

Table 66. Producers with Military Service - 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	19,419	17,957	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years	13	2
Male	18,534	17,329	25 to 34 years	385	323
Female	885	628	35 to 44 years	752	623
Hired managers (see text)	241	194	45 to 54 years	1,904	1,698
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	2,574	2,322
Farming	10,482	9,983	65 to 74 years	8,060	7,596
Other	8,937	7,974	75 years and over	5,731	5,393
Place of residence:			Average age	68.0	68.4
On farm operated	15,182	14,305	Young producers (see text)	447	366
Not on farm operated	4,237	3,652	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	153	140
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	10,947	10,306	American Indian or Alaska Native	87	82
Any	8,472	7,651	Asian	24	21
1 to 49 days	1,310	1,189	Black or African American	42	37
50 to 99 days	788	740	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	5	5
100 to 199 days	1,232	1,129	White	19,064	17,626
200 days or more	5,142	4,593	More than one race reported	197	186
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	40,222	37,904
2 years or less	791	648	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
3 or 4 years	1,059	928	Day-to-day decisions	17,858	16,905
5 to 9 years	1,845	1,626	Land use and/or crop decisions	15,852	15,061
10 years or more	15,724	14,755	Livestock decisions	13,557	12,932
Years operating any farm (see text):			Record keeping and/or financial management	14,988	14,393
5 years or less	1,798	1,536	Estate planning or succession planning	12,577	12,081
6 to 10 years	1,610	1,422			
11 years or more	16,011	14,999			