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	739	575	·		
\$1,000 Average per farmdollars	166,931 225,887	75,506 131,315	On farm operated	1,392	1,086
By value of sales:			Not on farm operated	188	137
\$1 to \$4,999farms	75	74	Days worked off farm:		
\$1,000	168	168	None	788	623
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	52	Any	792	600
\$1,000	251	353 87	1 to 49 days	152	140
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms \$1,000	89 1,441	1,433	50 to 99 days	90 147	49 79
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	63	58	200 days or more	403	332
\$1.000	2.181	1.998	200 days of more	400	002
\$50,000 or more farms	475	304	Years on present farm:		
\$1,000	162,890	71,555		107	95
			3 or 4 years	140	116
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			5 to 9 years	341	261
11004 11 5 10 10 10			10 years or more	992	751
USDA National Organic Program certified	764	000	A	45.5	15.1
organic productionfarms USDA National Organic Program organic	764	602	Average years on present farm	15.5	15.1
production exempt from certification farms	51	55	Age group:		
Acres transitioning into USDA National	31	33	Under 25 years	98	75
Organic Program organic productionfarms	70	160	25 to 34 years	240	242
	-		35 to 44 years	506	410
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS			45 to 54 years	377	239
FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT			55 to 64 years	220	170
ORGANIC PRODUCTION 1			65 to 74 years	116	68
0 ()			75 years and over	23	19
Sex of producers: Male	993	773	Avorage age	44.6	43.3
	587	450	Average age	44.0	43.3
Female	367	430	Military service:		
Primary occupation:			Never served or only on active duty for training		
Farming	892	715	in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	1.557	1.188
Other	688	508	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	23	35

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