

**Table 48. Organic Agriculture: 2007**

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

Item	2007	Item	2007
<b>VALUE OF SALES OF ORGANICALLY PRODUCED COMMODITIES</b>		<b>LAND USED FOR ORGANIC PRODUCTION - Con.</b>	
Total organic product sales (see text) .....	farms 167 \$1,000 6,351	Total acres used for organic production (see text) - Con.	
Average per farm .....	dollars 38,030	Acres from which organic crops were harvested .....	farms 163 acres 661
By value of sales:		Acres of organic pastureland .....	farms 43 acres (D)
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	farms 83 \$1,000 134	Acres being converted to organic production .....	farms 61 acres 485
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms 40 \$1,000 253		
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	farms 18 \$1,000 293	<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH ORGANIC PRODUCTION</b>	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms 8 \$1,000 272	Sex of operator:	
\$50,000 or more .....	farms 18 \$1,000 5,400	Male .....	132
		Female .....	54
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms 157 \$1,000 5,894	Primary occupation:	
Less than \$50,000 .....	farms 142 \$1,000 907	Farming .....	106
\$50,000 or more .....	farms 15 \$1,000 4,987	Other .....	80
Livestock and poultry .....	farms 15 \$1,000 397	Place of residence:	
Less than \$50,000 .....	farms 12 \$1,000 36	On farm operated .....	167
\$50,000 or more .....	farms 3 \$1,000 361	Not on farm operated .....	19
Livestock and poultry products .....	farms 20 \$1,000 61	Days worked off farm:	
Less than \$50,000 .....	farms 20 \$1,000 61	None .....	62
\$50,000 or more .....	farms - \$1,000 -	Any .....	124
		1 to 49 days .....	7
		50 to 99 days .....	11
		100 to 199 days .....	35
		200 days or more .....	71
		Years on present farm:	
		2 years or less .....	18
		3 or 4 years .....	15
		5 to 9 years .....	43
		10 years or more .....	110
		Average years on present farm .....	17.5
		Age group:	
		Under 25 years .....	3
		25 to 34 years .....	20
		35 to 44 years .....	24
		45 to 49 years .....	22
		50 to 54 years .....	28
		55 to 59 years .....	29
		60 to 64 years .....	18
		65 to 69 years .....	16
		70 years and over .....	26
		Average age .....	53.7
<b>LAND USED FOR ORGANIC PRODUCTION</b>			
Total acres used for organic production (see text) .....	farms 186 acres 1,485		
By number of organic acres:			
1 to 9 acres .....	farms 150 acres 377		
10 to 49 acres .....	farms 25 acres 416		
50 to 179 acres .....	farms 11 acres 692		
180 to 499 acres .....	farms - acres -		
500 acres or more .....	farms - acres -		