

2016 Statistics on Certified Organic Agriculture in Vermont*



137,932 acres certified organic farmland!

Gross sales by VT certified organic farmers (farm income): \$142,937,731

Gross sales by VT certified organic processors: \$128,921,773

Total gross sales: \$271,859,504

Total number of producers: 683

Vermont Certified Organic Producers 2016 Totals	
Total Producers	683
Processors (non-farm)	69
Processors (on-farm)	27
Vegetable/Fruit	166
Field Crop	86
Dairy	203
Non-Dairy Livestock	61
Maple	185
Mushroom	5
*Farms producing a variety of products may be listed more than once.	

Organic Dairy Certification		Growth In Total Number of Certified Organic Producers		Growth In Total Number of Acres of Certified Organic Production	
1993	3	1993	78	1999	15,967
1994	3	1994	90	2000	22,148
1995	14	1995	106	2001	23,638
1996	28	1996	150	2002	24,351
1997	35	1997	170	2003	30,387
1998	33	1998	179	2004	35,826
1999	38	1999	187	2005	48,759
2000	47	2000	212	2006	66,827
2001	55	2001	230	2007	85,147
2002	59	2002	253	2008	92,192
2003	64	2003	289	2009	98,461
2004	79	2004	332	2010	102,637
2005	93	2005	366	2011	102,534
2006	129	2006	394	2012	103,827
2007	204	2007	487	2013	103,893
2008	200	2008	535	2014	104,565
2009	200	2009	548	2015	122,825
2010	203	2010	580	2016	137,932
2011	204	2011	582		
2012	205	2012	576		
2013	198	2013	585		
2014	184	2014	579		
2015	183	2015	589		
2016	203	2016	683		

Certified Organic Acreage in Vermont			
Pasture	26,355 acres	Green House (sq.ft)	966,880
Grains/Livestock Feed	1,266 acres	Vegetable/Herbs	1678 acres
Silage	1,793 acres	Fruit	191 acres
Soybeans (food grade)	435 acres	Oil Seed Crops	131 acres
Wheat	387 acres	Sugar Bush	44,651 acres
Hay Land	54,071 acres	Cover Crops	616 acres

* These statistics are based only on production certified through Vermont Organic Farmers, LLC. There are other producers in Vermont certified by other certification organizations. The data compiled are actual figures for the number of farms certified by December 31, 2016.