

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	21,979	23,099	18,932	20,542	16,466	18,847
Land in farms	acres	3,440,281	3,603,750	3,101,711	3,299,877	2,820,099	3,090,661
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres		1,758	1,891	1,372	1,567	1,165	1,474
10 to 49 acres		5,976	6,082	4,963	5,264	4,155	4,771
50 to 179 acres		8,927	9,598	7,757	8,595	6,709	7,823
180 to 499 acres		4,074	4,195	3,692	3,882	3,360	3,582
500 acres or more		1,244	1,333	1,148	1,234	1,077	1,197
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms	farms	21,539	22,499	18,568	20,019	16,119	18,346
	acres	2,669,800	2,748,028	2,400,092	2,505,932	2,114,595	2,290,598
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	3,913	4,680	3,497	4,302	3,488	4,292
	acres	770,481	855,722	701,619	793,945	705,504	800,063
TENURE							
Full owners	farms	18,066	18,419	15,435	16,240	12,978	14,555
	acres	2,073,879	2,074,438	1,844,572	1,871,530	1,562,571	1,657,890
Part owners	farms	3,473	4,080	3,133	3,779	3,141	3,791
	acres	1,292,964	1,420,077	1,192,392	1,333,622	1,195,965	1,339,597
Tenants	farms	440	600	364	523	347	501
	acres	73,438	109,235	64,747	94,725	61,563	93,174
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total	farms	21,979	23,099	18,932	20,542	16,466	18,847
	\$1,000	939,591	759,083	804,867	673,281	744,044	631,779
Market value of agricultural products sold	farms	21,979	23,099	18,932	20,542	16,466	18,847
	\$1,000	930,028	750,115	795,658	664,529	735,503	623,945
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	12,421	12,871	10,921	11,690	7,986	9,512
	\$1,000	227,836	151,968	214,390	144,775	131,441	96,444
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	11,111	12,915	9,830	11,673	10,324	12,161
	\$1,000	702,192	598,147	581,267	519,754	604,062	527,501
Government payments	farms	1,326	1,848	1,234	1,760	1,099	1,608
	\$1,000	9,563	8,968	9,210	8,752	8,541	7,833
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS							
Less than \$1,000		4,859	6,375	3,889	5,454	3,588	5,078
\$1,000 to \$2,499		4,619	4,256	3,868	3,727	2,889	3,122
\$2,500 to \$4,999		3,235	3,474	2,829	3,107	2,435	2,845
\$5,000 to \$9,999		3,387	3,552	3,023	3,216	2,698	3,036
\$10,000 to \$24,999		2,913	2,874	2,627	2,681	2,394	2,542
\$25,000 to \$49,999		1,520	1,231	1,414	1,152	1,274	1,093
\$50,000 or more		1,446	1,337	1,282	1,205	1,188	1,131
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS							
CCC loans	farms	11	28	11	30	7	28
	\$1,000	938	3,945	938	3,945	517	3,740
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	farms	253	324	236	307	214	278
	\$1,000	593	672	569	644	510	572
Other Federal farm program payments	farms	1,124	1,680	1,046	1,604	933	1,465
	\$1,000	8,970	8,296	8,641	8,108	8,031	7,261
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		284	249	259	236	171	166
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		635	589	580	552	394	398
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		748	583	688	541	419	356
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		439	395	399	369	177	182
Other crop farming (1119)		7,950	7,667	6,779	6,796	4,296	4,945
Tobacco farming (11191)		2	-	2	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)		7,948	7,667	6,777	6,796	4,296	4,945
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)		7,788	9,259	6,856	8,396	7,421	8,859
Cattle feedlots (11212)		103	95	94	89	98	92
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		81	149	75	134	81	147
Hog and pig farming (1122)		181	221	158	170	182	217
Poultry and egg production (1123)		1,126	648	907	519	944	543
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		663	926	549	779	639	887
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		1,981	2,318	1,588	1,961	1,644	2,055
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family		21,467	22,665	18,508	20,176	16,123	18,553
