

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	18,283	11,876	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	347	238	45 to 54 years	3,189	1,942
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	5,399	3,520
Farming	5,717	4,062	65 to 74 years	4,122	2,861
Other	12,566	7,814	75 years and over	2,393	1,816
Place of residence:			Average age	58.6	60.2
On farm operated	13,311	8,676	Young producers (see text)	1,430	762
Not on farm operated	4,972	3,200	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	188	136
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	7,841	5,378	American Indian or Alaska Native	66	51
Any	10,442	6,498	Asian	84	47
1 to 49 days	1,411	898	Black or African American	1,889	1,244
50 to 99 days	757	478	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4	4
100 to 199 days	1,469	901	White	16,163	10,477
200 days or more	6,805	4,221	More than one race reported	77	53
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	1,403	818	Never served	18,065	11,710
3 or 4 years	1,848	1,181	Served	218	166
5 to 9 years	2,851	1,850	Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	17,816	13,429
10 years or more	12,181	8,027	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years operating any farm (see text):			Day-to-day decisions	13,718	10,194
5 years or less	3,464	2,158	Land use and/or crop decisions	10,060	7,919
6 to 10 years	2,436	1,503	Livestock decisions	8,940	6,811
11 years or more	12,383	8,215	Record keeping and/or financial management	12,955	9,260
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning	9,438	6,948
Under 25 years	235	57			
25 to 34 years	1,037	604			
35 to 44 years	1,908	1,076			