

# Fresh Fruit & Vegetable State Profile

## ARIZONA

### State Fruit & Vegetable Production

**165,814** Acres of Fresh Produce & Tree Nuts

**\$282 M** Fresh Produce & Tree Nuts Exports

**\$764 M** Value of Fresh Produce & Tree Nuts

### State Fruit & Vegetable Businesses & Workforce

**3,119** Farms



**15,533** Farm Employees

**TOP 10 STATE**  
for certified H2A workers in  
**2018**

**352**

Produce Shippers, Wholesalers & Businesses

**\$500 M**

**INCREASE**

IN AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS OF FRESH FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND TREE NUTS

EXPECTED NATIONWIDE IN FY 2019

### Opportunities to Increase Fruit & Vegetable Consumption

**71**

schools and growing have received salad bars through the industry's investment in the **United Fresh Start Foundation** and **Salad Bars to School Initiative**

**84%**

of schools need **Updated Kitchen Equipment**

**ONLY 11%**

of adults across Arizona are meeting the **Dietary Guidelines for Americans** recommendations for fruit and vegetable consumption

### Federal Investments in Fruits & Vegetables



**212 M**

servings of fruits & vegetables served daily through the **National School Lunch & Breakfast** programs

**\$1.3 M**

in fresh fruit and vegetable vouchers for participants in the **Women, Infants and Children program (WIC)**  
FY 2018

**\$3.5 M**

in **Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP)** to

**114 schools** annually

**Total Market Access Program (MAP) Funding for Specialty Crops**

**\$53M**

FY 2016

**\$10 M**

in **Specialty Crop Block Grants** through

**173 total block grants**

FY 2008-2017

**\$374 K**

value in **Pest & Disease Grants**  
FY 2018

**\$362 K**

in projects through **Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)**

FY 2008-2017