

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	343	404	Place of residence:		
..... \$1,000	264,024	129,742	On farm operated	488	615
Average per farm dollars	769,750	321,145	Not on farm operated	254	194
By value of sales:			Days worked off farm:		
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	42	98	None	376	420
..... \$1,000	83	175	Any	366	389
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	11	16	1 to 49 days	72	102
..... \$1,000	83	108	50 to 99 days	49	28
\$10,000 to \$24,999 farms	28	36	100 to 199 days	61	35
..... \$1,000	503	471	200 days or more	184	224
\$25,000 to \$49,999 farms	25	20	Years on present farm:		
..... \$1,000	814	763	2 years or less	48	58
\$50,000 or more farms	237	234	3 or 4 years	29	71
..... \$1,000	262,542	128,226	5 to 9 years	212	119
			10 years or more	453	561
TYPE OF PRODUCTION			Average years on present farm	18.9	18.3
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production farms	346	354	Age group:		
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification farms	43	111	Under 25 years	-	11
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production farms	47	87	25 to 34 years	79	81
			35 to 44 years	115	150
ALL PRODUCERS' CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION ¹			45 to 54 years	142	157
Sex of producers:			55 to 64 years	165	222
Male	508	528	65 to 74 years	180	159
Female	234	261	75 years and over	61	29
Primary occupation:			Average age	55.3	53.1
Farming	458	545	Military service:		
Other	284	264	Never served or only on active duty for training in Reserves or National Guard (see text)	694	733
			Active duty now or in the past (see text)	48	76

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