

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
Producersnumber	157,291	156,233	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers	2,387	1,796	55 to 64 years	42,853	45,403
Primary occupation:			65 to 74 years	39,860	36,529
Farming	51,503	48,351	75 years and over	22,591	19,583
Other	105,788	107,882	Average age	59.5	58.7
Place of residence:			Young producers (see text)	9,525	(NA)
On farm operated	112,340	115,248	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	14,208	13,900
Not on farm operated	44,951	40,985	Producers by race:		
Days of work off farm:			American Indian or Alaska Native	1,270	1,217
None	60,579	58,910	Asian	1,246	886
Any	96,712	97,323	Black or African American	3,316	3,189
1 to 49 days	15,296	14,472	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	160	93
50 to 99 days	7,762	7,548	White	149,822	149,537
100 to 199 days	13,046	13,210	More than one race reported	1,477	1,311
200 days or more	60,608	62,093	Military service:		
Years on present farm:			Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	154,267	153,327
2 years or less	9,379	10,976	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	3,024	2,906
3 or 4 years	14,091	14,381	Number of persons living in producers' households	141,282	145,069
5 to 9 years	33,880	26,377	On farm involvement in decisionmaking:		
10 years or more	99,941	104,499	Day-to-day decisions	125,745	124,675
Years operating any farm:			Land use and/or crop decisions	94,403	95,224
5 years or less	25,378	26,351	Livestock decisions	101,044	102,901
6 to 10 years	29,068	23,654	Marketing decisions (see text)	77,299	(NA)
11 years or more	102,845	106,228	Record keeping and/or financial management	111,027	114,988
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning	82,936	87,355
Under 25 years	2,162	1,879			
25 to 34 years	7,363	7,892			
35 to 44 years	17,162	16,047			
45 to 54 years	25,300	28,900			