

**Table 53. Selected Farm Characteristics by Producers' Involvement in Decisionmaking: 2022 and 2017**

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Characteristics	Day-to-day decisions		Land use and/or crop decisions		Livestock decisions		
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017	
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	number	34,285	37,421	30,548	33,550	24,624	28,746
Land in farms .....	acres	29,142,688	30,975,700	27,477,197	29,297,660	22,435,085	25,009,867
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		5,038	6,224	4,278	5,359	3,568	4,734
10 to 49 acres .....		10,287	11,239	9,014	9,895	7,750	8,886
50 to 179 acres .....		7,335	7,612	6,519	6,813	5,230	5,809
180 to 499 acres .....		4,305	4,192	3,841	3,828	2,850	3,078
500 acres or more .....		7,320	8,154	6,896	7,655	5,226	6,239
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Owned land in farms .....	farms	32,805	35,405	29,251	31,794	23,677	27,286
	acres	19,464,414	20,531,582	18,224,085	19,309,849	15,104,824	16,878,968
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms	7,359	8,984	6,828	8,354	5,496	7,213
	acres	9,678,274	10,444,118	9,253,112	9,987,811	7,330,261	8,130,899
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners .....	farms	26,926	28,437	23,720	25,196	19,128	21,533
	acres	10,995,151	11,246,035	10,238,371	10,419,074	8,347,695	9,017,966
Part owners .....	farms	5,879	6,968	5,531	6,598	4,549	5,753
	acres	16,119,087	17,370,294	15,335,401	16,688,420	12,773,179	14,429,175
Tenants .....	farms	1,480	2,016	1,297	1,756	947	1,460
	acres	2,028,450	2,359,371	1,903,425	2,190,166	1,314,211	1,562,726
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>							
Total .....	farms	34,285	37,421	30,548	33,550	24,624	28,746
	\$1,000	9,306,650	7,618,895	8,756,202	6,750,486	7,242,996	5,890,657
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	farms	34,285	37,421	30,548	33,550	24,624	28,746
	\$1,000	9,028,912	7,429,560	8,487,872	6,570,853	7,072,610	5,774,795
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms	12,439	14,872	11,921	14,219	7,064	9,355
	\$1,000	2,758,093	2,200,515	2,703,370	2,151,336	1,200,536	1,029,101
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms	15,065	17,573	13,423	15,914	14,005	16,654
	\$1,000	6,270,819	5,229,045	5,784,502	4,419,517	5,872,074	4,745,694
Government payments .....	farms	7,851	8,433	7,340	7,837	4,695	5,239
	\$1,000	277,738	189,336	268,330	179,633	170,386	115,862
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>							
Less than \$1,000 .....		10,525	12,389	8,846	10,550	7,559	9,683
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		3,902	3,867	3,332	3,395	2,981	3,023
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		3,311	3,583	2,935	3,222	2,402	2,842
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		3,461	3,524	3,105	3,227	2,490	2,778
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		3,712	3,823	3,392	3,509	2,636	2,899
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		2,214	2,500	2,096	2,287	1,601	1,873
\$50,000 or more .....		7,160	7,735	6,842	7,360	4,955	5,648
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>							
CCC loans .....	farms	52	202	51	203	25	128
	\$1,000	6,957	21,421	6,762	22,422	2,902	13,302
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments .....	farms	3,711	3,460	3,373	3,135	1,854	1,990
	\$1,000	46,111	51,962	43,246	47,819	24,455	30,508
Other Federal farm program payments .....	farms	5,617	7,328	5,353	6,865	3,740	4,639
	\$1,000	231,627	137,374	225,084	131,814	145,931	85,354
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		2,665	3,191	2,638	3,087	1,131	1,504
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		762	631	743	614	408	371
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		768	671	723	638	267	261
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		785	619	727	588	309	269
Other crop farming (1119) .....		10,527	10,052	9,654	9,259	5,444	5,763
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) .....		-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		10,527	10,052	9,654	9,259	5,444	5,763
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....		9,621	11,898	8,428	10,658	8,944	11,271
Cattle feedlots (11212) .....		209	281	189	257	204	277
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		178	224	164	199	158	220
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		322	379	232	304	312	353
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		1,236	492	1,024	424	1,106	452
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		1,419	1,722	1,210	1,457	1,393	1,656
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		5,793	7,261	4,816	6,065	4,948	6,349
<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family .....		32,051	35,597	28,500	31,900	23,295	27,488
Limited Liability Company .....		5,679	4,510	5,009	4,118	4,029	3,549
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual .....		27,366	30,528	24,160	27,261	20,089	23,751

