

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	89	79	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	24,805	10,139	On farm operated	115	123
Average per farm dollars	278,710	128,344	Not on farm operated	35	39
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	9	8	None	71	98
..... \$1,000	15	18	Any	79	64
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	5	5	1 to 49 days	15	15
..... \$1,000	37	40	50 to 99 days	12	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	14	11	100 to 199 days	10	6
..... \$1,000	246	191	200 days or more	42	40
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	15	15	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	492	524	2 years or less	14	1
\$50,000 or more farms	46	40	3 or 4 years	17	15
..... \$1,000	24,016	9,366	5 to 9 years	31	29
			10 years or more	88	117
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	19.9	21.1
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	86	82	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	3	5	Under 25 years	3	-
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	10	12	25 to 34 years	16	24
			35 to 44 years	30	14
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			45 to 54 years	21	30
Sex of producers:			55 to 64 years	37	50
Male	112	109	65 to 74 years	35	39
Female	38	53	75 years and over	8	5
Primary occupation:			Average age	53.8	55.0
Farming	105	110	Military service:		
Other	45	52	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	128	146
			Active duty now or in the past (see text)	22	16

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