

Table 56. Male 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	9,852	8,447	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	896	665	45 to 54 years	1,807	1,554
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	2,959	2,561
Farming	4,167	3,631	65 to 74 years	2,362	2,141
Other	5,685	4,816	75 years and over	1,244	1,146
Place of residence:			Average age	59.0	60.2
On farm operated	7,387	6,483	Young producers (see text)	697	418
Not on farm operated	2,465	1,964	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	288	239
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	3,401	2,945	American Indian or Alaska Native	11	10
Any	6,451	5,502	Asian	139	118
1 to 49 days	998	853	Black or African American	59	53
50 to 99 days	545	487	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2	2
100 to 199 days	916	771	White	9,596	8,225
200 days or more	3,992	3,391	More than one race reported	45	39
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	340	231	Never served	8,495	7,235
3 or 4 years	652	494	Served	1,357	1,212
5 to 9 years	1,288	1,081	Number of persons living in producers'		
10 years or more	7,572	6,641	households (see text)	23,703	21,223
Years operating any farm (see text):			On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
5 years or less	1,071	790	Day-to-day decisions	8,848	7,968
6 to 10 years	1,155	956	Land use and/or crop decisions	7,850	7,079
11 years or more	7,626	6,701	Livestock decisions	5,011	4,518
Age group:			Record keeping and/or financial management	6,900	6,443
Under 25 years	126	33	Estate planning or succession planning	5,010	4,661
25 to 34 years	479	310			
35 to 44 years	875	702			