

Table 51. Organic Agriculture: 2022 and 2017

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

Item	2022	2017	Item	2022	2017
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	3,039	3,335	Place of residence:		
\$1,000	3,729,786	2,832,644	On farm operated	3,629	4,451
Average per farm dollars	1,227,307	849,369	Not on farm operated	3,452	2,815
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	525	646	None	2,936	3,319
\$1,000	1,141	1,380	Any	4,145	3,947
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	175	319	1 to 49 days	806	734
\$1,000	1,199	2,235	50 to 99 days	432	402
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	331	376	100 to 199 days	550	617
\$1,000	5,496	6,192	200 days or more	2,357	2,194
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	253	343	Years on present farm:		
\$1,000	9,160	12,093	2 years or less	336	450
\$50,000 or more farms	1,755	1,651	3 or 4 years	579	675
\$1,000	3,712,791	2,810,745	5 to 9 years	1,514	1,281
			10 years or more	4,652	4,860
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	19.1	18.2
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	3,060	3,409	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	314	385	Under 25 years	71	61
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	272	374	25 to 34 years	511	625
			35 to 44 years	948	837
			45 to 54 years	1,119	1,219
			55 to 64 years	1,592	2,187
			65 to 74 years	1,855	1,670
			75 years and over	985	667
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			Average age	58.3	57.0
Sex of producers:			Military service:		
Male	4,608	4,683	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	6,719	6,748
Female	2,473	2,583	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	362	518
Primary occupation:					
Farming	4,013	4,312			
Other	3,068	2,954			

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