

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	
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms	number	81,396	81,734	74,109	75,228	39,918	45,411
Land in farms	acres	29,045,957	29,913,128	28,024,257	28,988,611	14,364,123	16,597,917
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres		6,760	8,465	4,994	6,735	4,587	5,691
10 to 49 acres		16,943	16,717	14,540	14,589	8,872	9,478
50 to 179 acres		22,620	19,555	20,864	18,053	9,334	9,591
180 to 499 acres		18,384	18,456	17,535	17,709	8,404	9,955
500 acres or more		16,689	18,541	16,176	18,142	8,721	10,696
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms	farms	74,071	73,880	67,211	67,799	36,811	41,620
	acres	14,361,668	14,348,761	13,658,318	13,757,343	7,082,169	8,099,150
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	33,098	35,131	31,790	33,937	17,421	20,817
	acres	14,684,289	15,564,367	14,365,939	15,231,268	7,281,954	8,498,767
TENURE							
Full owners	farms	48,298	46,603	42,319	41,291	22,497	24,594
	acres	7,032,308	6,549,514	6,544,493	6,157,795	2,966,914	3,296,268
Part owners	farms	25,773	27,277	24,892	26,508	14,314	17,026
	acres	19,575,948	20,395,836	19,114,137	19,921,236	10,430,326	11,973,034
Tenants	farms	7,325	7,854	6,898	7,429	3,107	3,791
	acres	2,437,701	2,967,778	2,365,627	2,909,580	966,883	1,328,615
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total	farms	81,396	81,734	74,109	75,228	39,918	45,411
	\$1,000	43,846,434	29,266,622	39,826,749	27,174,004	27,857,250	20,207,039
Market value of agricultural products sold	farms	81,396	81,734	74,109	75,228	39,918	45,411
	\$1,000	43,108,254	28,622,170	39,144,450	26,565,961	27,526,338	19,914,257
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	56,987	55,859	55,104	54,139	26,860	30,699
	\$1,000	23,012,819	13,636,373	22,481,354	13,309,222	10,457,299	6,985,437
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	28,924	32,479	25,847	29,860	25,783	29,810
	\$1,000	20,095,435	14,985,796	16,663,096	13,256,739	17,069,040	12,928,820
Government payments	farms	43,611	57,673	39,874	53,975	18,237	28,415
	\$1,000	738,180	644,453	682,299	608,043	330,912	292,782
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS							
Less than \$1,000		4,606	5,397	3,859	4,598	3,039	3,932
\$1,000 to \$2,499		5,014	5,657	4,056	4,644	2,283	2,673
\$2,500 to \$4,999		5,273	6,068	4,289	5,169	2,432	3,016
\$5,000 to \$9,999		6,255	6,832	5,336	5,964	3,013	3,638
\$10,000 to \$24,999		8,531	8,690	7,422	7,835	3,966	4,608
\$25,000 to \$49,999		6,842	7,171	6,271	6,683	3,177	3,634
\$50,000 or more		44,875	41,919	42,876	40,335	22,008	23,910
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS							
CCC loans	farms	1,124	2,897	1,095	2,827	561	1,622
	\$1,000	159,759	320,862	156,817	313,712	64,024	163,202
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	farms	30,322	32,525	27,050	29,577	10,799	13,839
	\$1,000	320,391	296,478	284,205	271,713	108,154	117,111
Other Federal farm program payments	farms	21,330	46,073	20,463	44,031	11,319	24,218
	\$1,000	417,789	347,974	398,095	336,330	222,758	175,671
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		41,656	38,691	40,744	37,915	16,160	17,264
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		474	539	455	513	247	259
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		850	737	803	662	288	267
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		582	493	533	445	177	162
Other crop farming (1119)		17,896	17,724	14,902	14,999	5,153	5,871
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)		17,896	17,724	14,902	14,999	5,153	5,871
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)		8,023	10,153	6,907	8,999	7,682	9,699
Cattle feedlots (11212)		1,460	2,303	1,330	2,155	1,382	2,211
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		656	1,017	636	992	644	1,000
Hog and pig farming (1122)		3,634	3,621	2,815	3,105	2,798	2,948
Poultry and egg production (1123)		1,207	697	953	535	994	591
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		1,841	1,989	1,414	1,642	1,808	1,942
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		3,117	3,770	2,617	3,266	2,585	3,197
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family		76,066	77,803	69,251	71,638	37,899	43,756
Limited Liability Company		6,001	3,538	5,343	3,136	2,585	1,778
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual		66,955	67,749	60,888	62,179	34,023	38,702

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Item	Marketing decisions (see text)		Record keeping and financial management		Estate or succession planning	
