

Table 58. Female Producers - Selected Producer Characteristics: 2017

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

Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers	Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers
Producers number	28,839	20,405	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	887	545	45 to 54 years	5,464	3,826
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	8,682	6,267
Farming	9,546	7,184	65 to 74 years	6,372	4,786
Other	19,293	13,221	75 years and over	2,732	2,117
Place of residence:			Average age	57.1	58.3
On farm operated	22,921	16,497	Young producers (see text)	2,573	1,387
Not on farm operated	5,918	3,908	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	1,311	975
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	10,497	7,596	American Indian or Alaska Native	211	165
Any	18,342	12,809	Asian	217	150
1 to 49 days	2,996	2,053	Black or African American	27	24
50 to 99 days	1,420	999	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	27	17
100 to 199 days	2,736	1,881	White	28,116	19,877
200 days or more	11,190	7,876	More than one race reported	241	172
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	2,289	1,576	Never served	28,301	19,981
3 or 4 years	2,822	1,942	Served	538	424
5 to 9 years	4,748	3,228	Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	28,831	23,205
10 years or more	18,980	13,659	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years operating any farm (see text):			Day-to-day decisions	23,650	18,079
5 years or less	5,236	3,555	Land use and/or crop decisions	19,203	15,081
6 to 10 years	4,250	2,824	Livestock decisions	18,237	14,173
11 years or more	19,353	14,026	Record keeping and/or financial management	21,976	16,715
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning	16,290	12,453
Under 25 years	354	111			
25 to 34 years	1,876	1,080			
35 to 44 years	3,359	2,218			