

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	227	260	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	166,224	128,916	On farm operated	376	395
Average per farm dollars	732,265	495,830	Not on farm operated	176	178
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	24	37	None	254	298
..... \$1,000	59	63	Any	298	275
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	7	5	1 to 49 days	98	64
..... \$1,000	52	30	50 to 99 days	45	26
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	22	29	100 to 199 days	40	45
..... \$1,000	396	482	200 days or more	115	140
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	16	26	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	511	1,033	2 years or less	33	87
\$50,000 or more farms	158	163	3 or 4 years	61	37
..... \$1,000	165,206	127,307	5 to 9 years	137	86
			10 years or more	321	363
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	18.1	19.1
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	233	261	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	20	34	Under 25 years	12	10
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	35	87	25 to 34 years	82	80
			35 to 44 years	117	89
			45 to 54 years	105	133
			55 to 64 years	107	135
			65 to 74 years	88	86
			75 years and over	41	40
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			Average age	51.3	52.3
Sex of producers:			Military service:		
Male	368	378	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	531	553
Female	184	195	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	21	20
Primary occupation:					
Farming	377	379			
Other	175	194			

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