

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	23,136	24,858	20,982	22,502	11,008	13,811
Land in farms	acres	37,691,618	38,551,831	35,976,817	36,759,569	18,999,872	21,573,393
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres		487	530	385	406	357	375
10 to 49 acres		2,080	2,321	1,663	1,824	1,165	1,446
50 to 179 acres		4,172	4,406	3,502	3,698	1,731	2,216
180 to 499 acres		4,071	4,158	3,607	3,655	1,786	2,135
500 acres or more		12,326	13,443	11,825	12,919	5,969	7,639
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms	farms	20,601	22,324	18,587	20,150	9,897	12,430
	acres	17,173,427	18,074,202	16,039,983	16,694,147	9,184,389	10,635,564
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	12,773	13,550	12,250	13,041	6,374	7,896
	acres	20,518,191	20,477,629	19,936,834	20,065,422	9,815,483	10,937,829
TENURE							
Full owners	farms	10,363	11,308	8,732	9,461	4,634	5,915
	acres	5,183,122	5,465,939	4,386,089	4,377,630	2,652,249	2,831,705
Part owners	farms	10,238	11,016	9,855	10,689	5,263	6,515
	acres	29,798,861	30,180,548	28,995,973	29,519,779	15,197,011	17,215,710
Tenants	farms	2,535	2,534	2,395	2,352	1,111	1,381
	acres	2,709,635	2,905,344	2,594,755	2,862,160	1,150,612	1,525,978
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total	farms	23,136	24,858	20,982	22,502	11,008	13,811
	\$1,000	13,005,025	8,581,312	12,626,860	8,393,418	4,766,967	3,986,644
Market value of agricultural products sold	farms	23,136	24,858	20,982	22,502	11,008	13,811
	\$1,000	11,993,835	8,127,998	11,651,546	7,959,031	4,372,917	3,771,062
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	15,058	15,283	14,379	14,732	6,507	7,757
	\$1,000	10,453,118	6,607,789	10,243,327	6,511,294	3,001,537	2,335,250
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	7,917	9,227	7,241	8,611	7,246	8,757
	\$1,000	1,540,717	1,520,208	1,408,219	1,447,737	1,371,380	1,435,811
Government payments	farms	17,927	19,248	16,499	17,702	7,654	9,644
	\$1,000	1,011,190	453,314	975,314	434,388	394,050	215,582
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS							
Less than \$1,000		1,278	2,031	1,071	1,625	755	1,388
\$1,000 to \$2,499		1,293	1,313	1,039	1,015	466	595
\$2,500 to \$4,999		1,436	1,591	1,133	1,320	544	762
\$5,000 to \$9,999		1,723	1,971	1,368	1,607	760	931
\$10,000 to \$24,999		2,185	2,557	1,889	2,101	1,110	1,346
\$25,000 to \$49,999		1,609	1,972	1,413	1,752	954	1,239
\$50,000 or more		13,612	13,423	13,069	13,082	6,419	7,550
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS							
CCC loans	farms	200	579	193	567	71	216
	\$1,000	22,017	87,972	21,816	86,865	5,039	21,395
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	farms	7,425	8,495	6,418	7,373	2,096	3,363
	\$1,000	53,346	63,274	45,902	54,217	14,281	23,726
Other Federal farm program payments	farms	13,799	15,973	13,171	15,082	6,779	8,642
	\$1,000	957,844	390,040	929,412	380,170	379,769	191,856
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		10,135	9,835	9,844	9,629	3,082	3,793
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		153	155	149	150	53	42
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		32	33	28	25	7	10
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		59	67	61	63	11	23
Other crop farming (1119)		6,828	7,005	5,699	5,648	2,220	2,453
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)		6,828	7,005	5,699	5,648	2,220	2,453
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)		4,122	5,434	3,736	5,003	4,001	5,377
Cattle feedlots (11212)		150	287	143	280	143	297
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		34	81	34	78	35	81
Hog and pig farming (1122)		54	53	29	39	48	53
Poultry and egg production (1123)		114	48	80	37	85	43
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		233	269	181	230	227	268
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		1,222	1,591	998	1,320	1,096	1,371
