

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	5,766	3,604	Years operating any farm (see text):		
Sex of producers:			5 years or less	3,098	1,913
Male	3,126	2,096	6 to 10 years	1,718	1,072
Female	2,640	1,508	11 years or more	950	619
Hired managers (see text)	756	285	Producers of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	299	168
Primary occupation:			Producers by race:		
Farming	2,176	1,375	American Indian or Alaska Native	31	13
Other	3,590	2,229	Asian	71	50
Place of residence:			Black or African American	15	6
On farm operated	4,238	2,746	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	13	2
Not on farm operated	1,528	858	White	5,535	3,476
Days of work off farm:			More than one race reported	101	57
None	1,245	719	Military service (see text):		
Any	4,521	2,885	Never served	5,602	3,486
1 to 49 days	729	390	Served	164	118
50 to 99 days	363	212	Number of persons living in producers'		
100 to 199 days	634	444	households (see text)	10,083	7,599
200 days or more	2,795	1,839	On farm involvement in decisionmaking (see text):		
Years on present farm:			Day-to-day decisions	4,798	3,410
2 years or less	1,372	814	Land use and/or crop decisions	4,307	3,078
3 or 4 years	1,682	1,113	Livestock decisions	3,736	2,623
5 to 9 years	1,788	1,128	Record keeping and/or financial management	3,765	2,904
10 years or more	924	549	Estate planning or succession planning	2,422	1,908