

Table 54. Involvement in Decisionmaking by Selected Producer Characteristics: 2022 and 2017

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Characteristics	Day-to-day decisions		Land use and/or crop decisions		Livestock decisions	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producers number	19,916	18,534	16,604	15,425	11,893	12,389
Sex of producers:						
Male	12,847	11,907	11,387	10,637	7,213	7,740
Female	7,069	6,627	5,217	4,788	4,680	4,649
Hired managers	1,486	1,314	1,191	1,037	651	665
Primary occupation:						
Farming	8,902	8,498	7,530	7,235	5,289	5,589
Other	11,014	10,036	9,074	8,190	6,604	6,800
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	15,427	15,039	12,511	12,487	9,929	10,716
Not on farm operated	4,489	3,495	4,093	2,938	1,964	1,673
Days of work off farm:						
None	7,536	7,311	6,148	5,972	4,225	4,487
Any	12,380	11,223	10,456	9,453	7,668	7,902
1 to 49 days	1,772	1,659	1,525	1,390	980	1,050
50 to 99 days	1,018	828	873	720	560	527
100 to 199 days	1,590	1,475	1,374	1,189	1,003	1,011
200 days or more	8,000	7,261	6,684	6,154	5,125	5,314
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	1,084	954	959	774	626	632
3 or 4 years	1,508	1,476	1,250	1,280	918	998
5 to 9 years	3,678	2,627	2,999	2,195	2,315	1,859
10 years or more	13,646	13,477	11,396	11,176	8,034	8,900
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	2,755	2,505	2,311	2,083	1,693	1,724
6 to 10 years	3,200	2,268	2,666	1,903	1,995	1,598
11 years or more	13,961	13,761	11,627	11,439	8,205	9,067
Age group:						
Under 25 years	401	305	351	209	277	242
25 to 34 years	1,432	1,362	1,290	1,185	926	975
35 to 44 years	2,354	1,821	1,957	1,541	1,575	1,362
45 to 54 years	3,003	3,666	2,470	3,065	1,963	2,621
55 to 64 years	5,343	5,321	4,415	4,384	3,282	3,557
65 to 74 years	4,698	4,050	3,845	3,414	2,580	2,514
75 years and over	2,685	2,009	2,276	1,627	1,290	1,118
Average age	58.0	57.2	57.8	57.2	56.5	56.0
Young producers (see text)	1,833	(NA)	1,641	(NA)	1,203	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	244	210	193	172	147	125
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	44	58	42	43	31	51
Asian	290	232	155	161	142	168
Black or African American	217	216	200	193	125	150
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	8	18	6	14	6	8
White	19,173	17,903	16,063	14,925	11,472	11,939
More than one race reported	184	107	138	89	117	73
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	18,120	16,707	15,018	13,830	10,800	11,200
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	1,796	1,827	1,586	1,595	1,093	1,189
Number of persons living in producers' households	40,694	38,498	35,212	33,597	25,077	26,207

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Table 54. Involvement in Decisionmaking by Selected Producer Characteristics: 2022 and 2017 (continued)

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

Item	Marketing decisions (see text)		Record keeping and financial management		Estate or succession planning	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producers number	12,298	(NA)	15,910	15,361	11,785	11,299
Sex of producers:						
Male	7,827	(NA)	9,708	9,409	7,308	7,083
Female	4,471	(NA)	6,202	5,952	4,477	4,216
Hired managers	1,012	(NA)	1,071	994	692	602
Primary occupation:						
Farming	6,109	(NA)	7,091	7,042	5,012	5,136
Other	6,189	(NA)	8,819	8,319	6,773	6,163
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	9,611	(NA)	12,168	12,489	9,295	9,419
Not on farm operated	2,687	(NA)	3,742	2,872	2,490	1,880
Days of work off farm:						
None	4,695	(NA)	6,060	6,021	4,588	4,593
Any	7,603	(NA)	9,850	9,340	7,197	6,706
1 to 49 days	1,163	(NA)	1,371	1,411	999	991
50 to 99 days	640	(NA)	776	664	553	504
100 to 199 days	1,007	(NA)	1,326	1,225	936	885
200 days or more	4,793	(NA)	6,377	6,040	4,709	4,326
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	589	(NA)	731	718	510	447
3 or 4 years	958	(NA)	1,224	1,256	758	778
5 to 9 years	2,306	(NA)	2,878	2,142	1,895	1,398
10 years or more	8,445	(NA)	11,077	11,245	8,622	8,676
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	1,646	(NA)	2,122	2,012	1,319	1,263
6 to 10 years	2,063	(NA)	2,504	1,902	1,700	1,197
11 years or more	8,589	(NA)	11,284	11,447	8,766	8,839
Age group:						
Under 25 years	249	(NA)	186	159	108	62
25 to 34 years	980	(NA)	1,070	1,015	582	579
35 to 44 years	1,657	(NA)	1,881	1,553	1,144	960
45 to 54 years	1,790	(NA)	2,372	3,086	1,594	2,160
55 to 64 years	3,231	(NA)	4,365	4,391	3,303	3,249
65 to 74 years	2,855	(NA)	3,836	3,480	3,125	2,817
75 years and over	1,536	(NA)	2,200	1,677	1,929	1,472
Average age	57.2	(NA)	58.6	57.7	60.6	59.5
Young producers (see text)	1,229	(NA)	1,256	(NA)	690	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	138	(NA)	160	171	94	110
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	28	(NA)	38	48	31	30
Asian	119	(NA)	199	198	123	152
Black or African American	122	(NA)	155	182	91	124
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4	(NA)	7	14	7	15
White	11,918	(NA)	15,363	14,833	11,425	10,916
More than one race reported	107	(NA)	148	86	108	62
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	11,269	(NA)	14,517	13,913	10,583	10,058
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	1,029	(NA)	1,393	1,448	1,202	1,241
Number of persons living in producers' households	26,303	(NA)	32,911	32,101	23,591	22,544