

Fresh Fruit & Vegetable State Profile

PENNSYLVANIA

State Fruit & Vegetable Production

92,730 Acres of Fresh Produce & Tree Nuts

\$38.6 M Fresh Produce & Tree Nuts Exports

\$301 M Value of Fresh Produce & Tree Nuts

State Fruit & Vegetable Businesses & Workforce

8,190 Farms



20% INCREASE nationwide in H2A workers in **2018**

31,244 Farm Employees

325 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

103



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

80%

of schools need **Updated Kitchen Equipment**

ONLY 10%

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

Federal Investments in Fruits & Vegetables



338 M

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

\$2 M

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

\$5 M

in **Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP)** to **196 schools** annually



Total Market Access Program (MAP) Funding for Specialty Crops
\$53M

FY 2016

\$9.2 M

in **Specialty Crop Block Grants** through **170 total block grants**
FY 2008-2017

\$841 K

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

\$23.6 M

in projects through **Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)**
FY 2008-2017