

Table 66. Producers with Military Service - Selected Producer Characteristics: 2022 and 2017

[Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Characteristics	2022	2017	Characteristics	2022	2017
Producers number	8,677	12,113	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years	12	26
Male	8,173	11,587	25 to 34 years	128	170
Female	504	526	35 to 44 years	368	444
Hired managers	633	769	45 to 54 years	591	772
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	965	1,384
Farming	4,885	6,757	65 to 74 years	2,262	4,878
Other	3,792	5,356	75 years and over	4,351	4,439
Place of residence:			Average age	71.5	70.3
On farm operated	6,395	9,167	Young producers (see text)	140	(NA)
Not on farm operated	2,282	2,946	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	693	935
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	4,339	6,275	American Indian or Alaska Native	88	167
Any	4,338	5,838	Asian	181	262
1 to 49 days	914	1,121	Black or African American	56	68
50 to 99 days	455	606	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	45	32
100 to 199 days	715	927	White	8,158	11,406
200 days or more	2,254	3,184	More than one race reported	149	178
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in		
2 years or less	266	364	producers' households	18,045	24,964
3 or 4 years	430	795	On farm involvement in decisionmaking:		
5 to 9 years	1,245	1,325	Day-to-day decisions	7,561	10,763
10 years or more	6,736	9,629	Land use and/or crop decisions	6,761	9,716
Years operating any farm:			Livestock decisions	3,233	5,000
5 years or less	774	1,142	Marketing decisions (see text)	4,777	(NA)
6 to 10 years	1,083	1,134	Record keeping and/or financial management	5,905	8,597
11 years or more	6,820	9,837	Estate planning or succession planning	4,949	7,281