

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	26,469	28,534	24,132	26,433	16,800	19,989
Land in farms	acres	41,070,698	42,408,893	39,197,913	40,838,680	30,573,167	33,340,179
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres		1,054	1,174	783	931	799	927
10 to 49 acres		4,152	4,212	3,500	3,621	2,675	2,890
50 to 179 acres		5,262	5,388	4,668	4,871	2,784	3,237
180 to 499 acres		4,756	4,705	4,436	4,414	2,727	3,033
500 acres or more		11,245	13,055	10,745	12,596	7,815	9,902
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms	farms	23,812	25,808	21,719	23,958	15,119	18,093
	acres	23,809,841	25,105,556	22,636,853	24,190,589	17,858,996	20,028,831
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	12,429	14,313	11,762	13,645	8,640	10,755
	acres	17,260,857	17,303,337	16,561,060	16,648,091	12,717,171	13,311,348
TENURE							
Full owners	farms	14,040	14,221	12,370	12,788	8,160	9,234
	acres	9,404,606	9,905,597	8,764,537	9,431,394	6,437,778	7,510,493
Part owners	farms	9,772	11,587	9,349	11,170	6,959	8,859
	acres	28,270,876	29,452,442	27,253,454	28,455,499	21,594,874	23,619,862
Tenants	farms	2,657	2,726	2,413	2,475	1,681	1,896
	acres	3,395,216	3,050,854	3,179,922	2,951,787	2,540,515	2,209,824
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total	farms	26,469	28,534	24,132	26,433	16,800	19,989
	\$1,000	13,333,998	9,956,387	12,527,319	9,438,252	8,883,130	7,453,712
Market value of agricultural products sold	farms	26,469	28,534	24,132	26,433	16,800	19,989
	\$1,000	12,617,503	9,550,281	11,845,026	9,049,639	8,419,730	7,181,056
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	15,637	17,231	15,040	16,640	8,979	11,221
	\$1,000	7,491,499	5,086,490	7,235,428	4,964,746	3,821,685	2,974,999
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	12,713	15,134	11,632	14,090	11,782	14,388
	\$1,000	5,126,004	4,463,791	4,609,598	4,084,892	4,598,044	4,206,057
Government payments	farms	18,153	20,524	16,909	19,493	10,952	13,552
	\$1,000	716,495	406,106	682,293	388,613	463,401	272,656
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS							
Less than \$1,000		1,715	2,465	1,373	2,052	1,204	1,828
\$1,000 to \$2,499		1,450	1,383	1,186	1,245	812	863
\$2,500 to \$4,999		1,496	1,515	1,280	1,312	821	937
\$5,000 to \$9,999		1,993	1,955	1,685	1,734	1,113	1,195
\$10,000 to \$24,999		2,849	3,044	2,534	2,689	1,687	1,892
\$25,000 to \$49,999		2,264	2,431	2,029	2,251	1,407	1,695
\$50,000 or more		14,702	15,741	14,045	15,150	9,756	11,579
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS							
CCC loans	farms	186	723	175	703	125	477
	\$1,000	12,504	106,861	11,858	104,835	7,256	47,683
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	farms	8,868	8,931	8,107	8,274	4,088	4,976
	\$1,000	95,958	74,797	87,016	69,381	40,821	36,418
Other Federal farm program payments	farms	13,737	17,967	13,074	17,233	9,528	12,550
	\$1,000	620,537	331,309	595,277	319,232	422,580	236,238
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		9,697	9,779	9,453	9,567	4,608	5,303
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		130	91	117	92	65	51
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		109	85	97	75	32	28
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		117	115	106	94	34	39
Other crop farming (1119)		6,361	5,926	5,562	5,283	2,489	2,560
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)		6,361	5,926	5,562	5,283	2,489	2,560
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)		6,793	8,527	6,124	7,868	6,589	8,330
Cattle feedlots (11212)		395	687	347	650	385	677
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		113	215	106	207	110	213
Hog and pig farming (1122)		243	224	183	179	203	208
Poultry and egg production (1123)		308	99	249	77	273	93
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		656	631	528	529	634	641
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		1,547	2,155	1,260	1,812	1,378	1,846
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family		24,564	27,186	22,431	25,199	15,897	19,214
Limited Liability Company		1,890	1,381	1,701	1,261	1,079	869
