

**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
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms ..... number	6,439	6,727	5,573	5,853	4,057	4,709
Land in farms ..... acres	1,159,120	1,176,190	1,061,706	1,074,715	781,863	905,252
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....	794	873	708	697	491	546
10 to 49 acres .....	1,864	1,907	1,523	1,623	1,249	1,327
50 to 179 acres .....	2,058	2,148	1,799	1,876	1,202	1,454
180 to 499 acres .....	1,264	1,328	1,106	1,206	792	996
500 acres or more .....	459	471	437	451	323	386
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Owned land in farms ..... farms	6,117	6,336	5,292	5,528	3,872	4,492
..... acres	939,952	925,495	856,773	847,984	622,222	703,122
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms	1,707	2,203	1,518	1,995	1,187	1,672
..... acres	219,168	250,695	204,933	226,731	159,641	202,130
<b>TENURE</b>						
Full owners ..... farms	4,732	4,524	4,055	3,858	2,870	3,037
..... acres	556,279	491,363	494,196	440,110	314,465	321,081
Part owners ..... farms	1,385	1,812	1,237	1,670	1,002	1,455
..... acres	575,545	651,162	542,481	606,094	448,264	561,510
Tenants ..... farms	322	391	281	325	185	217
..... acres	27,296	33,665	25,029	28,511	19,134	22,661
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total ..... farms	6,439	6,727	5,573	5,853	4,057	4,709
..... \$1,000	1,039,441	784,657	990,433	756,950	840,219	680,974
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... farms	6,439	6,727	5,573	5,853	4,057	4,709
..... \$1,000	1,030,817	778,965	982,216	751,416	833,663	676,125
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms	4,267	4,365	3,726	3,860	2,159	2,559
..... \$1,000	325,639	186,473	294,801	167,603	148,069	91,848
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms	2,722	3,354	2,541	3,020	2,556	3,147
..... \$1,000	705,178	592,492	687,416	583,813	685,595	584,276
Government payments ..... farms	979	678	929	633	657	513
..... \$1,000	8,624	5,692	8,217	5,534	6,556	4,849
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>						
Less than \$1,000 .....	1,261	1,430	1,032	1,199	935	1,138
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	736	794	636	644	492	491
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	682	819	584	721	419	544
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	743	856	628	735	403	565
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	942	914	818	797	568	594
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	586	463	519	411	333	281
\$50,000 or more .....	1,489	1,451	1,356	1,346	907	1,096
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>						
CCC loans ..... farms	2	2	2	2	2	2
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments ..... farms	171	165	160	153	120	130
..... \$1,000	659	236	629	224	212	187
Other Federal farm program payments ..... farms	872	616	833	576	587	468
..... \$1,000	7,966	5,456	7,588	5,310	6,344	4,661
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	86	67	73	63	47	40
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	393	336	379	340	185	161
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	438	360	408	348	157	160
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	458	455	432	419	146	169
Other crop farming (1119) .....	2,481	2,330	1,971	1,870	1,046	1,134
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	2,481	2,330	1,971	1,870	1,046	1,134
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....	601	857	525	752	589	824
Cattle feedlots (11212) .....	12	10	12	9	12	10
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	437	708	425	688	433	703
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	74	71	67	59	72	67
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	312	136	289	94	298	116
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	420	516	378	471	416	510
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	727	881	614	740	656	815
<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Farms by-						
Type of organization:						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family .....	6,063	6,546	5,236	5,692	3,848	4,598
Limited Liability Company .....	1,459	991	1,308	890	909	681
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:						
Family or individual .....	5,003	5,418	4,255	4,668	3,191	3,800

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	2022	2017	2022	2017	2022	2017
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms ..... number	5,031	(NA)	5,971	6,328	3,807	4,156
Land in farms ..... acres	912,664	(NA)	1,098,889	1,126,244	818,010	797,269
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....	658	(NA)	749	808	367	431
10 to 49 acres .....	1,483	(NA)	1,725	1,753	981	1,097
50 to 179 acres .....	1,542	(NA)	1,896	2,034	1,278	1,401
180 to 499 acres .....	967	(NA)	1,150	1,274	829	887
500 acres or more .....	381	(NA)	451	459	352	340
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Owned land in farms ..... farms	4,777	(NA)	5,683	5,956	3,648	3,992
..... acres	725,342	(NA)	886,109	886,702	656,689	646,186
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms	1,438	(NA)	1,638	2,125	1,084	1,352
..... acres	187,322	(NA)	212,780	239,542	161,321	151,083
<b>TENURE</b>						
Full owners ..... farms	3,593	(NA)	4,333	4,203	2,723	2,804
..... acres	413,438	(NA)	511,472	466,100	370,097	350,034
Part owners ..... farms	1,184	(NA)	1,350	1,753	925	1,188
..... acres	476,641	(NA)	561,289	628,169	429,866	431,919
Tenants ..... farms	254	(NA)	288	372	159	164
..... acres	22,585	(NA)	26,128	31,975	18,047	15,316
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total ..... farms	5,031	(NA)	5,971	6,328	3,807	4,156
..... \$1,000	835,605	(NA)	1,005,943	761,531	770,528	529,709
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... farms	5,031	(NA)	5,971	6,328	3,807	4,156
..... \$1,000	828,429	(NA)	997,554	755,949	764,082	525,973
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms	3,352	(NA)	3,967	4,106	2,484	2,666
..... \$1,000	269,077	(NA)	308,972	179,484	220,001	126,546
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms	2,346	(NA)	2,646	3,198	1,742	2,164
..... \$1,000	559,352	(NA)	688,582	576,465	544,081	399,427
Government payments ..... farms	807	(NA)	948	654	655	460
..... \$1,000	7,176	(NA)	8,389	5,582	6,446	3,736
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>						
Less than \$1,000 .....	855	(NA)	1,134	1,313	758	915
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	561	(NA)	664	737	403	473
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	524	(NA)	634	779	373	495
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	567	(NA)	662	797	394	485
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	749	(NA)	865	857	534	557
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	517	(NA)	571	439	379	291
\$50,000 or more .....	1,258	(NA)	1,441	1,406	966	940
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>						
CCC loans ..... farms	2	(NA)	2	2	2	2
..... \$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments ..... farms	140	(NA)	158	158	123	108
..... \$1,000	548	(NA)	628	233	514	171
Other Federal farm program payments ..... farms	722	(NA)	854	596	579	422
..... \$1,000	6,628	(NA)	7,761	5,348	5,932	3,565
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	69	(NA)	71	65	62	53
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	346	(NA)	376	331	212	186
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	389	(NA)	432	345	282	224
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	407	(NA)	442	438	221	262
Other crop farming (1119) .....	1,732	(NA)	2,187	2,129	1,388	1,357
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) .....	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1,732	(NA)	2,187	2,129	1,388	1,357
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....	490	(NA)	561	799	394	577
Cattle feedlots (11212) .....	12	(NA)	10	10	11	8
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	372	(NA)	431	685	314	436
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	59	(NA)	72	65	39	34
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	252	(NA)	283	124	170	74
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	322	(NA)	399	499	239	322
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	581	(NA)	705	838	475	623
<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Farms by-						
Type of organization:						
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family .....	4,727	(NA)	5,598	6,163	3,596	4,065
Limited Liability Company .....	1,279	(NA)	1,412	963	912	648
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:						
Family or individual .....	3,822	(NA)	4,570	5,069	2,878	3,352