Limited Liability Company		1,840	1,283	1,672	1,172	1,443	1,065
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual		20,383	21,476	17,546	19,073	15,309	17,577

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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	13,677	(NA)	18,068	20,448	12,826	14,820
Land in farms	acres	2,493,867	(NA)	3,048,846	3,301,389	2,255,473	2,491,995
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres		948	(NA)	1,356	1,632	811	1,043
10 to 49 acres		3,274	(NA)	4,623	5,259	3,145	3,688
50 to 179 acres		5,476	(NA)	7,289	8,436	5,320	6,249
180 to 499 acres		2,957	(NA)	3,633	3,869	2,707	2,868
500 acres or more		1,022	(NA)	1,167	1,252	843	972
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms	farms	13,363	(NA)	17,692	19,905	12,617	14,546
	acres	1,849,362	(NA)	2,322,889	2,491,894	1,724,784	1,898,101
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	3,085	(NA)	3,559	4,350	2,464	3,037
	acres	644,505	(NA)	725,957	809,495	530,689	593,894
TENURE							
Full owners	farms	10,592	(NA)	14,509	16,098	10,362	11,783
	acres	1,351,254	(NA)	1,766,250	1,853,196	1,309,825	1,408,844
Part owners	farms	2,771	(NA)	3,183	3,807	2,255	2,763
	acres	1,084,335	(NA)	1,216,420	1,350,628	909,226	1,025,251
Tenants	farms	314	(NA)	376	543	209	274
	acres	58,278	(NA)	66,176	97,565	36,422	57,900
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total	farms	13,677	(NA)	18,068	20,448	12,826	14,820
	\$1,000	714,068	(NA)	855,466	715,885	619,533	537,143
Market value of agricultural products sold	farms	13,677	(NA)	18,068	20,448	12,826	14,820
	\$1,000	705,883	(NA)	846,169	707,204	612,028	530,396
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	7,396	(NA)	9,989	11,317	7,294	8,308
	\$1,000	175,858	(NA)	202,103	142,473	153,231	113,364
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	8,434	(NA)	9,940	11,972	6,915	8,619
	\$1,000	530,025	(NA)	644,067	564,731	458,798	417,032
Government payments	farms	1,025	(NA)	1,226	1,755	852	1,332
	\$1,000	8,185	(NA)	9,297	8,681	7,504	6,746
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS							
Less than \$1,000		2,453	(NA)	3,649	5,280	2,676	3,765
\$1,000 to \$2,499		2,305	(NA)	3,452	3,669	2,355	2,613
\$2,500 to \$4,999		2,046	(NA)	2,695	3,119	1,912	2,299
\$5,000 to \$9,999		2,333	(NA)	2,914	3,264	2,021	2,339
\$10,000 to \$24,999		2,188	(NA)	2,627	2,688	1,901	2,001
\$25,000 to \$49,999		1,202	(NA)	1,416	1,158	1,011	891
\$50,000 or more		1,150	(NA)	1,315	1,270	950	912
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS							
CCC loans	farms	11	(NA)	11	30	6	25
	\$1,000	938	(NA)	938	3,900	574	3,840
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments	farms	201	(NA)	236	302	183	231
	\$1,000	499	(NA)	586	632	426	512
Other Federal farm program payments	farms	872	(NA)	1,039	1,600	712	1,212
	\$1,000	7,686	(NA)	8,711	8,049	7,078	6,235
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		197	(NA)	233	220	167	169
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		417	(NA)	523	518	353	379
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		462	(NA)	653	510	469	399
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		329	(NA)	383	377	236	240
Other crop farming (1119)		3,906	(NA)	5,955	6,438	4,478	4,821
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	(NA)	2	-	2	-
Cotton farming (11192)		-	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)		3,906	(NA)	5,953	6,438	4,476	4,821
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)		5,760	(NA)	6,893	8,538	4,852	6,173
Cattle feedlots (11212)		87	(NA)	93	92	71	71
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		73	(NA)	75	134	59	89
Hog and pig farming (1122)		127	(NA)	171	202	103	140
Poultry and egg production (1123)		682	(NA)	907	563	596	415
