

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	113	117	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	51,253	30,438	On farm operated	203	202
Average per farm dollars	453,571	260,154	Not on farm operated	55	55
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	18	12	None	149	135
..... \$1,000	46	36	Any	109	122
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	4	11	1 to 49 days	30	29
..... \$1,000	23	69	50 to 99 days	10	19
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	15	9	100 to 199 days	8	25
..... \$1,000	202	158	200 days or more	61	49
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	15	14	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	547	444	2 years or less	8	37
\$50,000 or more farms	61	71	3 or 4 years	40	31
..... \$1,000	50,436	29,731	5 to 9 years	50	34
			10 years or more	160	155
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	17.8	15.9
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	106	111	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	17	23	Under 25 years	7	9
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	24	38	25 to 34 years	29	37
			35 to 44 years	44	48
			45 to 54 years	31	53
			55 to 64 years	58	57
			65 to 74 years	60	46
			75 years and over	29	7
Sex of producers:			Average age	55.3	49.9
Male	160	158	Military service:		
Female	98	99	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	240	245
Primary occupation:			Active duty now or in the past (see text)	18	12
Farming	183	167			
Other	75	90			

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