

**Table 58. Female Producers - 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
Producers .....number	43,933	43,256	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers .....	1,253	1,120	55 to 64 years .....	10,651	12,423
Primary occupation:			65 to 74 years .....	9,158	7,752
Farming .....	13,746	13,265	75 years and over .....	4,780	3,969
Other .....	30,187	29,991	Average age .....	55.4	55.2
Place of residence:			Young producers (see text) .....	5,252	(NA)
On farm operated .....	35,596	36,498	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin .....	407	382
Not on farm operated .....	8,337	6,758	Producers by race:		
Days of work off farm:			American Indian or Alaska Native .....	72	66
None .....	17,314	16,812	Asian .....	119	104
Any .....	26,619	26,444	Black or African American .....	80	60
1 to 49 days .....	3,611	3,330	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander .....	18	3
50 to 99 days .....	1,686	1,678	White .....	43,432	42,809
100 to 199 days .....	3,753	3,944	More than one race reported .....	212	214
200 days or more .....	17,569	17,492	Military service:		
Years on present farm:			Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text) .....	43,298	42,663
2 years or less .....	2,445	2,828	Active duty now or in the past (see text) .....	635	593
3 or 4 years .....	4,132	3,602	Number of persons living in producers' households .....	37,984	39,704
5 to 9 years .....	8,883	6,951	On farm involvement in decisionmaking:		
10 years or more .....	28,473	29,875	Day-to-day decisions .....	34,400	33,608
Years operating any farm:			Land use and/or crop decisions .....	24,972	24,288
5 years or less .....	7,454	6,773	Livestock decisions .....	21,773	22,051
6 to 10 years .....	7,588	6,386	Marketing decisions (see text) .....	21,827	(NA)
11 years or more .....	28,891	30,097	Record keeping and/or financial management .....	30,776	31,233
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning .....	23,413	23,203
Under 25 years .....	1,034	786			
25 to 34 years .....	4,218	3,827			
35 to 44 years .....	6,688	5,853			
45 to 54 years .....	7,404	8,646			