

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	198	212	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	64,045	35,595	On farm operated	350	354
Average per farm dollars	323,459	167,903	Not on farm operated	96	79
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	53	70	None	194	218
..... \$1,000	90	125	Any	252	215
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	7	8	1 to 49 days	66	48
..... \$1,000	43	54	50 to 99 days	25	17
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	13	19	100 to 199 days	46	45
..... \$1,000	176	372	200 days or more	115	105
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	22	13	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	755	488	2 years or less	27	65
\$50,000 or more farms	103	102	3 or 4 years	66	48
..... \$1,000	62,980	34,557	5 to 9 years	85	70
			10 years or more	268	250
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	16.7	16.3
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	184	163	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	57	89	Under 25 years	15	13
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	30	65	25 to 34 years	54	73
			35 to 44 years	57	58
			45 to 54 years	65	95
			55 to 64 years	97	93
			65 to 74 years	120	85
			75 years and over	38	16
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			Average age	54.7	51.5
Sex of producers:			Military service:		
Male	278	275	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	410	384
Female	168	158	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	36	49
Primary occupation:					
Farming	263	242			
Other	183	191			

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