	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	62,319	(NA)	77,697	78,932	54,049	55,868
Land in farms	26,163,414	(NA)	28,220,542	29,211,512	21,739,650	22,721,378
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	4,394	(NA)	6,157	7,954	3,456	4,892
10 to 49 acres	10,478	(NA)	15,622	15,887	10,205	10,618
50 to 179 acres	16,053	(NA)	21,760	18,941	14,677	12,998
180 to 499 acres	15,720	(NA)	17,898	18,004	12,915	12,973
500 acres or more	15,674	(NA)	16,260	18,146	12,796	14,387
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS						
Owned land in farms	55,660	(NA)	70,772	71,368	50,288	51,787
acres	12,246,970	(NA)	13,959,856	14,041,684	10,855,184	11,139,254
Rented or leased land in farms	30,669	(NA)	31,920	34,055	22,472	24,173
acres	13,916,444	(NA)	14,260,686	15,169,828	10,884,466	11,582,124
TENURE						
Full owners	31,650	(NA)	45,777	44,877	31,577	31,695
acres	5,382,603	(NA)	6,853,079	6,435,026	5,104,573	4,907,994
Part owners	24,010	(NA)	24,995	26,491	18,711	20,092
acres	18,466,603	(NA)	19,056,342	19,882,100	15,116,306	15,913,328
Tenants	6,659	(NA)	6,925	7,564	3,761	4,081
acres	2,314,208	(NA)	2,311,121	2,894,386	1,518,771	1,900,056
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS						
Total	62,319	(NA)	77,697	78,932	54,049	55,868
\$1,000	39,250,273	(NA)	42,346,750	27,976,851	32,818,349	21,808,929
Market value of agricultural products sold	62,319	(NA)	77,697	78,932	54,049	55,868
\$1,000	38,679,391	(NA)	41,629,814	27,340,260	32,270,602	21,318,647
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	50,254	(NA)	54,875	54,005	38,850	38,759
\$1,000	21,730,659	(NA)	22,402,426	13,258,975	17,381,920	10,386,973
Livestock, poultry, and their products	25,336	(NA)	27,776	31,479	19,890	22,995
\$1,000	16,948,732	(NA)	19,227,388	14,081,286	14,888,682	10,931,674
Government payments	31,289	(NA)	42,141	56,366	30,817	41,094
\$1,000	570,882	(NA)	716,937	636,591	547,746	490,283
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS						
Less than \$1,000	2,583	(NA)	4,005	4,851	2,620	3,205
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2,331	(NA)	4,475	5,308	2,925	3,624
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2,691	(NA)	4,854	5,744	3,056	3,827
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3,440	(NA)	5,871	6,588	3,887	4,396
\$10,000 to \$24,999	5,248	(NA)	8,109	8,560	5,470	5,753
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4,913	(NA)	6,569	6,986	4,443	4,774
\$50,000 or more	41,113	(NA)	43,814	40,895	31,648	30,289
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS						
CCC loans	1,062	(NA)	1,091	2,833	870	2,207
\$1,000	150,027	(NA)	151,046	314,797	131,480	251,372
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	18,942	(NA)	29,206	31,936	21,514	23,923
\$1,000	186,557	(NA)	310,477	294,281	231,189	225,784
Other Federal farm program payments	19,235	(NA)	20,664	45,155	15,339	32,951
\$1,000	384,325	(NA)	406,460	342,309	316,557	264,499
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	38,213	(NA)	40,514	37,598	28,694	26,866
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	371	(NA)	440	502	260	301
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	567	(NA)	780	655	464	418
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	455	(NA)	541	457	331	300
Other crop farming (1119)	6,754	(NA)	16,687	17,185	11,534	12,152
Tobacco farming (11191)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	6,754	(NA)	16,687	17,185	11,534	12,152
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	6,602	(NA)	7,604	9,762	5,292	6,825
Cattle feedlots (11212)	1,323	(NA)	1,403	2,244	1,094	1,710
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	614	(NA)	645	994	468	686
Hog and pig farming (1122)	2,954	(NA)	3,498	3,483	2,333	2,599
Poultry and egg production (1123)	819	(NA)	1,108	661	699	414
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	1,500	(NA)	1,711	1,904	972	1,090
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2,147	(NA)	2,766	3,487	1,908	2,507
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS						
Farms by-						
Type of organization:						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family	58,425	(NA)	72,416	74,974	50,688	53,253
Limited Liability Company	4,411	(NA)	5,846	3,471	3,923	2,333
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:						
Family or individual	51,064	(NA)	63,417	64,913	44,000	45,605

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	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.						