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family		21,936	23,868	19,964	21,618	10,623	13,441
Limited Liability Company		710	556	604	506	256	305
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual		19,977	21,516	18,214	19,460	9,906	12,424

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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	number	17,614	(NA)	22,136	23,843	15,698	17,232
Land in farms	acres	33,889,500	(NA)	36,521,102	37,421,191	27,650,188	28,018,588
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres		366	(NA)	465	489	243	317
10 to 49 acres		1,185	(NA)	1,876	2,149	1,245	1,464
50 to 179 acres		2,191	(NA)	3,924	4,159	2,680	2,824
180 to 499 acres		2,760	(NA)	3,937	4,044	2,736	2,820
500 acres or more		11,112	(NA)	11,934	13,002	8,794	9,807
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms	farms	15,349	(NA)	19,679	21,418	14,343	15,823
	acres	14,698,939	(NA)	16,609,364	17,469,829	12,496,995	13,180,505
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	11,761	(NA)	12,338	13,127	8,726	9,457
	acres	19,190,561	(NA)	19,911,738	19,951,362	15,153,193	14,838,083
TENURE							
Full owners	farms	5,853	(NA)	9,798	10,716	6,972	7,775
	acres	3,558,510	(NA)	5,018,386	5,233,449	3,455,149	3,508,917
Part owners	farms	9,496	(NA)	9,881	10,702	7,371	8,048
	acres	27,785,014	(NA)	28,842,145	29,324,807	22,379,094	22,564,848
Tenants	farms	2,265	(NA)	2,457	2,425	1,355	1,409
	acres	2,545,976	(NA)	2,660,571	2,862,935	1,815,945	1,944,823
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total	farms	17,614	(NA)	22,136	23,843	15,698	17,232
	\$1,000	12,050,534	(NA)	12,622,128	8,367,387	9,633,460	6,331,701
Market value of agricultural products sold	farms	17,614	(NA)	22,136	23,843	15,698	17,232
	\$1,000	11,126,249	(NA)	11,640,908	7,926,479	8,891,044	5,995,504
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	13,268	(NA)	14,416	14,763	10,249	10,770
	\$1,000	9,787,229	(NA)	10,160,787	6,467,393	7,795,381	4,914,710
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	7,060	(NA)	7,583	8,949	5,571	6,594
	\$1,000	1,339,021	(NA)	1,480,121	1,459,086	1,095,663	1,080,794
Government payments	farms	13,709	(NA)	17,327	18,594	12,524	13,668
	\$1,000	924,284	(NA)	981,220	440,908	742,416	336,197
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS							
Less than \$1,000		639	(NA)	1,169	1,865	821	1,366
\$1,000 to \$2,499		515	(NA)	1,196	1,200	831	799
\$2,500 to \$4,999		591	(NA)	1,379	1,542	966	1,120
\$5,000 to \$9,999		852	(NA)	1,649	1,905	1,093	1,272
\$10,000 to \$24,999		1,319	(NA)	2,096	2,425	1,455	1,687
\$25,000 to \$49,999		1,170	(NA)	1,496	1,845	1,005	1,310
\$50,000 or more		12,528	(NA)	13,151	13,061	9,527	9,678
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS							
CCC loans	farms	178	(NA)	195	569	127	452
	\$1,000	19,734	(NA)	21,708	87,228	15,661	75,395
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	farms	4,114	(NA)	7,143	8,184	5,305	6,133
	\$1,000	29,227	(NA)	51,332	60,905	38,368	46,484
Other Federal farm program payments	farms	12,357	(NA)	13,372	15,435	9,659	11,403
	\$1,000	895,058	(NA)	929,888	380,004	704,048	289,714
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		9,436	(NA)	9,783	9,532	6,940	6,944
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		132	(NA)	148	152	93	97
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		20	(NA)	28	31	15	22
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		53	(NA)	58	59	31	34
Other crop farming (1119)		3,018	(NA)	6,490	6,632	4,568	4,692
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)		3,018	(NA)	6,490	6,632	4,568	4,692
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)		3,579	(NA)	3,929	5,268	2,906	3,808
Cattle feedlots (11212)		130	(NA)	138	270	111	240
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		28	(NA)	34	78	15	47
Hog and pig farming (1122)		39	(NA)	49	53	29	24