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		496	(NA)	594	871	359	565
Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		1,141	(NA)	1,588	1,985	1,083	1,359
OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS							
Farms by-							
Type of organization:							
Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family		13,373	(NA)	17,644	20,059	12,523	14,567
Limited Liability Company		1,371	(NA)	1,711	1,211	1,202	874
Operation's legal status for tax purposes:							
Family or individual		12,572	(NA)	16,680	18,975	11,792	13,774

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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	809	926	709	853	619	791
Corporation	596	480	521	434	441	335
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	191	217	156	182	97	144
Number of producers:						
1 producer	9,650	11,236	8,181	9,928	6,920	8,945
2 producers	9,834	10,082	8,506	8,960	7,645	8,352
3 producers	1,434	1,163	1,306	1,081	1,117	1,023
4 producers	769	468	666	434	569	398
5 or more producers	292	150	273	139	215	129
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	17,045	18,730	14,587	16,650	12,849	15,258
2 producers	2,486	2,081	2,246	1,926	1,910	1,818
3 producers	600	346	531	320	449	294
4 producers	140	45	129	45	100	36
5 or more producers	57	25	48	23	25	19
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	11,131	11,442	9,661	10,124	8,553	9,392
2 producers	976	766	845	703	754	655
3 producers	144	94	118	73	109	79
4 producers	33	21	37	19	20	14
5 or more producers	32	5	32	4	16	4
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	15,938	16,253	13,945	14,518	12,159	13,400
Dial-up	755	612	646	544	566	542
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	9,061	(NA)	7,944	(NA)	6,836	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	8,315	4,722	7,395	4,332	6,437	3,982
Satellite	2,740	2,863	2,389	2,584	2,140	2,405
Don't know	764	1,069	648	949	588	878
Other	95	204	86	176	82	189
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	18,686	20,198	16,113	17,923	13,980	16,405
2 households	2,565	2,355	2,185	2,133	1,961	1,977
3 households	452	310	403	273	326	276
4 households	174	137	143	124	133	109
5 or more households	102	99	88	89	66	80

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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	594	(NA)	713	862	498	594
Corporation	421	(NA)	526	420	406	319
Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	90	(NA)	149	191	130	133
Number of producers:						
1 producer	5,848	(NA)	7,606	9,723	5,492	7,288
2 producers	6,184	(NA)	8,270	9,058	5,704	6,322
3 producers	967	(NA)	1,260	1,098	912	773
4 producers	497	(NA)	673	426	520	325
5 or more producers	181	(NA)	259	143	198	112
Number of male producers:						
1 producer	10,599	(NA)	13,947	16,543	9,764	12,057
2 producers	1,651	(NA)	2,151	1,933	1,593	1,354
3 producers	393	(NA)	516	310	388	221
4 producers	97	(NA)	120	43	104	29
5 or more producers	25	(NA)	45	24	33	15
Number of female producers:						
1 producer	6,924	(NA)	9,335	10,299	6,482	7,203
2 producers	612	(NA)	854	679	634	537
3 producers	95	(NA)	123	82	83	70
4 producers	20	(NA)	26	19	24	13
5 or more producers	8	(NA)	32	5	18	1
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	10,176	(NA)	13,433	14,515	9,463	10,442
Dial-up	505	(NA)	626	560	435	428
Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text)	5,759	(NA)	7,682	(NA)	5,340	(NA)
Cellular data plan (see text)	5,439	(NA)	7,136	4,348	5,015	3,251
Satellite	1,752	(NA)	2,295	2,572	1,646	1,882
Don't know	480	(NA)	616	917	460	662
Other	64	(NA)	81	182	64	109
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:						
1 household	11,476	(NA)	15,339	17,822	10,796	12,900
2 households	1,746	(NA)	2,112	2,128	1,587	1,565
3 households	289	(NA)	387	286	276	200
4 households	109	(NA)	148	117	109	81
5 or more households	57	(NA)	82	95	58	74