

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

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Characteristics	All producers		All producers reporting race as -					
			American Indian or Alaska Native only		Asian only		Black or African American only	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
Producersnumber	121,342	116,417	106	108	196	160	155	229
Sex of producers:								
Male	87,415	83,222	61	76	75	63	85	146
Female	33,927	33,195	45	32	121	97	70	83
Hired managers	6,226	5,767	1	1	16	11	12	20
Primary occupation:								
Farming	52,947	51,281	49	46	42	46	77	98
Other	68,395	65,136	57	62	154	114	78	131
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	69,779	74,788	68	68	114	109	92	109
Not on farm operated	51,563	41,629	38	40	82	51	63	120
Days of work off farm:								
None	52,396	49,598	46	43	51	50	58	81
Any	68,946	66,819	60	65	145	110	97	148
1 to 49 days	10,991	9,804	12	22	15	18	13	20
50 to 99 days	4,890	4,332	3	8	13	9	13	29
100 to 199 days	7,724	7,814	5	11	21	9	8	16
200 days or more	45,341	44,869	40	24	96	74	63	83
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	5,621	5,363	2	14	10	17	16	22
3 or 4 years	8,448	7,294	7	4	17	15	10	25
5 to 9 years	20,678	15,473	29	14	43	38	31	55
10 years or more	86,595	88,287	68	76	126	90	98	127
Years operating any farm:								
5 years or less	15,023	13,442	9	14	37	32	39	41
6 to 10 years	17,515	13,553	26	16	29	37	25	47
11 years or more	88,804	89,422	71	78	130	91	91	141
Age group:								
Under 25 years	1,596	1,406	-	-	6	2	3	4
25 to 34 years	9,036	8,452	12	10	17	8	21	7
35 to 44 years	15,532	12,764	14	7	25	27	13	23
45 to 54 years	17,123	19,959	13	26	44	47	26	21
55 to 64 years	29,331	32,986	38	35	53	34	36	86
65 to 74 years	30,249	26,087	16	24	27	29	30	58
75 years and over	18,475	14,763	13	6	24	13	26	30
Average age	58.6	58.0	56.7	56.3	54.6	54.0	57.4	60.4
Young producers (see text)	10,632	(NA)	12	(NA)	23	(NA)	24	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	1,101	934	12	3	18	18	24	14
Military service:								
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	110,876	104,357	88	100	192	157	138	181
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	10,466	12,060	18	8	4	3	17	48
Number of persons living in producers' households	246,263	239,204	171	231	268	244	275	470
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:								
Day-to-day decisions	98,886	97,565	90	105	146	110	141	193
Land use and/or crop decisions	87,199	86,509	75	91	118	95	106	178
Livestock decisions	39,043	45,017	54	43	51	64	79	99
Marketing decisions (see text)	69,235	(NA)	61	(NA)	75	(NA)	88	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	86,794	88,135	73	72	106	93	109	168
Estate planning or succession planning	61,416	63,055	63	66	73	66	85	96

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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		
Producersnumber	32	21	120,514	115,605	339	294
Sex of producers:						
Male	18	10	86,957	82,724	219	203
Female	14	11	33,557	32,881	120	91
Hired managers	-	-	6,181	5,726	16	9
Primary occupation:						
Farming	11	3	52,592	50,949	176	139
Other	21	18	67,922	64,656	163	155
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	22	11	69,279	74,275	204	216
Not on farm operated	10	10	51,235	41,330	135	78
Days of work off farm:						
None	11	3	52,073	49,301	157	120
Any	21	18	68,441	66,304	182	174
1 to 49 days	-	3	10,921	9,702	30	39
50 to 99 days	-	5	4,844	4,272	17	9
100 to 199 days	2	-	7,673	7,748	15	30
200 days or more	19	10	45,003	44,582	120	96
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	-	3	5,577	5,280	16	27
3 or 4 years	9	12	8,369	7,225	36	13
5 to 9 years	4	-	20,491	15,318	80	48
10 years or more	19	6	86,077	87,782	207	206
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	9	15	14,875	13,301	54	39
6 to 10 years	2	-	17,367	13,402	66	51
11 years or more	21	6	88,272	88,902	219	204
Age group:						
Under 25 years	-	-	1,574	1,394	13	6
25 to 34 years	4	1	8,941	8,402	41	24
35 to 44 years	-	3	15,443	12,674	37	30
45 to 54 years	8	13	16,973	19,790	59	62
55 to 64 years	7	1	29,114	32,758	83	72
65 to 74 years	6	-	30,119	25,909	51	67
75 years and over.....	7	3	18,350	14,678	55	33
Average age	60.5	50.3	58.7	58.0	55.5	56.8
Young producers (see text)	4	(NA)	10,515	(NA)	54	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	4	15	1,037	868	6	16
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	23	17	110,157	103,656	278	246
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	9	4	10,357	11,949	61	48
Number of persons living in producers' households	60	34	244,857	237,691	632	534
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:						
Day-to-day decisions	30	18	98,191	96,894	288	245
Land use and/or crop decisions	21	16	86,612	85,901	267	228
Livestock decisions	7	18	38,679	44,641	173	152
Marketing decisions (see text)	16	(NA)	68,783	(NA)	212	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	18	20	86,228	87,564	260	218
Estate planning or succession planning	13	16	60,988	62,660	194	151