

**Table 51. Organic Agriculture: 2022 and 2017**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	2022	2017	Item	2022	2017
<b>VALUE OF SALES OF CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANICALLY PRODUCED COMMODITIES</b>			<b>ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION <sup>1</sup> (SEE TEXT) - Con.</b>		
Total organic product sales .....	176	204	Place of residence:		
\$1,000 .....	29,573	32,795	On farm operated .....	242	263
Average per farm .....	168,030	160,759	Not on farm operated .....	130	137
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	47	74	None .....	189	185
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	22	26	Any .....	183	215
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	129	176	1 to 49 days .....	27	46
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	26	20	50 to 99 days .....	49	37
\$50,000 or more .....	390	360	100 to 199 days .....	22	41
\$1,000 .....	17	25	200 days or more .....	85	91
\$1,000 .....	603	902	Years on present farm:		
\$1,000 .....	64	59	2 years or less .....	34	28
\$1,000 .....	28,353	31,176	3 or 4 years .....	33	58
<b>TYPE OF PRODUCTION</b>			5 to 9 years .....	115	97
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production .....	157	156	10 years or more .....	190	217
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification .....	34	52	Average years on present farm .....	16.3	15.8
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production .....	25	15	Age group:		
<b>ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION <sup>1</sup></b>			Under 25 years .....	6	3
Sex of producers:			25 to 34 years .....	33	48
Male .....	207	220	35 to 44 years .....	79	83
Female .....	165	180	45 to 54 years .....	49	63
Primary occupation:			55 to 64 years .....	90	115
Farming .....	234	262	65 to 74 years .....	86	69
Other .....	138	138	75 years and over .....	29	19
			Average age .....	54.3	53.1
			Military service:		
			Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text) .....	348	378
			Active duty now or in the past (see text) .....	24	22

<sup>1</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.