

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

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Characteristics	All producers		All producers reporting race as -					
			American Indian or Alaska Native only		Asian only		Black or African American only	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producers .....number	37,023	40,850	7,965	8,523	142	156	93	60
Sex of producers:								
Male .....	22,009	24,273	4,468	4,639	68	84	67	45
Female .....	15,014	16,577	3,497	3,884	74	72	26	15
Hired managers .....	1,329	1,269	82	55	5	2	2	1
Primary occupation:								
Farming .....	17,176	17,553	4,848	4,767	47	46	34	25
Other .....	19,847	23,297	3,117	3,756	95	110	59	35
Place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	25,804	28,930	5,541	6,175	85	86	68	46
Not on farm operated .....	11,219	11,920	2,424	2,348	57	70	25	14
Days of work off farm:								
None .....	13,683	15,343	2,961	3,636	37	64	17	22
Any .....	23,340	25,507	5,004	4,887	105	92	76	38
1 to 49 days .....	4,172	4,488	671	760	11	23	12	7
50 to 99 days .....	2,532	2,671	673	805	20	26	22	1
100 to 199 days .....	5,533	3,690	818	786	12	3	4	16
200 days or more .....	13,103	14,658	2,842	2,556	62	40	38	14
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	1,911	2,639	294	517	9	25	19	6
3 or 4 years .....	2,573	2,900	379	511	16	15	9	10
5 to 9 years .....	6,122	5,806	1,146	959	57	38	9	10
10 years or more .....	26,417	29,505	6,146	6,536	60	78	56	34
Years operating any farm:								
5 years or less .....	4,727	5,489	724	990	27	46	28	16
6 to 10 years .....	5,099	5,139	1,062	950	53	25	10	8
11 years or more .....	27,197	30,222	6,179	6,583	62	85	55	36
Age group:								
Under 25 years .....	602	550	195	164	1	10	-	8
25 to 34 years .....	2,064	2,008	551	454	18	-	10	7
35 to 44 years .....	3,634	3,762	813	736	12	25	22	9
45 to 54 years .....	4,862	6,459	1,036	1,535	41	33	21	7
55 to 64 years .....	8,887	11,605	1,905	2,238	27	25	17	9
65 to 74 years .....	10,589	10,396	2,126	1,907	23	35	9	18
75 years and over.....	6,385	6,070	1,339	1,489	20	28	14	2
Average age .....	60.6	59.8	59.5	59.7	56.2	57.7	53.6	50.7
Young producers (see text) .....	2,666	(NA)	746	(NA)	19	(NA)	10	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin .....	11,468	12,212	577	286	27	60	33	23
Military service:								
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text) .....	32,850	35,484	7,109	7,570	131	151	80	54
Active duty now or in the past (see text) .....	4,173	5,366	856	953	11	5	13	6
Number of persons living in producers' households .....	67,158	77,774	16,958	20,435	248	227	166	125
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:								
Day-to-day decisions .....	31,470	35,080	6,808	7,293	125	129	78	48
Land use and/or crop decisions .....	27,210	30,131	6,219	6,451	107	124	81	39
Livestock decisions .....	24,192	27,817	6,071	6,646	62	54	57	33
Marketing decisions (see text) .....	19,787	(NA)	4,382	(NA)	81	(NA)	52	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management .....	24,416	28,873	4,943	5,460	104	89	56	35
Estate planning or succession planning .....	19,341	22,046	4,395	4,178	89	77	57	29

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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		
Producers .....number	54	29	28,160	31,768	609	314
Sex of producers:						
Male .....	29	10	17,007	19,313	370	182
Female .....	25	19	11,153	12,455	239	132
Hired managers .....	1	1	1,227	1,196	12	14
Primary occupation:						
Farming .....	10	12	12,029	12,574	208	129
Other .....	44	17	16,131	19,194	401	185
Place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	42	21	19,611	22,384	457	218
Not on farm operated .....	12	8	8,549	9,384	152	96
Days of work off farm:						
None .....	10	5	10,479	11,511	179	105
Any .....	44	24	17,681	20,257	430	209
1 to 49 days .....	19	3	3,367	3,667	92	28
50 to 99 days .....	9	2	1,788	1,825	20	12
100 to 199 days .....	8	6	2,635	2,866	56	33
200 days or more .....	8	13	9,891	11,899	262	136
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	1	-	1,566	2,060	22	31
3 or 4 years .....	7	1	2,097	2,339	65	24
5 to 9 years .....	26	1	4,744	4,726	140	72
10 years or more .....	20	27	19,753	22,643	382	187
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less .....	21	2	3,861	4,402	66	33
6 to 10 years .....	1	3	3,829	4,073	144	80
11 years or more .....	32	24	20,470	23,293	399	201
Age group:						
Under 25 years .....	-	-	397	365	9	3
25 to 34 years .....	-	1	1,439	1,518	46	28
35 to 44 years .....	7	-	2,691	2,929	89	63
45 to 54 years .....	18	5	3,662	4,853	84	26
55 to 64 years .....	8	17	6,827	9,235	103	81
65 to 74 years .....	20	5	8,210	8,345	201	86
75 years and over.....	1	1	4,934	4,523	77	27
Average age .....	58.1	58.8	61.0	60.0	58.4	56.4
Young producers (see text) .....	-	(NA)	1,836	(NA)	55	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin .....	16	17	10,537	11,718	278	108
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text) .....	47	28	24,929	27,405	554	276
Active duty now or in the past (see text) .....	7	1	3,231	4,363	55	38
Number of persons living in producers' households .....	96	40	48,655	56,277	1,035	670
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:						
Day-to-day decisions .....	35	27	23,915	27,335	509	248
Land use and/or crop decisions .....	32	20	20,313	23,268	458	229
Livestock decisions .....	15	27	17,566	20,855	421	202
Marketing decisions (see text) .....	24	(NA)	14,921	(NA)	327	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management .....	21	21	18,851	23,044	441	224
Estate planning or succession planning .....	21	18	14,391	17,577	388	167