

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	1,067	1,330	Place of residence:		
\$1 to \$4,999	\$1,000	206,462	On farm operated	1,815	2,392
Average per farm	210,788	155,235	Not on farm operated	514	490
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999	208	222	None	1,109	1,554
\$1,000	367	447	Any	1,220	1,328
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51	93	1 to 49 days	345	329
\$1,000	352	676	50 to 99 days	105	134
\$10,000 to \$24,999	133	166	100 to 199 days	216	260
\$1,000	2,056	2,832	200 days or more	554	605
\$25,000 to \$49,999	128	150	Years on present farm:		
\$1,000	4,425	5,585	2 years or less	158	255
\$50,000 or more	547	699	3 or 4 years	224	326
\$1,000	217,710	196,922	5 to 9 years	577	599
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			10 years or more	1,370	1,702
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production	1,034	1,340	Average years on present farm	17.5	16.6
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification	110	157	Age group:		
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production	82	201	Under 25 years	107	166
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			25 to 34 years	404	526
Sex of producers:			35 to 44 years	433	486
Male	1,441	1,783	45 to 54 years	377	548
Female	888	1,099	55 to 64 years	487	587
Primary occupation:			65 to 74 years	376	445
Farming	1,577	1,948	75 years and over	145	124
Other	752	934	Average age	50.0	48.8
			Military service:		
			Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	2,235	2,746
			Active duty now or in the past (see text)	94	136

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