



Vermont

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable State Profile



Fresh Produce

Economic Impact:



\$1B

Total sales



373K

Total acres of fresh produce



3K

Total employees



7K

Total farms

Opportunities to Increase Fruit and Vegetable Consumption:

84.35%

of adults across Vermont are not meeting the Dietary Guidelines for Americans recommendations for fruit and vegetable consumption

\$15.2M

in vouchers for participants in the Women, Infants and Children program (WIC)



\$112.7M

Total wages

\$0M

Fresh Produce and Tree Nuts Exports

\$0.5M

Support for State Governments to Enhance Produce Safety

\$18.83

State Adverse Effect Wage Rate (AEWR)

31.8%

AEWR aggregate % increase over the last 5 years



Farm Bill Investments in

Fruits and Vegetables:

\$2.5M

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) to schools annually

\$153M

Organic production (\$)

\$187.1K

Pest and Disease Grants

0

Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)

203.1K

Organic production volume (acres)

\$334.4K

Specialty Crop Block Grants