

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	172	184	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	36,794	13,961	On farm operated	330	370
Average per farm dollars	213,920	75,877	Not on farm operated	68	56
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	45	65	None	134	156
..... \$1,000	62	108	Any	264	270
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	6	25	1 to 49 days	63	92
..... \$1,000	44	146	50 to 99 days	27	30
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	30	24	100 to 199 days	31	34
..... \$1,000	481	360	200 days or more	143	114
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	18	26	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	601	867	2 years or less	24	58
\$50,000 or more farms	73	44	3 or 4 years	60	100
..... \$1,000	35,606	12,481	5 to 9 years	120	132
			10 years or more	194	136
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	13.9	10.3
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	147	163	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	45	64	Under 25 years	25	30
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	53	90	25 to 34 years	64	92
			35 to 44 years	97	105
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			45 to 54 years	75	73
Sex of producers:			55 to 64 years	94	74
Male	262	248	65 to 74 years	31	47
Female	136	178	75 years and over	12	5
Primary occupation:			Average age	47.0	44.9
Farming	207	272	Military service:		
Other	191	154	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	379	403
			Active duty now or in the past (see text)	19	23

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