

Table 66. Producers with Military Service - Selected Producer Characteristics: 2017

[Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers	Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers
Producers number	8,266	7,562	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years	14	9
Male	7,870	7,284	25 to 34 years	116	86
Female	396	278	35 to 44 years	266	231
Hired managers (see text)	106	93	45 to 54 years	910	778
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	1,448	1,274
Farming	4,218	3,980	65 to 74 years	3,284	3,086
Other	4,048	3,582	75 years and over	2,228	2,098
Place of residence:			Average age	67.4	67.9
On farm operated	6,385	5,915	Young producers (see text)	145	109
Not on farm operated	1,881	1,647	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	77	56
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	4,140	3,867	American Indian or Alaska Native	84	83
Any	4,126	3,695	Asian	8	2
1 to 49 days	644	583	Black or African American	781	708
50 to 99 days	406	364	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2	1
100 to 199 days	533	485	White	7,327	6,710
200 days or more	2,543	2,263	More than one race reported	64	58
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	17,331	16,316
2 years or less	323	274	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
3 or 4 years	646	563	Day-to-day decisions	7,612	7,203
5 to 9 years	1,032	896	Land use and/or crop decisions	6,697	6,326
10 years or more	6,265	5,829	Livestock decisions	6,003	5,716
Years operating any farm (see text):			Record keeping and/or financial management	6,520	6,228
5 years or less	1,008	880	Estate planning or succession planning	5,064	4,817
6 to 10 years	908	769			
11 years or more	6,350	5,913			