

Table 62. Selected Producer Characteristics by Race: 2022 and 2017

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Characteristics	All producers		All producers reporting race as -					
	2022	2017	American Indian or Alaska Native only		Asian only		Black or African American only	
			2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producersnumber	67,082	68,087	229	211	584	461	2,700	2,773
Sex of producers:								
Male	43,322	44,839	165	126	344	257	1,885	2,017
Female	23,760	23,248	64	85	240	204	815	756
Hired managers	3,007	2,881	15	5	94	68	106	58
Primary occupation:								
Farming	26,974	27,062	121	70	380	318	1,294	1,279
Other	40,108	41,025	108	141	204	143	1,406	1,494
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	47,857	49,985	167	171	493	372	1,671	1,740
Not on farm operated	19,225	18,102	62	40	91	89	1,029	1,033
Days of work off farm:								
None	25,197	25,750	87	47	217	161	1,108	1,204
Any	41,885	42,337	142	164	367	300	1,592	1,569
1 to 49 days	5,965	5,439	30	12	53	48	209	271
50 to 99 days	3,183	3,111	13	22	33	42	140	157
100 to 199 days	6,076	5,781	32	29	36	30	260	268
200 days or more	26,661	28,006	67	101	245	180	983	873
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	3,837	5,072	5	15	44	56	163	175
3 or 4 years	6,295	7,494	37	24	102	50	236	257
5 to 9 years	14,235	11,218	53	32	216	116	519	437
10 years or more	42,715	44,303	134	140	222	239	1,782	1,904
Years operating any farm:								
5 years or less	11,037	13,091	44	29	161	117	472	452
6 to 10 years	12,048	9,652	45	42	169	124	412	395
11 years or more	43,997	45,344	140	140	254	220	1,816	1,926
Age group:								
Under 25 years	956	832	5	-	6	8	40	26
25 to 34 years	4,075	4,272	13	13	49	37	127	69
35 to 44 years	7,578	7,619	32	38	98	67	162	181
45 to 54 years	11,151	13,143	48	46	175	144	313	460
55 to 64 years	16,636	18,071	48	73	165	139	625	727
65 to 74 years	16,418	15,983	67	34	68	49	842	860
75 years and over.....	10,268	8,167	16	7	23	17	591	450
Average age	59.0	57.9	56.8	54.0	52.3	52.2	62.8	62.2
Young producers (see text)	5,031	(NA)	18	(NA)	55	(NA)	167	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	996	922	16	14	16	28	32	39
Military service:								
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	59,743	59,252	185	174	561	446	2,152	2,143
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	7,339	8,835	44	37	23	15	548	630
Number of persons living in producers' households	127,274	133,648	469	548	1,032	995	5,042	5,323
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:								
Day-to-day decisions	58,124	59,377	203	168	495	379	2,189	2,324
Land use and/or crop decisions	46,885	49,603	184	170	311	228	1,858	1,961
Livestock decisions	36,373	41,112	149	133	319	237	1,491	1,660
Marketing decisions (see text)	35,195	(NA)	154	(NA)	213	(NA)	1,401	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	46,690	50,139	173	173	383	276	1,773	1,921
Estate planning or succession planning	34,806	37,128	131	145	221	206	1,466	1,456

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Characteristics	All producers reporting race as - con.				All producers reporting more than one race	
	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander only		White only		2022	2017
	2022	2017	2022	2017		
Producersnumber	55	30	62,985	64,202	529	410
Sex of producers:						
Male	31	12	40,556	42,134	341	293
Female	24	18	22,429	22,068	188	117
Hired managers	14	1	2,768	2,730	10	19
Primary occupation:						
Farming	26	19	24,915	25,221	238	155
Other	29	11	38,070	38,981	291	255
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	42	25	45,101	47,382	383	295
Not on farm operated	13	5	17,884	16,820	146	115
Days of work off farm:						
None	12	20	23,593	24,190	180	128
Any	43	10	39,392	40,012	349	282
1 to 49 days	6	-	5,633	5,073	34	35
50 to 99 days	8	-	2,944	2,859	45	31
100 to 199 days	9	1	5,691	5,409	48	44
200 days or more	20	9	25,124	26,671	222	172
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	12	4	3,551	4,787	62	35
3 or 4 years	6	-	5,834	7,077	80	86
5 to 9 years	8	12	13,333	10,536	106	85
10 years or more	29	14	40,267	41,802	281	204
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	18	4	10,224	12,350	118	139
6 to 10 years	8	18	11,300	9,020	114	53
11 years or more	29	8	41,461	42,832	297	218
Age group:						
Under 25 years	2	-	878	790	25	8
25 to 34 years	14	-	3,837	4,111	35	42
35 to 44 years	2	6	7,197	7,286	87	41
45 to 54 years	8	12	10,524	12,407	83	74
55 to 64 years	23	10	15,616	16,995	159	127
65 to 74 years	6	2	15,352	14,962	83	76
75 years and over.....	-	-	9,581	7,651	57	42
Average age	48.9	51.7	58.9	57.8	54.6	56.1
Young producers (see text)	16	(NA)	4,715	(NA)	60	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	19	4	880	821	33	16
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	44	28	56,360	56,123	441	338
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	11	2	6,625	8,079	88	72
Number of persons living in producers' households	90	68	119,604	125,957	1,037	757
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:						
Day-to-day decisions	40	30	54,732	56,117	465	359
Land use and/or crop decisions	24	22	44,128	46,915	380	307
Livestock decisions	27	22	34,092	38,813	295	247
Marketing decisions (see text)	34	(NA)	33,103	(NA)	290	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	25	24	43,931	47,459	405	286
Estate planning or succession planning	17	24	32,709	35,063	262	234