

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	52	80	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	28,868	30,883	On farm operated	96	99
Average per farm dollars	555,149	386,043	Not on farm operated	68	97
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	4	24	None	58	75
..... \$1,000	6	58	Any	106	121
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	2	7	1 to 49 days	20	16
..... \$1,000	(D)	46	50 to 99 days	3	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	4	7	100 to 199 days	30	24
..... \$1,000	(D)	122	200 days or more	53	69
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	5	7	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	180	272	2 years or less	8	26
\$50,000 or more farms	37	35	3 or 4 years	33	15
..... \$1,000	28,595	30,385	5 to 9 years	24	34
			10 years or more	99	121
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	19.7	18.9
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	64	70	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	8	25	Under 25 years	5	9
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	6	14	25 to 34 years	15	20
			35 to 44 years	24	34
			45 to 54 years	34	34
			55 to 64 years	37	41
			65 to 74 years	28	45
			75 years and over	21	13
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			Average age	54.5	53.0
Sex of producers:			Military service:		
Male	112	135	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	154	186
Female	52	61	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	10	10
Primary occupation:					
Farming	103	101			
Other	61	95			

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