

**Table 68. Young 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
Producers ..... number	547	352	Years operating any farm (see text):		
Sex of producers:			5 years or less .....	309	207
Male .....	310	216	6 to 10 years .....	121	85
Female .....	237	136	11 years or more .....	117	60
Hired managers (see text) .....	115	35	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin .....	57	24
Primary occupation:			Producers by race:		
Farming .....	284	164	American Indian or Alaska Native .....	8	6
Other .....	263	188	Asian .....	-	-
Place of residence:			Black or African American .....	-	-
On farm operated .....	417	276	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander .....	-	-
Not on farm operated .....	130	76	White .....	536	343
Days of work off farm:			More than one race reported .....	3	3
None .....	179	120	Military service (see text):		
Any .....	368	232	Never served .....	531	346
1 to 49 days .....	52	24	Served .....	16	6
50 to 99 days .....	74	47	Number of persons living in producers'		
100 to 199 days .....	87	60	households (see text) .....	1,113	804
200 days or more .....	155	101	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years on present farm:			Day-to-day decisions .....	468	321
2 years or less .....	118	84	Land use and/or crop decisions .....	386	273
3 or 4 years .....	152	95	Livestock decisions .....	385	275
5 to 9 years .....	172	122	Record keeping and/or financial management .....	333	260
10 years or more .....	105	51	Estate planning or succession planning .....	235	190