

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	8,227	7,339	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years	-	-
Male	7,682	6,889	25 to 34 years	138	92
Female	545	450	35 to 44 years	384	323
Hired managers (see text)	224	186	45 to 54 years	826	723
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	1,230	1,039
Farming	4,235	3,914	65 to 74 years	3,408	3,099
Other	3,992	3,425	75 years and over	2,241	2,063
Place of residence:			Average age	67.3	67.7
On farm operated	7,276	6,575	Young producers (see text)	164	118
Not on farm operated	951	764	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	172	151
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	4,121	3,736	American Indian or Alaska Native	108	87
Any	4,106	3,603	Asian	33	30
1 to 49 days	770	686	Black or African American	6	6
50 to 99 days	434	386	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	18	11
100 to 199 days	616	526	White	7,929	7,095
200 days or more	2,286	2,005	More than one race reported	133	110
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	16,809	15,533
2 years or less	358	322	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
3 or 4 years	506	432	Day-to-day decisions	7,469	6,933
5 to 9 years	953	745	Land use and/or crop decisions	6,692	6,183
10 years or more	6,410	5,840	Livestock decisions	5,372	5,012
Years operating any farm (see text):			Record keeping and/or financial management	5,820	5,552
5 years or less	876	756	Estate planning or succession planning	4,965	4,660
6 to 10 years	769	587			
11 years or more	6,582	5,996			