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual		21,496	23,833	19,561	22,056	14,193	17,148

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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	20,305	(NA)	25,192	27,381	18,288	20,378
Land in farms acres	34,862,076	(NA)	39,543,813	40,929,057	29,529,106	31,111,418
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	753	(NA)	923	1,091	547	730
10 to 49 acres	2,584	(NA)	3,742	3,912	2,520	2,813
50 to 179 acres	3,343	(NA)	4,999	5,170	3,456	3,750
180 to 499 acres	3,608	(NA)	4,630	4,574	3,314	3,204
500 acres or more	10,017	(NA)	10,898	12,634	8,451	9,881
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS						
Owned land in farms farms	17,948	(NA)	22,648	24,808	16,769	18,871
..... acres	19,063,818	(NA)	22,870,071	24,222,731	16,578,110	18,522,520
Rented or leased land in farms farms	11,253	(NA)	11,934	13,779	8,772	10,132
..... acres	15,798,258	(NA)	16,673,742	16,706,326	12,950,996	12,588,898
TENURE						
Full owners farms	9,052	(NA)	13,258	13,602	9,516	10,246
..... acres	6,081,364	(NA)	8,945,245	9,561,320	5,689,586	6,718,418
Part owners farms	8,896	(NA)	9,390	11,206	7,253	8,625
..... acres	25,693,417	(NA)	27,232,946	28,411,951	21,491,040	22,390,864
Tenants farms	2,357	(NA)	2,544	2,573	1,519	1,507
..... acres	3,087,295	(NA)	3,365,622	2,955,786	2,348,480	2,002,136
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS						
Total farms	20,305	(NA)	25,192	27,381	18,288	20,378
..... \$1,000	11,891,086	(NA)	12,783,108	9,459,658	10,104,246	7,263,879
Market value of agricultural products sold farms	20,305	(NA)	25,192	27,381	18,288	20,378
..... \$1,000	11,268,630	(NA)	12,090,312	9,066,128	9,560,315	6,956,467
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops farms	13,329	(NA)	14,901	16,579	11,041	12,344
..... \$1,000	6,761,632	(NA)	7,214,435	4,924,293	5,672,516	3,806,976
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms	11,147	(NA)	12,153	14,653	8,980	11,115
..... \$1,000	4,506,998	(NA)	4,875,877	4,141,835	3,887,799	3,149,491
Government payments farms	14,086	(NA)	17,543	19,912	13,103	15,178
..... \$1,000	622,456	(NA)	692,796	393,529	543,931	307,412
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS						
Less than \$1,000	947	(NA)	1,515	2,187	1,092	1,572
\$1,000 to \$2,499	749	(NA)	1,306	1,316	915	982
\$2,500 to \$4,999	831	(NA)	1,410	1,440	939	1,059
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,109	(NA)	1,863	1,880	1,224	1,358
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1,814	(NA)	2,755	2,935	1,902	2,068
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1,688	(NA)	2,147	2,371	1,494	1,686
\$50,000 or more	13,167	(NA)	14,196	15,252	10,722	11,653
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS						
CCC loans farms	167	(NA)	177	697	143	546
..... \$1,000	11,959	(NA)	12,110	104,763	9,140	87,221
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments farms	5,716	(NA)	8,595	8,696	6,465	6,835
..... \$1,000	59,146	(NA)	92,762	73,393	70,950	58,891
Other Federal farm program payments farms	12,137	(NA)	13,262	17,429	10,061	13,260
..... \$1,000	563,310	(NA)	600,033	320,136	472,980	248,521
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	8,683	(NA)	9,339	9,431	6,910	6,908
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	112	(NA)	121	90	79	62
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	82	(NA)	103	76	74	43
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	104	(NA)	112	106	74	74
Other crop farming (1119)	3,024	(NA)	6,036	5,712	4,354	4,288
Tobacco farming (11191)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	3,024	(NA)	6,036	5,712	4,354	4,288
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	5,865	(NA)	6,498	8,269	4,716	6,253
Cattle feedlots (11212)	358	(NA)	381	677	282	542
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	95	(NA)	105	206	77	123
Hog and pig farming (1122)	196	(NA)	214	212	145	153
Poultry and egg production (1123)	225	(NA)	287	86	172	61
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	527	(NA)	591	616	396	413
