

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
Producersnumber	31,225	18,256	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	927	517	45 to 54 years	6,009	3,478
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	8,201	4,949
Farming	8,768	5,699	65 to 74 years	5,838	3,759
Other	22,457	12,557	75 years and over	2,983	2,184
Place of residence:			Average age	55.0	57.2
On farm operated	25,391	14,657	Young producers (see text)	4,036	1,673
Not on farm operated	5,834	3,599	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	267	189
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	12,686	7,666	American Indian or Alaska Native	54	36
Any	18,539	10,590	Asian	80	64
1 to 49 days	2,419	1,308	Black or African American	41	32
50 to 99 days	1,126	578	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	10	4
100 to 199 days	2,519	1,555	White	30,944	18,051
200 days or more	12,475	7,149	More than one race reported	96	69
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	2,080	1,103	Never served	30,899	18,023
3 or 4 years	2,475	1,319	Served	326	233
5 to 9 years	4,703	2,731	Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	26,801	19,587
10 years or more	21,967	13,103	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years operating any farm (see text):			Day-to-day decisions	23,199	15,450
5 years or less	4,773	2,551	Land use and/or crop decisions	16,175	11,576
6 to 10 years	4,230	2,435	Livestock decisions	14,379	9,806
11 years or more	22,222	13,270	Record keeping and/or financial management	22,457	14,573
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning	16,463	10,886
Under 25 years	525	122			
25 to 34 years	3,112	1,384			
35 to 44 years	4,557	2,380			