Table 52. 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	2,045	1,718	Age group - Con.		
Sex of producers: MaleFemale	1,071 974 168	916 802 143	25 to 34 years 35 to 44 years 45 to 54 years 55 to 64 years 65 to 74 years	122 343 358 533 491	130 265 339 533 329
Primary occupation:			75 years and over	180	112
Farming Other	928 1,117	774 944	Average age	56.7	55.2
Place of residence: On farm operated Not on farm operated	1,630 415	1,368 350	Young producers (see text) Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	140 37	(NA) 38
Days of work off farm: None	711 1,334 248 179 279 628	604 1,114 181 108 243 582	Producers by race: American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander. White	96 13 8 3 1,886	65 13 6 - 1,604
Years on present farm: 2 years or less 3 or 4 years 5 to 9 years 10 years or more	101 165 560 1,219	162 236 434 886	More than one race reported	1,833 212	1,483 235
Average years on present farm	16.3	15.0	Number of persons living in producers' households	3,913	3,399
Years operating any farm: 5 years or less	319 472 1,254 18.0	426 361 931 16.9	On farm involvement in decisionmaking: Day-to-day decisions Land use and/or crop decisions Livestock decisions Marketing decisions (see text) Record keeping and/or financial management Estate planning or succession planning	1,817 1,632 1,020 1,341 1,532 1,031	1,501 1,387 864 (NA) 1,332 923