



Alabama

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable State Profile



Fresh Produce

Economic Impact:



\$0.9B

Total sales



35K

Total acres of fresh produce



8.5K

Total employees



3K

Total farms

Opportunities to Increase Fruit and Vegetable Consumption:

91.5%

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

\$28.6M

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



\$305.8M

Total wages

\$1.6M

Fresh Produce and Tree Nuts Exports

\$0.7M

Support for State Governments to Enhance Produce Safety

\$14.7

State Adverse Effect Wage Rate (AEWR)

\$7.25

State Minimum Wage Per Hour



Farm Bill Investments in

Fruits and Vegetables:

\$4.4M

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) to 117 schools annually

\$496K

Specialty Crop Block Grants

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Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)

\$108K

Pest and Disease Grants

8.4%

Organic Share of Produce Dollars