

Table 68. Young Producers - Selected Producer Characteristics: 2017

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

Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers	Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers
Producers number	5,634	3,597	Years operating any farm (see text):		
Sex of producers:			5 years or less	2,579	1,566
Male	3,279	2,249	6 to 10 years	1,837	1,186
Female	2,355	1,348	11 years or more	1,218	845
Hired managers (see text)	641	342	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	651	422
Primary occupation:			Producers by race:		
Farming	1,927	1,305	American Indian or Alaska Native	74	43
Other	3,707	2,292	Asian	126	70
Place of residence:			Black or African American	104	53
On farm operated	3,548	2,292	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12	8
Not on farm operated	2,086	1,305	White	5,270	3,396
Days of work off farm:			More than one race reported	48	27
None	1,232	769	Military service (see text):		
Any	4,402	2,828	Never served	5,482	3,497
1 to 49 days	645	412	Served	152	100
50 to 99 days	341	188	Number of persons living in producers'		
100 to 199 days	701	432	households (see text)	10,344	7,910
200 days or more	2,715	1,796	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years on present farm:			Day-to-day decisions	4,478	3,244
2 years or less	1,001	614	Land use and/or crop decisions	3,520	2,622
3 or 4 years	1,513	977	Livestock decisions	3,577	2,574
5 to 9 years	1,948	1,221	Record keeping and/or financial management	3,292	2,510
10 years or more	1,172	785	Estate planning or succession planning	2,082	1,644