

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	43,256	26,569	Age group - Con.		
Hired managers (see text)	1,120	610	45 to 54 years	8,646	5,322
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years	12,423	7,998
Farming	13,265	9,036	65 to 74 years	7,752	5,139
Other	29,991	17,533	75 years and over	3,969	2,852
Place of residence:			Average age	55.2	57.1
On farm operated	36,498	22,561	Young producers (see text)	5,189	2,347
Not on farm operated	6,758	4,008	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	382	239
Days of work off farm:			Producers by race:		
None	16,812	10,644	American Indian or Alaska Native	66	50
Any	26,444	15,925	Asian	104	75
1 to 49 days	3,330	1,941	Black or African American	60	48
50 to 99 days	1,678	1,032	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3	3
100 to 199 days	3,944	2,468	White	42,809	26,251
200 days or more	17,492	10,484	More than one race reported	214	142
Years on present farm:			Military service (see text):		
2 years or less	2,828	1,492	Never served	42,663	26,118
3 or 4 years	3,602	1,994	Served	593	451
5 to 9 years	6,951	4,257	Number of persons living in producers' households (see text)	39,704	29,804
10 years or more	29,875	18,826	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years operating any farm (see text):			Day-to-day decisions	33,608	23,199
5 years or less	6,773	3,638	Land use and/or crop decisions	24,288	18,015
6 to 10 years	6,386	3,915	Livestock decisions	22,051	15,643
11 years or more	30,097	19,016	Record keeping and/or financial management	31,233	21,117
Age group:			Estate planning or succession planning	23,203	15,853
Under 25 years	786	205			
25 to 34 years	3,827	1,864			
35 to 44 years	5,853	3,189			