

Table 42. Organic Agriculture: 2012

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

Item	Vermont	Addison	Bennington	Caledonia	Chittenden	Essex	Franklin
TYPE OF PRODUCTION							
USDA National Organic Program certified organic productionfarms	513	71	5	38	46	12	72
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certificationfarms	114	8	4	8	5	1	7
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic productionfarms	36	7	-	3	7	1	2
VALUE OF SALES OF CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANICALLY PRODUCED COMMODITIES							
Total organic product sales (see text)farms	554	70	8	42	49	7	68
\$1,000	62,634	9,130	751	4,228	2,761	274	12,375
By value of sales:							
\$1 to \$4,999farms	166	18	4	10	15	1	7
\$1,000	325	29	9	21	21	(D)	30
\$5,000 or morefarms	388	52	4	32	34	6	61
\$1,000	62,310	9,101	742	4,207	2,740	(D)	12,345

Item	Grand Isle	Lamoille	Orange	Orleans	Rutland	Washington	Windham	Windsor
TYPE OF PRODUCTION								
USDA National Organic Program certified organic productionfarms	8	33	52	64	22	50	20	20
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certificationfarms	2	6	7	13	9	20	11	13
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic productionfarms	-	-	-	3	4	2	2	5
VALUE OF SALES OF CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANICALLY PRODUCED COMMODITIES								
Total organic product sales (see text)farms	7	35	53	70	19	67	30	29
\$1,000	377	4,289	7,255	9,227	2,163	4,697	3,648	1,458
By value of sales:								
\$1 to \$4,999farms	2	9	21	20	2	27	14	16
\$1,000	(D)	15	54	36	(D)	40	35	26
\$5,000 or morefarms	5	26	32	50	17	40	16	13
\$1,000	(D)	4,274	7,201	9,191	(D)	4,657	3,613	1,432

Table 43. Selected Practices: 2012

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Geographic area	Received irrigation water from the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (farms)	Practiced alley cropping or silvopasture (farms)	Harvested biomass for use in renewable energy (farms)	Practiced rotational or management-intensive grazing (farms)	Marketed products directly to retail outlets (farms)	Produced and sold value-added commodities (farms)	Marketed products through community supported agriculture (CSA) (farms)	Raised or sold veal calves (farms)	On-farm packing facility (farms)
State Total	-	68	76	1,801	1,174	1,016	332	76	389
Counties									
Addison.....	-	13	5	182	123	105	22	11	49
Bennington.....	-	2	2	64	45	53	19	2	22
Caledonia.....	-	-	3	131	79	81	17	2	29
Chittenden.....	-	2	9	127	118	103	49	-	49
Essex.....	-	-	-	9	11	4	-	-	1
Franklin.....	-	2	13	132	71	69	7	7	34
Grand Isle.....	-	1	-	18	16	12	4	-	11
Lamoille.....	-	3	2	83	67	39	14	5	16
Orange.....	-	7	11	223	102	91	41	14	34
Orleans.....	-	-	1	143	72	85	19	8	37
Rutland.....	-	10	1	191	110	78	33	9	21
Washington.....	-	4	3	164	127	75	29	2	13
Windham.....	-	12	19	135	110	79	36	-	39
Windsor.....	-	12	7	199	123	142	42	16	34