Farms by - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership	4,843	4,569	4,376	4,160	2,112	2,329
Corporation	7,750	7,572	7,150	7,201	3,209	3,705
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	1,848	1,844	1,695	1,688	574	675
Number of producers:						
1 producer	33,690	37,098	30,609	34,014	15,746	19,387
2 producers	37,210	37,069	33,581	34,046	19,198	21,815
3 producers	5,957	4,810	5,596	4,573	2,867	2,707
4 producers	3,143	1,992	2,993	1,864	1,539	1,117
5 or more producers	1,396	765	1,330	731	568	385
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	62,510	64,979	56,555	59,850	31,478	36,783
2 producers	10,906	8,747	10,401	8,321	5,101	4,796
3 producers	3,037	2,042	2,910	1,963	1,375	1,132
4 producers	753	410	721	385	277	208
5 or more producers	402	160	377	146	148	84
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	39,318	40,580	35,260	37,017	20,293	23,518
2 producers	3,107	2,304	2,825	2,113	1,625	1,303
3 producers	545	366	512	330	208	150
4 producers	182	110	172	102	73	38
5 or more producers	98	68	101	57	26	20
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	67,416	65,692	61,963	60,842	33,413	37,090
Dial-up	2,301	2,614	2,119	2,440	1,173	1,604
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	40,617	(NA)	37,516	(NA)	19,362	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	42,399	25,092	39,368	23,638	21,144	14,530
Satellite	11,383	12,247	10,401	11,375	6,204	7,638
Don't know	3,614	5,988	3,222	5,485	1,711	3,253
Other	328	564	306	531	154	294
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	62,612	64,708	56,695	59,445	31,791	36,758
2 households	12,853	11,964	11,916	11,115	5,915	6,368
3 households	3,520	2,919	3,294	2,702	1,379	1,375
4 households	1,440	1,287	1,306	1,158	486	572
5 or more households	971	856	898	808	347	338

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	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.						
Farms by - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership	3,640	(NA)	4,773	4,526	2,963	3,020
Corporation	6,365	(NA)	7,612	7,557	5,622	5,811
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	1,250	(NA)	1,895	1,936	1,464	1,432
Number of producers:						
1 producer	26,024	(NA)	31,760	35,508	21,644	24,694
2 producers	28,138	(NA)	35,508	35,917	25,075	25,802
3 producers	4,722	(NA)	5,846	4,722	4,101	3,344
4 producers	2,455	(NA)	3,138	2,011	2,288	1,489
5 or more producers	980	(NA)	1,445	774	941	539
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	47,990	(NA)	59,215	62,439	41,416	44,412
2 producers	8,962	(NA)	10,667	8,462	7,235	5,802
3 producers	2,436	(NA)	2,923	2,028	1,983	1,410
4 producers	570	(NA)	751	411	512	301
5 or more producers	270	(NA)	409	156	237	103
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	28,914	(NA)	37,722	39,615	27,362	28,912
2 producers	2,267	(NA)	3,155	2,328	2,205	1,603
3 producers	327	(NA)	578	378	374	286
4 producers	122	(NA)	201	123	126	79
5 or more producers	63	(NA)	115	63	70	35
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	53,390	(NA)	64,808	63,738	45,394	45,127
Dial-up	1,818	(NA)	2,164	2,553	1,585	1,895
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	32,154	(NA)	39,310	(NA)	27,457	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	34,470	(NA)	41,057	24,642	28,919	17,509
Satellite	9,330	(NA)	10,861	11,779	7,883	8,608
Don't know	2,655	(NA)	3,389	5,736	2,326	4,004
Other	250	(NA)	317	555	206	361
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	47,704	(NA)	59,408	62,304	41,720	44,314
2 households	10,101	(NA)	12,297	11,497	8,450	8,016
3 households	2,785	(NA)	3,516	2,877	2,313	2,018
4 households	1,050	(NA)	1,439	1,346	935	915
5 or more households	679	(NA)	1,037	908	631	605