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
Producersnumber	1,340	1,411	Age group:	7	2
Sex of producers: MaleFemale	1,286 54	1,357 54	Under 25 years 25 to 34 years 35 to 44 years 45 to 54 years	25 97 94 194	12 47 100 198
Hired managers	46	41	55 to 64 years	293 630	550 502
Primary occupation:	000	744			
Farming Other	638 702	711 700	Average age	69.3	70.0
Place of residence:			Young producers (see text)	32	(NA)
On farm operated Not on farm operated	1,032 308	1,210 201	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	35	40
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race: American Indian or Alaska Native	-	-
None Any	639 701	663 748	AsianBlack or African American	15 14	4 19
1 to 49 days	136	131	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	5	-
50 to 99 days 100 to 199 days	80 112 373	60 172 385	White	1,298 8	1,377 11
200 days or more	3/3	385	Number of persons living in		
Years on present farm: 2 years or less	29	55	producers' households	2,926	2,813
3 or 4 years	90	45	On farm involvement in decisionmaking:		
5 to 9 years	196 1,025	102 1,209	Day-to-day decisions Land use and/or crop decisions	1,163 992	1,270 1,094
,		,	Livestock decisions	624	707
Years operating any farm: 5 years or less	137	100	Marketing decisions (see text) Record keeping and/or financial management	689 910	(NA) 993
6 to 10 years	172 1.031	94 1,217	Estate planning or succession planning	676	800
11 years or more	1,031	1,217			