

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	76	108	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	7,727	8,229	On farm operated	133	164
Average per farm dollars	101,671	76,195	Not on farm operated	40	29
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	27	65	None	92	56
..... \$1,000	57	137	Any	81	137
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	13	7	1 to 49 days	14	20
..... \$1,000	98	42	50 to 99 days	6	17
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	10	7	100 to 199 days	16	28
..... \$1,000	150	119	200 days or more	45	72
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	5	8	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	176	262	2 years or less	21	3
\$50,000 or more farms	21	21	3 or 4 years	14	45
..... \$1,000	7,246	7,670	5 to 9 years	47	45
			10 years or more	91	100
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	15.8	13.9
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	57	62	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	32	51	Under 25 years	4	-
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	9	11	25 to 34 years	3	18
			35 to 44 years	32	33
			45 to 54 years	40	38
			55 to 64 years	26	59
			65 to 74 years	53	32
			75 years and over	15	13
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			Average age	56.6	54.5
Sex of producers:			Military service:		
Male	92	106	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	164	175
Female	81	87	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	9	18
Primary occupation:					
Farming	106	96			
Other	67	97			

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