

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	6,268	6,439	5,205	5,327	3,881	4,341
Sex of producers:						
Male	3,491	3,561	3,072	3,125	2,052	2,266
Female	2,777	2,878	2,133	2,202	1,829	2,075
Hired managers	407	336	290	262	214	175
Primary occupation:						
Farming	2,797	2,737	2,330	2,326	1,702	1,845
Other	3,471	3,702	2,875	3,001	2,179	2,496
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	5,313	5,617	4,344	4,620	3,455	3,894
Not on farm operated	955	822	861	707	426	447
Days of work off farm:						
None	2,429	2,281	1,921	1,852	1,359	1,484
Any	3,839	4,158	3,284	3,475	2,522	2,857
1 to 49 days	616	617	504	517	384	362
50 to 99 days	332	350	273	274	203	210
100 to 199 days	605	656	518	559	378	442
200 days or more	2,286	2,535	1,989	2,125	1,557	1,843
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	351	315	310	282	209	200
3 or 4 years	584	485	530	442	362	365
5 to 9 years	1,293	1,199	1,162	941	920	853
10 years or more	4,040	4,440	3,203	3,662	2,390	2,923
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	934	792	841	687	557	562
6 to 10 years	1,205	1,148	1,053	905	804	778
11 years or more	4,129	4,499	3,311	3,735	2,520	3,001
Age group:						
Under 25 years	86	94	60	65	82	53
25 to 34 years	351	338	305	290	244	239
35 to 44 years	675	726	605	627	457	575
45 to 54 years	984	1,099	804	899	654	778
55 to 64 years	1,578	1,979	1,309	1,626	988	1,367
65 to 74 years	1,840	1,637	1,491	1,357	1,047	1,036
75 years and over	754	566	631	463	409	293
Average age	59.1	57.7	58.9	57.6	57.7	56.6
Young producers (see text)	437	(NA)	365	(NA)	326	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	63	59	42	57	28	42
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	25	11	14	11	18	3
Asian	5	14	2	6	2	12
Black or African American	18	37	27	37	3	35
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3	-	-	-	-	-
White	6,164	6,325	5,101	5,231	3,817	4,253
More than one race reported	53	52	61	42	41	38
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	5,651	5,730	4,695	4,727	3,524	3,912
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	617	709	510	600	357	429
Number of persons living in producers' households	11,234	11,791	9,455	9,952	7,021	7,992

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

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Item	Marketing decisions (see text)		Record keeping and financial management		Estate or succession planning	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producers number	4,331	(NA)	4,980	5,347	3,901	3,919
Sex of producers:						
Male	2,266	(NA)	2,618	2,804	2,128	2,165
Female	2,065	(NA)	2,362	2,543	1,773	1,754
Hired managers	278	(NA)	300	266	191	176
Primary occupation:						
Farming	2,046	(NA)	2,244	2,281	1,599	1,670
Other	2,285	(NA)	2,736	3,066	2,302	2,249
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	3,663	(NA)	4,214	4,627	3,317	3,466
Not on farm operated	668	(NA)	766	720	584	453
Days of work off farm:						
None	1,594	(NA)	1,915	1,882	1,434	1,424
Any	2,737	(NA)	3,065	3,465	2,467	2,495
1 to 49 days	453	(NA)	471	529	362	376
50 to 99 days	277	(NA)	300	291	196	218
100 to 199 days	479	(NA)	534	535	395	334
200 days or more	1,528	(NA)	1,760	2,110	1,514	1,567
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	253	(NA)	290	281	180	186
3 or 4 years	396	(NA)	486	420	346	310
5 to 9 years	950	(NA)	1,035	968	780	670
10 years or more	2,732	(NA)	3,169	3,678	2,595	2,753
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	647	(NA)	747	698	499	488
6 to 10 years	847	(NA)	954	896	680	599
11 years or more	2,837	(NA)	3,279	3,753	2,722	2,832
Age group:						
Under 25 years	72	(NA)	57	48	37	14
25 to 34 years	275	(NA)	283	273	146	178
35 to 44 years	474	(NA)	542	613	421	393
45 to 54 years	689	(NA)	718	947	508	659
55 to 64 years	1,091	(NA)	1,232	1,629	983	1,164
65 to 74 years	1,212	(NA)	1,494	1,348	1,223	1,098
75 years and over	518	(NA)	654	489	583	413
Average age	58.5	(NA)	59.5	57.9	60.9	59.1
Young producers (see text)	347	(NA)	340	(NA)	183	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	44	(NA)	35	42	37	42
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	18	(NA)	14	10	11	8
Asian	2	(NA)	2	13	2	4
Black or African American	25	(NA)	15	31	10	28
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
White	4,239	(NA)	4,906	5,251	3,835	3,842
More than one race reported	47	(NA)	43	42	43	37
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	3,932	(NA)	4,471	4,781	3,494	3,482
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	399	(NA)	509	566	407	437
Number of persons living in producers' households	7,649	(NA)	8,903	9,956	6,650	6,960