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	1,034	(NA)	1,405	1,900	1,009	1,458
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS						
Farms by-						
Type of organization:						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family	18,999	(NA)	23,318	26,041	17,054	19,474
Limited Liability Company	1,424	(NA)	1,863	1,356	1,373	995
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:						
Family or individual	16,610	(NA)	20,261	22,750	14,721	16,945

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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	2,220	2,131	2,044	1,991	1,138	1,306
Corporation	2,146	1,831	1,994	1,725	1,184	1,122
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	607	739	533	661	285	413
Number of producers:						
1 producer	11,571	14,045	10,413	12,940	7,116	9,527
2 producers	10,687	11,765	9,657	10,924	7,155	8,507
3 producers	2,159	1,674	2,087	1,588	1,346	1,220
4 producers	1,339	766	1,292	701	786	539
5 or more producers	713	284	683	280	397	196
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	19,552	22,689	17,593	20,976	12,639	16,034
2 producers	3,890	3,384	3,755	3,224	2,365	2,324
3 producers	1,268	802	1,200	782	717	579
4 producers	329	177	345	164	178	109
5 or more producers	212	55	203	61	124	39
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	11,314	12,335	10,132	11,290	7,707	8,954
2 producers	1,312	791	1,198	722	813	570
3 producers	305	91	312	79	142	57
4 producers	98	44	113	46	71	26
5 or more producers	53	13	45	13	18	8
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	21,876	23,378	20,089	21,757	14,163	16,609
Dial-up	643	653	558	604	427	503
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	15,728	(NA)	14,513	(NA)	10,097	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	13,889	8,435	12,838	7,953	9,015	5,977
Satellite	2,192	3,035	2,056	2,809	1,549	2,230
Don't know	1,157	2,040	1,036	1,877	742	1,466
Other	71	317	63	299	45	217
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	20,014	22,367	18,012	20,660	12,992	15,798
2 households	4,120	4,343	3,931	4,100	2,620	3,054
3 households	1,313	1,098	1,254	1,021	729	718
4 households	592	393	571	368	278	235
5 or more households	430	333	364	284	181	184

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OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.						
Farms by - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership	1,617	(NA)	2,197	2,114	1,525	1,505
Corporation	1,737	(NA)	2,100	1,795	1,560	1,395
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	341	(NA)	634	722	482	533
Number of producers:						
1 producer	8,875	(NA)	10,783	13,241	7,594	9,915
2 producers	8,296	(NA)	10,132	11,473	7,483	8,488
3 producers	1,677	(NA)	2,131	1,631	1,597	1,183
4 producers	980	(NA)	1,396	745	1,053	564
5 or more producers	477	(NA)	750	291	561	228
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	15,115	(NA)	18,383	21,650	13,332	16,182
2 producers	3,118	(NA)	3,822	3,286	2,791	2,417
3 producers	932	(NA)	1,214	789	945	556
4 producers	265	(NA)	353	175	251	124
5 or more producers	134	(NA)	223	57	140	35
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	8,528	(NA)	10,820	12,031	8,106	8,998
2 producers	932	(NA)	1,334	777	1,003	605
3 producers	188	(NA)	336	89	239	68
4 producers	80	(NA)	116	57	77	44
5 or more producers	29	(NA)	71	14	66	12
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	17,315	(NA)	20,914	22,468	15,186	16,734
Dial-up	484	(NA)	604	637	476	475
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	12,566	(NA)	15,076	(NA)	10,916	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	11,234	(NA)	13,379	8,159	9,707	6,134
Satellite	1,770	(NA)	2,115	2,865	1,605	2,180
Don't know	857	(NA)	1,110	1,946	795	1,475
Other	62	(NA)	72	309	48	224
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	15,338	(NA)	18,821	21,412	13,779	16,031
2 households	3,380	(NA)	4,011	4,185	2,908	3,088
3 households	943	(NA)	1,292	1,074	882	780
4 households	410	(NA)	632	384	437	263
5 or more households	234	(NA)	436	326	282	216