

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	100,655	96,352	594	485	201	107	160	228
Sex of producers:								
Male	66,076	63,670	387	307	87	37	104	152
Female	34,579	32,682	207	178	114	70	56	76
Hired managers	5,174	4,383	21	4	7	2	16	8
Primary occupation:								
Farming	41,342	40,901	231	150	67	26	66	67
Other	59,313	55,451	363	335	134	81	94	161
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	58,740	63,105	427	374	128	70	101	118
Not on farm operated	41,915	33,247	167	111	73	37	59	110
Days of work off farm:								
None	39,765	38,523	182	147	54	38	57	76
Any	60,890	57,829	412	338	147	69	103	152
1 to 49 days	8,430	7,694	66	28	27	16	16	10
50 to 99 days	3,901	3,526	16	22	11	5	3	14
100 to 199 days	6,498	6,503	54	34	11	6	13	20
200 days or more	42,061	40,106	276	254	98	42	71	108
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	4,395	4,905	26	30	45	10	4	34
3 or 4 years	7,754	6,215	70	29	36	7	28	9
5 to 9 years	18,527	13,369	117	89	44	35	30	32
10 years or more	69,979	71,863	381	337	76	55	98	153
Years operating any farm:								
5 years or less	13,255	11,104	112	63	88	18	31	42
6 to 10 years	15,280	12,007	90	74	24	33	34	32
11 years or more	72,120	73,241	392	348	89	56	95	154
Age group:								
Under 25 years	1,724	1,276	43	10	5	-	-	1
25 to 34 years	7,976	7,319	62	38	34	13	8	14
35 to 44 years	12,322	10,576	77	70	53	11	47	25
45 to 54 years	14,489	15,803	108	73	37	19	18	27
55 to 64 years	24,171	27,116	164	145	36	36	34	71
65 to 74 years	25,988	21,232	100	104	27	19	27	35
75 years and over.....	13,985	13,030	40	45	9	9	26	55
Average age	58.2	58.1	52.4	55.9	49.3	55.7	55.9	60.7
Young producers (see text)	9,700	(NA)	105	(NA)	39	(NA)	8	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	1,302	1,253	35	19	1	1	22	20
Military service:								
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	92,617	86,688	536	413	177	106	142	200
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	8,038	9,664	58	72	24	1	18	28
Number of persons living in producers' households	193,436	186,172	1,148	897	395	195	402	505
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:								
Day-to-day decisions	81,007	80,689	515	425	156	79	123	193
Land use and/or crop decisions	71,654	71,740	432	342	141	60	109	163
Livestock decisions	51,736	55,577	409	362	82	33	83	122
Marketing decisions (see text)	59,574	(NA)	362	(NA)	111	(NA)	85	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	72,875	74,348	452	374	132	61	94	175
Estate planning or succession planning	53,794	55,251	352	270	97	57	81	133

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

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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	29	22	98,924	94,921	747	589
Sex of producers:						
Male	12	16	64,974	62,796	512	362
Female	17	6	33,950	32,125	235	227
Hired managers	-	-	5,079	4,346	51	23
Primary occupation:						
Farming	7	6	40,702	40,479	269	173
Other	22	16	58,222	54,442	478	416
Place of residence:						
On farm operated	25	18	57,556	62,102	503	423
Not on farm operated	4	4	41,368	32,819	244	166
Days of work off farm:						
None	6	9	39,246	38,088	220	165
Any	23	13	59,678	56,833	527	424
1 to 49 days	3	-	8,271	7,580	47	60
50 to 99 days	2	-	3,839	3,446	30	39
100 to 199 days	6	1	6,345	6,390	69	52
200 days or more	12	12	41,223	39,417	381	273
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less	-	-	4,267	4,789	53	42
3 or 4 years	4	-	7,510	6,128	106	42
5 to 9 years	7	5	18,165	13,065	164	143
10 years or more	18	17	68,982	70,939	424	362
Years operating any farm:						
5 years or less	10	-	12,844	10,881	170	100
6 to 10 years	1	9	14,987	11,760	144	99
11 years or more	18	13	71,093	72,280	433	390
Age group:						
Under 25 years	-	-	1,644	1,243	32	22
25 to 34 years	9	3	7,768	7,194	95	57
35 to 44 years	5	-	12,008	10,377	132	93
45 to 54 years	2	4	14,165	15,552	159	128
55 to 64 years	9	9	23,818	26,712	110	143
65 to 74 years	4	4	25,681	20,988	149	82
75 years and over.....	-	2	13,840	12,855	70	64
Average age	48.2	56.8	58.4	58.1	52.3	53.6
Young producers (see text)	9	(NA)	9,412	(NA)	127	(NA)
Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	6	4	1,209	1,183	29	26
Military service:						
Never served or only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard (see text)	28	10	91,060	85,442	674	517
Active duty now or in the past (see text)	1	12	7,864	9,479	73	72
Number of persons living in producers' households	30	42	189,855	183,375	1,606	1,158
On farm involvement in decisionmaking:						
Day-to-day decisions	27	20	79,599	79,464	587	508
Land use and/or crop decisions	17	21	70,410	70,692	545	462
Livestock decisions	22	18	50,686	54,665	454	377
Marketing decisions (see text)	16	(NA)	58,564	(NA)	436	(NA)
Record keeping and/or financial management	19	21	71,650	73,277	528	440
Estate planning or succession planning	14	15	52,870	54,445	380	331