

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	167	105	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	70,078	39,392	On farm operated	258	154
Average per farm dollars	419,626	375,164	Not on farm operated	89	56
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	18	14	None	186	97
..... \$1,000	31	25	Any	161	113
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	15	15	1 to 49 days	33	16
..... \$1,000	115	106	50 to 99 days	13	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	14	17	100 to 199 days	27	20
..... \$1,000	246	273	200 days or more	88	72
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	11	10	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	368	353	2 years or less	11	6
\$50,000 or more farms	109	49	3 or 4 years	61	27
..... \$1,000	69,318	38,635	5 to 9 years	61	21
			10 years or more	214	156
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	17.8	21.6
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	154	106	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	27	11	Under 25 years	1	6
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	33	43	25 to 34 years	56	16
			35 to 44 years	37	34
			45 to 54 years	67	26
			55 to 64 years	93	73
			65 to 74 years	73	45
			75 years and over	20	10
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			Average age	53.9	55.1
Sex of producers:			Military service:		
Male	238	146	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	336	203
Female	109	64	Active duty now or in the past (see text)	11	7
Primary occupation:					
Farming	223	123			
Other	124	87			

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