,784	(D)
Partnership	26	30	42	26	43	19	41
farms							
acres	132,970	176,433	36,177	55,448	117,285	123,947	267,349
Corporation:							
Family held	23	45	54	27	81	14	17
farms							
acres	173,527	164,121	103,941	40,149	312,009	66,244	79,380
Other than family held	2	2	3	2	3	2	-
farms							
acres	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)							
farms	10	10	12	18	25	3	3
acres	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 45. Selected Operation and Producer Characteristics: 2017 (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Todd	Tripp	Turner	Union	Walworth	Yankton	Ziebach
PRINCIPAL PRODUCER CHARACTERISTICS ¹ - Con.							
Age group: - Con.							
55 to 64 years	97	277	269	211	108	245	93
65 to 74 years	70	189	207	140	67	201	34
75 years and over	36	90	100	78	33	72	45
Average age	58.5	57.2	56.4	57.0	57.4	58.8	56.4
Young producers (see text)	41	99	90	91	20	54	23
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (see text)	4	13	1	-	-	6	1
Producers by race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	63	10	2	-	-	3	90
Asian	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
Black or African American	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	221	838	1,003	681	328	765	185
More than one race reported	6	7	5	1	-	-	15
Military service (see text):							
Never served	246	748	948	622	286	696	263
Served	44	109	63	62	42	72	27
Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	672	1,887	2,275	1,582	781	1,774	624
On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):							
Day-to-day decisions	278	763	907	615	283	712	264
Land use and/or crop decisions	275	748	825	601	247	644	247
Livestock decisions	248	628	590	328	169	462	250
Record keeping and/or financial management	256	718	836	584	248	646	238
Estate planning or succession planning	181	558	613	407	211	503	180
INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)							
Farms with-							
Internet access	184	541	592	464	225	491	167
Dial-up service	10	3	8	3	4	13	6
DSL service	53	119	109	69	35	70	17
Cable modem service	25	44	137	77	31	86	19
Fiber-optic service	27	309	97	66	100	39	98
Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	53	108	222	199	65	260	56
Satellite	63	41	111	137	28	91	8
Don't know (see text)	13	40	49	23	28	45	14
Other Internet service	-	1	9	9	-	17	-
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)							
farms	207	588	734	539	230	596	207
acres	791,050	953,810	381,197	280,156	420,414	317,312	1,074,354
Limited Liability Company	9	44	19	27	23	22	11
farms							
acres	40,555	29,489	29,160	11,781	20,778	15,286	76,031
OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES							
Family or individual							
farms	180	500	654	494	173	532	170
acres	458,486	753,760	279,113	244,871	213,173	240,179	(D)
Partnership	16	93	52	21	38	42	27
farms							
acres	68,415	134,379	68,514	15,982	114,213	42,047	175,901
Corporation:							
Family held	9	37	38	21	37	31	9
farms							
acres	52,830	127,380	41,795	24,132	115,967	41,782	71,660
Other than family held	-	6	-	-	4	-	-
farms							
acres	-	2,974	-	-	3,407	-	-
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. (see text)							
farms	18	12	13	21	4	5	7
acres	300,312	18,153	3,372	5,070	6,541	5,599	(D)

¹ Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.