2022 Census of Agriculture, List of Content Changes

* Land Use Practices, Precision Ag – Question added.
* Irrigation
  + 5-year question removed.
  + Acres with irrigation systems or equipment question added.
  + Intention question added.
  + Irrigation questions slightly reworded and order changed.
* Personal Characteristics
  + “Is the person completing the form?” removed.
  + Principal operator questions, removed.
    - Is this person a principal operator or senior partner?
    - Is this person the spouse of a principal operator or senior partner?
  + Involvement marketing decisions, added.
* Field Crops
  + Hemp by utilization added.
  + Sugarcane for seed removed. Sugarcane for sugar removed. Sugarcane for sugar or seed added.
* Field Crops; Nursery; Vegetables
  + Sweet corn for seed was removed from Field Crops.
  + Vegetable seeds grown in the open will not be valid in the Nursery Section.
  + Vegetable seeds grown in the open will be reported under a specific vegetable in the Vegetable Section.
* Nursery
  + Hemp items added.
  + Sod harvested was changed to Sod harvested or intended for sale in future years.
* Vegetables, added crops are gourds and parsnips. Squash categories were combined.
* Fruit, Nuts, and Berries, added crops are longan, lychees, paw paws, rambutan, gooseberries, and mulberries. Raspberries were combined. Temple oranges were deleted as a separate item and will now be included with tangerines. Added Berries section to the Hawaii form.
* Sheep and Goats, Hair sheep or wool-hair crosses item added.
* Practices, Types of internet access were updated.
* Food Marketing Practices, Marketing channels were split into four categories.
  + In 2017, there were two: Consumers and Retail Markets, Institutions, or Food Hubs for Local or Regionally Branded Products.
  + In 2022, there are four: Consumers, Retail Markets, Institutions, and Intermediate Markets.
* Renewable Energy, two categories were removed.
  + Biodiesel production system and Ethanol production system.