

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

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Characteristics	All producers		All producers reporting race as -					
	2022	2017	American Indian or Alaska Native only		Asian only		Black or African American only	
			2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producers .....number	9,374	9,526	4	12	52	44	18	25
Sex of producers:								
Male .....	5,520	5,634	2	7	25	23	10	14
Female .....	3,854	3,892	2	5	27	21	8	11
Hired managers .....	950	819	-	-	4	-	-	6
Primary occupation:								
Farming .....	4,212	3,814	2	3	26	3	7	10
Other .....	5,162	5,712	2	9	26	41	11	15
Place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	7,054	7,251	4	12	42	31	15	14
Not on farm operated .....	2,320	2,275	-	-	10	13	3	11
Days of work off farm:								
None .....	3,348	3,220	-	5	9	5	6	7
Any .....	6,026	6,306	4	7	43	39	12	18
1 to 49 days .....	1,007	895	4	-	5	9	5	2
50 to 99 days .....	481	549	-	-	4	2	-	2
100 to 199 days .....	832	924	-	2	12	6	3	6
200 days or more .....	3,706	3,938	-	5	22	22	4	8
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	577	581	-	3	7	6	2	8
3 or 4 years .....	810	722	-	-	17	6	1	9
5 to 9 years .....	1,666	1,527	-	2	11	17	11	2
10 years or more .....	6,321	6,696	4	7	17	15	4	6
Years operating any farm:								
5 years or less .....	1,439	1,429	-	3	26	12	3	14
6 to 10 years .....	1,540	1,468	-	-	13	17	11	5
11 years or more .....	6,395	6,629	4	9	13	15	4	6
Age group:								
Under 25 years .....	237	221	-	3	6	14	-	-
25 to 34 years .....	719	705	-	-	6	-	2	5
35 to 44 years .....	1,120	964	-	-	4	10	6	6
45 to 54 years .....	1,145	1,667	-	2	11	9	1	4
55 to 64 years .....	2,215	2,923	2	7	23	2	6	10
65 to 74 years .....	2,614	2,034	2	-	1	9	2	-
75 years and over.....	1,324	1,012	-	-	1	-	1	-
Average age .....	58.5	57.1	60.5	51.0	47.7	42.5	49.9	45.2
Young producers (see text) .....	956	(NA)	-	(NA)	12	(NA)	2	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin .....	166	134	-	3	-	1	3	9
Military service:								
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text) .....	8,665	8,586	2	10	52	41	14	19
Active duty now or in the past (see text) .....	709	940	2	2	-	3	4	6
Number of persons living in producers' households .....	17,313	17,934	(D)	18	64	85	28	63
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:								
Day-to-day decisions .....	8,119	8,401	4	9	42	37	17	23
Land use and/or crop decisions .....	6,827	7,034	2	9	31	26	13	23
Livestock decisions .....	4,877	5,286	2	5	23	21	10	10
Marketing decisions (see text) .....	5,532	(NA)	2	(NA)	33	(NA)	15	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management .....	6,315	6,688	2	7	35	17	14	14
Estate planning or succession planning .....	4,367	4,757	2	9	21	11	11	12

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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	3	6	9,234	9,392	63	47
Sex of producers:						
Male .....	-	4	5,444	5,556	39	30
Female .....	3	2	3,790	3,836	24	17
Hired managers .....	-	4	940	808	6	1
Primary occupation:						
Farming .....	-	4	4,152	3,776	25	18
Other .....	3	2	5,082	5,616	38	29
Place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	3	-	6,938	7,161	52	33
Not on farm operated .....	-	6	2,296	2,231	11	14
Days of work off farm:						
None .....	-	4	3,318	3,183	15	16
Any .....	3	2	5,916	6,209	48	31
1 to 49 days .....	3	2	985	882	5	-
50 to 99 days .....	-	-	466	545	11	-
100 to 199 days .....	-	-	813	904	4	6
200 days or more .....	-	-	3,652	3,878	28	25
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	-	2	566	559	2	3
3 or 4 years .....	-	-	786	701	6	6
5 to 9 years .....	-	-	1,615	1,500	29	6
10 years or more .....	3	4	6,267	6,632	26	32
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less .....	-	2	1,396	1,389	14	9
6 to 10 years .....	-	4	1,497	1,436	19	6
11 years or more .....	3	-	6,341	6,567	30	32
Age group:						
Under 25 years .....	-	-	231	204	-	-
25 to 34 years .....	-	4	705	687	6	9
35 to 44 years .....	-	-	1,096	938	14	10
45 to 54 years .....	-	2	1,113	1,641	20	9
55 to 64 years .....	3	-	2,173	2,889	8	15
65 to 74 years .....	-	-	2,596	2,023	13	2
75 years and over.....	-	-	1,320	1,010	2	2
Average age .....	60.0	33.7	58.6	57.2	51.5	49.3
Young producers (see text) .....	-	(NA)	936	(NA)	6	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin .....	-	4	154	114	9	3
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text) .....	3	6	8,533	8,465	61	45
Active duty now or in the past (see text) .....	-	-	701	927	2	2
Number of persons living in producers' households .....	(D)	12	17,089	17,619	125	137
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:						
Day-to-day decisions .....	3	6	7,994	8,282	59	44
Land use and/or crop decisions .....	-	6	6,729	6,926	52	44
Livestock decisions .....	-	4	4,812	5,215	30	31
Marketing decisions (see text) .....	3	(NA)	5,432	(NA)	47	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management .....	3	2	6,212	6,607	49	41
Estate planning or succession planning .....	3	2	4,305	4,693	25	30