Poultry and egg production (1123)		70	(NA)	98	45	61	29
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		197	(NA)	233	254	150	171
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		912	(NA)	1,148	1,469	779	1,124
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family		16,869	(NA)	20,975	22,861	14,908	16,593
Limited Liability Company		464	(NA)	700	574	472	421
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual		15,373	(NA)	19,007	20,540	13,456	14,849

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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	2,065	2,080	1,814	1,889	714	940
Corporation	699	752	644	710	254	278
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	395	510	310	443	134	169
Number of producers:						
1 producer	10,892	12,986	9,780	11,577	4,797	6,904
2 producers	9,013	9,701	8,245	8,913	4,785	5,756
3 producers	1,755	1,398	1,572	1,295	762	774
4 producers	1,033	533	953	504	429	254
5 or more producers	443	240	432	213	235	123
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	17,459	19,657	15,787	17,788	8,534	11,193
2 producers	3,250	2,840	3,075	2,698	1,552	1,505
3 producers	936	709	860	677	316	365
4 producers	284	143	277	132	113	52
5 or more producers	142	59	129	54	74	24
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	9,209	10,057	8,263	9,066	4,958	6,018
2 producers	959	529	893	465	473	285
3 producers	243	145	192	115	91	43
4 producers	57	29	51	25	14	11
5 or more producers	38	24	44	23	14	14
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	19,199	19,917	17,716	18,361	9,298	11,374
Dial-up	398	414	357	400	228	274
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	15,214	(NA)	14,128	(NA)	7,288	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	13,065	6,389	12,201	6,020	6,157	3,374
Satellite	1,251	1,369	1,166	1,285	572	824
Don't know	858	1,298	739	1,129	409	715
Other	28	151	25	153	10	84
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	17,681	19,602	16,097	17,755	8,737	11,175
2 households	3,523	3,671	3,295	3,327	1,736	1,913
3 households	1,109	898	910	826	300	411
4 households	558	380	449	330	158	173
5 or more households	265	307	231	264	77	139

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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	1,452	(NA)	2,047	2,055	1,389	1,440
Corporation	614	(NA)	706	732	532	565
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	175	(NA)	376	516	321	378
Number of producers:						
1 producer	8,305	(NA)	10,184	12,285	7,074	8,732
2 producers	7,024	(NA)	8,726	9,431	6,333	6,977
3 producers	1,269	(NA)	1,774	1,376	1,241	986
4 producers	736	(NA)	979	518	738	384
5 or more producers	280	(NA)	473	233	312	153
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	13,525	(NA)	16,617	18,774	11,795	13,668
2 producers	2,621	(NA)	3,198	2,783	2,270	1,956
3 producers	688	(NA)	889	673	636	464
4 producers	195	(NA)	276	136	169	87
5 or more producers	82	(NA)	141	59	94	30
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	6,877	(NA)	8,968	9,809	6,518	7,379
2 producers	658	(NA)	997	527	737	383
3 producers	100	(NA)	230	132	164	93
4 producers	22	(NA)	69	29	61	18
5 or more producers	32	(NA)	38	29	26	22
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	15,442	(NA)	18,507	19,255	13,093	14,013
Dial-up	307	(NA)	380	416	278	319
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	12,391	(NA)	14,789	(NA)	10,543	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	10,848	(NA)	12,697	6,372	9,060	4,657
Satellite	1,041	(NA)	1,192	1,339	881	984
Don't know	583	(NA)	809	1,215	513	863
Other	22	(NA)	24	159	18	114
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	13,730	(NA)	16,797	18,701	12,063	13,673
2 households	2,788	(NA)	3,431	3,539	2,386	2,485
3 households	659	(NA)	1,057	925	735	614
4 households	295	(NA)	555	362	336	245
5 or more households	142	(NA)	296	316	178	215