

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	2,554	2,310	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years	-	-
Male	2,468	2,252	25 to 34 years	54	42
Female	86	58	35 to 44 years	98	81
Hired managers (see text)	39	31	45 to 54 years	176	143
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	301	259
Farming	1,249	1,166	65 to 74 years	1,034	960
Other	1,305	1,144	75 years and over	891	825
Place of residence:			Average age	69.6	70.0
On farm operated	1,770	1,636	Young producers (see text)	57	44
Not on farm operated	784	674	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	35	32
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	1,236	1,157	American Indian or Alaska Native	109	88
Any	1,318	1,153	Asian	1	1
1 to 49 days	268	228	Black or African American	-	-
50 to 99 days	121	111	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2	2
100 to 199 days	146	129	White	2,413	2,190
200 days or more	783	685	More than one race reported	29	29
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	5,732	5,243
2 years or less	76	62	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
3 or 4 years	142	120	Day-to-day decisions	2,339	2,183
5 to 9 years	202	175	Land use and/or crop decisions	2,169	2,014
10 years or more	2,134	1,953	Livestock decisions	1,875	1,753
Years operating any farm (see text):			Record keeping and/or financial management	1,957	1,854
5 years or less	207	177	Estate planning or succession planning	1,679	1,571
6 to 10 years	206	182			
11 years or more	2,141	1,951			