

Table 51. Organic Agriculture: 2017 and 2012

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	2017	2012	Item	2017	2012
VALUE OF SALES OF CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANICALLY PRODUCED COMMODITIES			ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹ (SEE TEXT) - Con.		
Total organic product sales farms	12	16	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000 (D)	(D)	207	On farm operated	16	(NA)
Average per farm dollars	(D)	12,961	Not on farm operated	6	(NA)
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	4	6	None	8	(NA)
..... \$1,000	14	7	Any	14	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	-	2	1 to 49 days	7	(NA)
..... \$1,000	-	(D)	50 to 99 days	3	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	3	2	100 to 199 days	1	(NA)
..... \$1,000	32	(D)	200 days or more	3	(NA)
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	2	6	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	(D)	156	2 years or less	1	(NA)
\$50,000 or more farms	3	-	3 or 4 years	6	(NA)
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	5 to 9 years	3	(NA)
			10 years or more	12	(NA)
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	13.6	(NA)
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	9	13	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	4	4	Under 25 years	-	(NA)
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	6	9	25 to 34 years	-	(NA)
			35 to 44 years	2	(NA)
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹ (SEE TEXT)			45 to 54 years	15	(NA)
Sex of producers:			55 to 64 years	-	(NA)
Male	10	(NA)	65 to 74 years	4	(NA)
Female	12	(NA)	75 years and over	1	(NA)
Primary occupation:			Average age	51.9	(NA)
Farming	17	(NA)	Military service (see text):		
Other	5	(NA)	Never served	22	(NA)
			Served	-	(NA)

¹ Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.