

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 | 5,572 | 4,138 | Age group - Con. | | |
| Hired managers (see text) | 538 | 365 | 45 to 54 years | 1,021 | 760 |
| Primary occupation: | | | 55 to 64 years | 1,806 | 1,426 |
| Farming | 2,310 | 1,895 | 65 to 74 years | 1,236 | 989 |
| Other | 3,262 | 2,243 | 75 years and over | 417 | 336 |
| Place of residence: | | | Average age | 56.6 | 58.3 |
| On farm operated | 4,166 | 3,171 | Young producers (see text) | 533 | 256 |
| Not on farm operated | 1,406 | 967 | Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin | 86 | 61 |
| Days of work off farm: | | | Producers by race: | | |
| None | 2,108 | 1,656 | American Indian or Alaska Native | 10 | 8 |
| Any | 3,464 | 2,482 | Asian | 47 | 30 |
| 1 to 49 days | 512 | 349 | Black or African American | 87 | 80 |
| 50 to 99 days | 277 | 203 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 2 | 2 |
| 100 to 199 days | 517 | 371 | White | 5,398 | 3,995 |
| 200 days or more | 2,158 | 1,559 | More than one race reported | 28 | 23 |
| Years on present farm: | | | Military service (see text): | | |
| 2 years or less | 343 | 212 | Never served | 5,520 | 4,106 |
| 3 or 4 years | 448 | 279 | Served | 52 | 32 |
| 5 to 9 years | 974 | 736 | Number of persons living in producers' households (see text) | 7,977 | 6,708 |
| 10 years or more | 3,807 | 2,911 | On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text): | | |
| Years operating any farm (see text): | | | Day-to-day decisions | 4,698 | 3,809 |
| 5 years or less | 808 | 510 | Land use and/or crop decisions | 3,528 | 2,933 |
| 6 to 10 years | 879 | 657 | Livestock decisions | 3,099 | 2,616 |
| 11 years or more | 3,885 | 2,971 | Record keeping and/or financial management | 4,171 | 3,410 |
| Age group: | | | Estate planning or succession planning | 2,828 | 2,332 |
| Under 25 years | 139 | 22 | | | |
| 25 to 34 years | 345 | 221 | | | |
| 35 to 44 years | 608 | 384 | | | |