Tennessee

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Fresh Fruit and Vegetable State Profile



Fresh Produce

Economic Impact:





Total sales



47K

Total acres of fresh produce



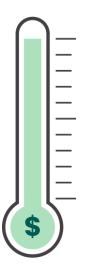
15.3K

Total employees



4K

Total farms



\$652.8M

Total wages

\$6.0M

Fresh Produce and Tree Nuts Exports

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Support for State Governments to Enhance Produce Safety

\$15.1

State Adverse Effect Wage Rate (AEWR)

\$7.25

State Minimum Wage Per Hour

Opportunities to Increase

Fruit and Vegetable Consumption:

89.9%

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

\$31.0M

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



Farm Bill Investments in

Fruits and Vegetables:

\$5.1M

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) to 141 schools annually

\$498K

Specialty Crop Block Grants

\$381K

Pest and Disease Grants

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Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)

9.9%

Organic Share of Produce Dollars



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