

Table 58. Female Producers - Selected Producer Characteristics: 2017

[Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers	Characteristics	All producers	All principal producers
Producersnumber	42,946	27,212	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	499	305	45 to 54 years	8,979	5,679
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	11,824	7,618
Farming	12,648	8,947	65 to 74 years	8,200	5,455
Other	30,298	18,265	75 years and over	3,700	2,843
Place of residence:			Average age	55.2	56.7
On farm operated	35,264	22,508	Young producers (see text)	5,122	2,612
Not on farm operated	7,682	4,704	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	318	200
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	16,371	10,777	American Indian or Alaska Native	80	58
Any	26,575	16,435	Asian	88	52
1 to 49 days	3,509	2,066	Black or African American	149	108
50 to 99 days	1,857	1,129	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	18	10
100 to 199 days	3,815	2,461	White	42,420	26,843
200 days or more	17,394	10,779	More than one race reported	191	141
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	3,708	2,139	Never served	42,378	26,799
3 or 4 years	4,437	2,723	Served	568	413
5 to 9 years	7,160	4,568	Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	37,895	29,247
10 years or more	27,641	17,782	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years operating any farm (see text):			Day-to-day decisions	33,550	23,886
5 years or less	8,346	4,965	Land use and/or crop decisions	24,874	18,910
6 to 10 years	6,053	3,855	Livestock decisions	24,810	18,093
11 years or more	28,547	18,392	Record keeping and/or financial management	30,830	21,439
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning	22,463	16,218
Under 25 years	873	307			
25 to 34 years	3,704	1,972			
35 to 44 years	5,666	3,338			