

Table 54. Involvement in Decisionmaking by Selected Producer Characteristics: 2022 and 2017

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Characteristics	Day-to-day decisions		Land use and/or crop decisions		Livestock decisions	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producers number	1,817	1,501	1,632	1,387	1,020	864
Sex of producers:						
Male	955	810	862	758	523	472
Female	862	691	770	629	497	392
Hired managers	148	114	97	83	61	42
Primary occupation:						
Farming	862	725	778	657	458	418
Other	955	776	854	730	562	446
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	1,479	1,235	1,334	1,141	877	743
Not on farm operated	338	266	298	246	143	121
Days of work off farm:						
None	640	539	554	486	346	291
Any	1,177	962	1,078	901	674	573
1 to 49 days	214	160	191	136	107	100
50 to 99 days	162	98	154	88	87	51
100 to 199 days	254	219	246	211	146	124
200 days or more	547	485	487	466	334	298
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	82	119	75	118	47	67
3 or 4 years	152	212	140	192	93	112
5 to 9 years	497	380	439	363	246	205
10 years or more	1,086	790	978	714	634	480
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	276	355	241	331	151	184
6 to 10 years	414	320	378	300	219	169
11 years or more	1,127	826	1,013	756	650	511
Age group:						
Under 25 years	12	8	6	6	4	6
25 to 34 years	102	108	93	99	50	62
35 to 44 years	295	227	282	205	206	142
45 to 54 years	314	289	283	253	176	178
55 to 64 years	480	483	424	442	259	261
65 to 74 years	455	286	396	284	239	153
75 years and over	159	100	148	98	86	62
Average age	57.1	55.4	57.0	55.8	56.4	54.9
Young producers (see text)	114	(NA)	99	(NA)	54	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	28	28	31	30	20	16
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	83	53	72	50	49	35
Asian	9	8	6	11	6	4
Black or African American	8	5	7	5	4	4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3	-	2	-	2	-
White	1,683	1,408	1,518	1,294	941	803
More than one race reported	31	27	27	27	18	18
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	1,630	1,287	1,454	1,183	893	723
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	187	214	178	204	127	141
Number of persons living in producers' households	3,553	3,053	3,231	2,858	2,033	1,843

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Table 54. Involvement in Decisionmaking by Selected Producer Characteristics: 2022 and 2017 (continued)

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Item	Marketing decisions (see text)		Record keeping and financial management		Estate or succession planning	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producers number	1,341	(NA)	1,532	1,332	1,031	923
Sex of producers:						
Male	654	(NA)	754	684	525	476
Female	687	(NA)	778	648	506	447
Hired managers	86	(NA)	131	99	56	46
Primary occupation:						
Farming	674	(NA)	735	630	513	439
Other	667	(NA)	797	702	518	484
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	1,103	(NA)	1,228	1,082	870	789
Not on farm operated	238	(NA)	304	250	161	134
Days of work off farm:						
None	468	(NA)	538	475	359	341
Any	873	(NA)	994	857	672	582
1 to 49 days	162	(NA)	186	144	123	81
50 to 99 days	123	(NA)	128	82	87	61
100 to 199 days	200	(NA)	225	193	168	123
200 days or more	388	(NA)	455	438	294	317
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	52	(NA)	63	118	39	58
3 or 4 years	122	(NA)	133	170	74	120
5 to 9 years	365	(NA)	410	341	245	221
10 years or more	802	(NA)	926	703	673	524
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	202	(NA)	232	311	124	188
6 to 10 years	314	(NA)	340	272	217	169
11 years or more	825	(NA)	960	749	690	566
Age group:						
Under 25 years	7	(NA)	6	5	4	3
25 to 34 years	84	(NA)	87	78	31	38
35 to 44 years	228	(NA)	238	200	153	120
45 to 54 years	228	(NA)	270	260	161	171
55 to 64 years	343	(NA)	399	428	287	325
65 to 74 years	330	(NA)	391	271	283	198
75 years and over	121	(NA)	141	90	112	68
Average age	57.0	(NA)	57.5	56.0	59.1	57.4
Young producers (see text)	91	(NA)	93	(NA)	35	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	21	(NA)	23	27	15	16
Producers by race:						
American Indian or Alaska Native	67	(NA)	71	44	54	26
Asian	7	(NA)	11	8	6	3
Black or African American	7	(NA)	6	5	6	4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2	(NA)	2	-	2	-
White	1,235	(NA)	1,411	1,252	951	872
More than one race reported	23	(NA)	31	23	12	18
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	1,203	(NA)	1,380	1,146	914	786
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	138	(NA)	152	186	117	137
Number of persons living in producers' households	2,647	(NA)	3,025	2,699	1,965	1,804