

Table 6: Use of Agricultural Practices to Reach Agriculture Sustainability Goals

| Practice | Percentage of Respondents | | | | Missing Number of Responses |
|---|---------------------------|-------|-----------|--------|-----------------------------|
| | Don't Know | Never | Sometimes | Always | |
| Use organic seeds | 12.98 | 10.82 | 65.07 | 11.13 | 12 |
| Use GMO seeds to reduce needs for production inputs | 18.75 | 16.35 | 59.13 | 5.77 | 35 |
| Use GMO seeds to increase possible yield | 17.86 | 15.15 | 55.34 | 11.64 | 35 |
| Use organic inputs in crop production | 15.67 | 7.11 | 68.5 | 8.72 | 40 |
| Use organic feed in livestock production | 6.72 | 16.16 | 69.76 | 7.36 | 34 |
| Use GMO feed ingredients in livestock production | 18.96 | 22.37 | 52.19 | 6.48 | 42 |
| Use animal waste as fertilizers (at recommended rates) | 1.58 | 3.15 | 67.98 | 27.29 | 25 |
| Use commercial fertilizers (at recommended rates) | 0.32 | 7.17 | 62.26 | 30.25 | 31 |
| Use organic pesticides | 20.77 | 13.85 | 55.39 | 9.98 | 38 |
| Use commercial pesticides | 3.23 | 4.68 | 68.39 | 23.71 | 39 |
| Use field buffers to reduce nutrient runoff | 3.23 | 5.49 | 67.04 | 24.23 | 40 |
| Use winter cover crops to reduce soil loss | 4.04 | 4.68 | 63.65 | 27.63 | 40 |
| Use low/no till to reduce soil loss | 5.7 | 3.75 | 75.9 | 14.66 | 45 |
| Use conventional tillage to increase yields/weed control | 3.92 | 4.08 | 77.32 | 14.68 | 46 |
| Use manure management practices to mitigate nutrient runoff from farm | 5.73 | 2.45 | 74.14 | 17.68 | 48 |
| Recycle/capture water for use in production/processing | 7.87 | 6.9 | 63.88 | 21.35 | 36 |