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Item	Marketing decisions (see text)		Record keeping and financial management		Estate or succession planning		
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017	
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	number	23,405	(NA)	31,011	35,017	22,788	25,209
Land in farms .....	acres	24,110,631	(NA)	28,220,331	29,408,250	21,399,076	22,591,217
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		3,172	(NA)	4,311	5,699	2,838	3,757
10 to 49 acres .....		6,508	(NA)	8,907	10,202	6,483	7,221
50 to 179 acres .....		4,819	(NA)	6,621	7,184	4,997	5,241
180 to 499 acres .....		2,935	(NA)	4,021	4,031	2,981	3,010
500 acres or more .....		5,971	(NA)	7,151	7,901	5,489	5,980
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Owned land in farms .....	farms	22,163	(NA)	29,621	33,098	21,975	24,068
	acres	15,368,721	(NA)	18,782,221	19,274,811	13,982,754	14,644,684
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms	6,259	(NA)	6,974	8,664	5,071	6,141
	acres	8,741,910	(NA)	9,438,110	10,133,439	7,416,322	7,946,533
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners .....	farms	17,146	(NA)	24,037	26,353	17,717	19,068
	acres	8,140,239	(NA)	10,600,386	10,322,599	7,378,978	7,443,699
Part owners .....	farms	5,017	(NA)	5,584	6,745	4,258	5,000
	acres	14,137,183	(NA)	15,700,093	16,864,697	12,655,046	13,347,397
Tenants .....	farms	1,242	(NA)	1,390	1,919	813	1,141
	acres	1,833,209	(NA)	1,919,852	2,220,954	1,365,052	1,800,121
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>							
Total .....	farms	23,405	(NA)	31,011	35,017	22,788	25,209
	\$1,000	8,089,512	(NA)	8,918,609	7,330,786	7,575,912	5,384,212
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	farms	23,405	(NA)	31,011	35,017	22,788	25,209
	\$1,000	7,848,517	(NA)	8,648,026	7,145,168	7,358,981	5,240,624
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms	9,384	(NA)	11,363	13,986	8,236	10,069
	\$1,000	2,434,567	(NA)	2,661,138	2,151,673	2,082,161	1,593,083
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms	11,853	(NA)	13,999	16,851	10,466	12,270
	\$1,000	5,413,950	(NA)	5,986,888	4,993,495	5,276,820	3,647,541
Government payments .....	farms	5,894	(NA)	7,676	8,188	5,757	5,955
	\$1,000	240,995	(NA)	270,583	185,618	216,931	143,588
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>							
Less than \$1,000 .....		5,626	(NA)	8,835	11,034	6,547	8,016
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		2,434	(NA)	3,377	3,550	2,395	2,383
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		2,175	(NA)	2,993	3,394	2,061	2,339
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		2,406	(NA)	3,236	3,424	2,314	2,382
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		2,751	(NA)	3,514	3,709	2,547	2,663
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		1,724	(NA)	2,087	2,400	1,619	1,716
\$50,000 or more .....		6,289	(NA)	6,969	7,506	5,305	5,710
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>							
CCC loans .....	farms	50	(NA)	51	198	44	161
	\$1,000	6,714	(NA)	6,874	21,921	6,149	17,787
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments .....	farms	2,228	(NA)	3,653	3,416	2,756	2,562
	\$1,000	30,855	(NA)	46,510	51,348	36,750	40,576
Other Federal farm program payments .....	farms	4,883	(NA)	5,484	7,116	4,123	5,168
	\$1,000	210,140	(NA)	224,073	134,270	180,181	103,012
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		2,371	(NA)	2,587	3,103	1,854	2,129
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		628	(NA)	701	608	518	463
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		540	(NA)	694	634	465	422
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		625	(NA)	747	596	495	388
Other crop farming (1119) .....		5,979	(NA)	9,366	9,327	6,844	6,695
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) .....		-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		5,979	(NA)	9,366	9,327	6,844	6,695
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....		7,044	(NA)	8,754	11,214	6,639	8,242
Cattle feedlots (11212) .....		194	(NA)	209	284	168	222
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		146	(NA)	165	214	131	163
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		235	(NA)	293	348	169	230
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		836	(NA)	1,074	449	741	333
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		1,099	(NA)	1,288	1,623	887	1,017
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		3,708	(NA)	5,133	6,617	3,877	4,905
<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family .....		21,841	(NA)	28,823	33,250	21,363	24,034
Limited Liability Company .....		4,361	(NA)	5,318	4,407	3,915	3,318
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual .....		18,195	(NA)	24,301	28,339	17,814	20,195

