

Table 66. Producers with Military Service - 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
Producers number	4,897	6,184	Age group:		
Sex of producers:			Under 25 years	6	5
Male	4,642	5,966	25 to 34 years	41	121
Female	255	218	35 to 44 years	201	197
Hired managers	111	96	45 to 54 years	495	704
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	820	851
Farming	2,416	3,014	65 to 74 years	1,457	2,376
Other	2,481	3,170	75 years and over	1,877	1,930
Place of residence:			Average age	69.2	68.3
On farm operated	3,444	4,377	Young producers (see text)	47	(NA)
Not on farm operated	1,453	1,807	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	47	45
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	2,333	3,162	American Indian or Alaska Native	11	20
Any	2,564	3,022	Asian	3	7
1 to 49 days	330	486	Black or African American	928	1,009
50 to 99 days	293	262	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	5
100 to 199 days	477	505	White	3,924	5,096
200 days or more	1,464	1,769	More than one race reported	31	47
Years on present farm:			Number of persons living in		
2 years or less	151	239	producers' households	10,157	13,132
3 or 4 years	319	371	On farm involvement in decisionmaking:		
5 to 9 years	773	636	Day-to-day decisions	4,468	5,662
10 years or more	3,654	4,938	Land use and/or crop decisions	3,687	5,028
Years operating any farm:			Livestock decisions	3,165	4,142
5 years or less	551	665	Marketing decisions (see text)	2,739	(NA)
6 to 10 years	655	498	Record keeping and/or financial management	3,503	4,813
11 years or more	3,691	5,021	Estate planning or succession planning	2,793	3,820