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<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>						
Farms by- - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership .....	688	679	629	628	417	481
Corporation .....	578	502	525	447	339	347
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. ....	170	128	164	110	110	81
Number of producers:						
1 producer .....	2,039	2,417	1,722	2,088	1,264	1,684
2 producers .....	3,359	3,495	2,919	3,019	2,190	2,424
3 producers .....	627	489	571	455	393	348
4 producers .....	315	235	263	213	171	195
5 or more producers .....	99	91	98	78	39	58
Number of male producers:						
1 producer .....	4,682	4,980	4,027	4,303	2,981	3,427
2 producers .....	856	745	746	673	495	514
3 producers .....	230	171	200	156	110	140
4 producers .....	52	29	51	22	27	14
5 or more producers .....	28	19	27	18	6	12
Number of female producers:						
1 producer .....	4,107	4,234	3,584	3,676	2,712	2,997
2 producers .....	360	339	325	316	225	275
3 producers .....	60	44	53	43	34	27
4 producers .....	4	17	2	9	1	12
5 or more producers .....	11	13	14	13	6	9
Farms reporting-						
Internet access .....	5,692	5,825	4,988	5,120	3,612	4,113
Dial-up .....	374	183	323	154	227	129
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text) .....	4,090	(NA)	3,648	(NA)	2,618	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text) .....	2,712	1,309	2,425	1,163	1,731	907
Satellite .....	662	460	574	423	411	344
Don't know .....	201	451	180	362	142	325
Other .....	41	152	25	146	29	126
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household .....	5,496	5,838	4,772	5,086	3,508	4,118
2 households .....	710	688	599	590	421	444
3 households .....	158	118	136	103	96	86
4 households .....	38	59	30	52	20	40
5 or more households .....	37	24	36	22	12	21

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<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>						
Farms by- - Con.						
Operation's legal status for tax purposes: - Con.						
Partnership .....	591	(NA)	673	654	433	409
Corporation .....	501	(NA)	565	493	377	323
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. ....	117	(NA)	163	112	119	72
Number of producers:						
1 producer .....	1,529	(NA)	1,794	2,227	1,151	1,502
2 producers .....	2,680	(NA)	3,185	3,309	1,993	2,126
3 producers .....	494	(NA)	589	481	389	333
4 producers .....	248	(NA)	296	225	217	139
5 or more producers .....	80	(NA)	107	86	57	56
Number of male producers:						
1 producer .....	3,668	(NA)	4,335	4,674	2,709	3,033
2 producers .....	669	(NA)	792	703	533	453
3 producers .....	158	(NA)	211	161	144	112
4 producers .....	49	(NA)	51	27	34	20
5 or more producers .....	16	(NA)	28	17	11	8
Number of female producers:						
1 producer .....	3,262	(NA)	3,891	4,033	2,477	2,659
2 producers .....	309	(NA)	350	333	242	216
3 producers .....	53	(NA)	65	45	39	37
4 producers .....	4	(NA)	4	17	5	6
5 or more producers .....	5	(NA)	14	13	1	7
Farms reporting-						
Internet access .....	4,555	(NA)	5,357	5,507	3,424	3,609
Dial-up .....	306	(NA)	336	175	234	127
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text) .....	3,261	(NA)	3,896	(NA)	2,478	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text) .....	2,225	(NA)	2,605	1,246	1,687	860
Satellite .....	551	(NA)	625	447	408	302
Don't know .....	160	(NA)	181	398	113	241
Other .....	30	(NA)	33	146	16	85
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household .....	4,306	(NA)	5,104	5,494	3,228	3,622
2 households .....	563	(NA)	660	634	434	409
3 households .....	114	(NA)	142	119	103	70
4 households .....	24	(NA)	29	58	17	39
5 or more households .....	24	(NA)	36	23	25	16