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	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>						
Farms by - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership .....	3,038	3,063	2,774	2,808	1,923	2,216
Corporation .....	3,051	2,775	2,808	2,529	2,071	2,056
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. ....	830	1,055	806	952	541	723
Number of producers:						
1 producer .....	11,017	13,726	9,675	12,284	7,332	9,961
2 producers .....	18,412	19,694	16,418	17,550	13,962	15,724
3 producers .....	2,570	2,454	2,371	2,283	1,765	1,907
4 producers .....	1,584	1,069	1,446	969	1,082	815
5 or more producers .....	702	478	638	464	483	339
Number of male producers:						
1 producer .....	25,314	28,792	22,355	25,719	18,518	22,283
2 producers .....	4,134	3,329	3,897	3,130	2,885	2,525
3 producers .....	1,119	825	1,028	785	710	593
4 producers .....	271	182	272	178	158	113
5 or more producers .....	165	109	133	103	109	57
Number of female producers:						
1 producer .....	21,461	23,379	19,007	20,778	16,008	18,461
2 producers .....	1,997	1,803	1,820	1,613	1,489	1,498
3 producers .....	361	338	316	305	251	271
4 producers .....	97	64	92	62	62	47
5 or more producers .....	75	27	62	24	30	10
Farms reporting-						
Internet access .....	28,913	30,750	25,917	27,693	21,101	23,924
Dial-up .....	613	872	557	759	433	670
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text) .....	14,086	(NA)	12,645	(NA)	9,992	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text) .....	16,828	10,872	15,313	9,905	12,480	8,532
Satellite .....	9,344	9,638	8,411	8,680	7,172	7,949
Don't know .....	1,233	2,214	1,074	1,963	840	1,673
Other .....	653	1,992	597	1,799	508	1,544
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household .....	28,172	31,282	24,880	27,920	20,624	24,357
2 households .....	4,060	4,252	3,786	3,877	2,776	3,105
3 households .....	1,124	1,065	1,048	1,003	696	733
4 households .....	614	504	539	450	344	333
5 or more households .....	315	318	295	300	184	218

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<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>						
Farms by - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership .....	2,317	(NA)	2,908	2,964	2,075	2,235
Corporation .....	2,381	(NA)	2,955	2,698	2,216	1,996
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. ....	512	(NA)	847	1,016	683	783
Number of producers:						
1 producer .....	7,239	(NA)	9,581	12,582	7,019	9,097
2 producers .....	12,726	(NA)	16,802	18,487	12,263	13,201
3 producers .....	1,823	(NA)	2,400	2,430	1,829	1,743
4 producers .....	1,178	(NA)	1,545	1,039	1,168	797
5 or more producers .....	439	(NA)	683	479	509	371
Number of male producers:						
1 producer .....	17,289	(NA)	22,559	26,797	16,583	19,124
2 producers .....	3,082	(NA)	3,951	3,195	2,907	2,430
3 producers .....	756	(NA)	1,054	820	778	604
4 producers .....	194	(NA)	284	186	204	129
5 or more producers .....	116	(NA)	171	105	103	79
Number of female producers:						
1 producer .....	14,591	(NA)	19,544	21,975	14,463	15,709
2 producers .....	1,352	(NA)	1,891	1,776	1,435	1,351
3 producers .....	248	(NA)	343	336	270	241
4 producers .....	55	(NA)	98	63	85	47
5 or more producers .....	38	(NA)	70	28	43	16
Farms reporting-						
Internet access .....	20,470	(NA)	26,373	28,870	19,419	20,859
Dial-up .....	425	(NA)	559	816	415	630
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text) .....	10,099	(NA)	13,011	(NA)	9,475	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text) .....	12,467	(NA)	15,634	10,331	11,648	7,579
Satellite .....	6,606	(NA)	8,446	9,036	6,405	6,847
Don't know .....	791	(NA)	1,064	2,034	765	1,406
Other .....	455	(NA)	601	1,858	418	1,311
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household .....	18,994	(NA)	25,258	29,149	18,676	20,946
2 households .....	2,980	(NA)	3,792	4,025	2,718	2,887
3 households .....	806	(NA)	1,033	1,056	766	773
4 households .....	433	(NA)	617	487	415	368
5 or more households .....	192	(NA)	311	300	213	235