

Table 68. Young 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	3,138	2,014	Years operating any farm (see text):		
Sex of producers:			5 years or less	1,553	971
Male	1,901	1,353	6 to 10 years	975	653
Female	1,237	661	11 years or more	610	390
Hired managers (see text)	201	98	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	53	29
Primary occupation:			Producers by race:		
Farming	963	613	American Indian or Alaska Native	13	9
Other	2,175	1,401	Asian	8	-
Place of residence:			Black or African American	138	64
On farm operated	2,120	1,338	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Not on farm operated	1,018	676	White	2,962	1,928
Days of work off farm:			More than one race reported	17	13
None	554	309	Military service (see text):		
Any	2,584	1,705	Never served	3,003	1,918
1 to 49 days	330	222	Served	135	96
50 to 99 days	182	109	Number of persons living in producers'		
100 to 199 days	302	199	households (see text)	6,005	4,620
200 days or more	1,770	1,175	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years on present farm:			Day-to-day decisions	2,594	1,871
2 years or less	765	470	Land use and/or crop decisions	2,272	1,633
3 or 4 years	720	471	Livestock decisions	2,058	1,446
5 to 9 years	1,028	686	Record keeping and/or financial management	2,062	1,562
10 years or more	625	387	Estate planning or succession planning	1,292	1,010