#### **OUICK FACTS ABOUT**

# Organic in Canada

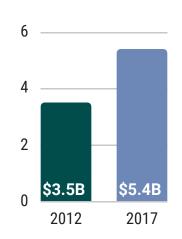


### **MARKET**

\$5.4B

ORGANIC FOOD & NON-FOOD MARKET

\$4.4 B is organic food items - mostly fresh vegetables and fruits.



2.6% MARKET SHARE,

MARKET SHARE, 2017

Up from 1.7% in 2012

8.7%
YEAR-OVER-YEAR
GROWTH

Between 2012 and 2017

Canadian Organic Market Report 2017 (released Nov 2017)

# Top weekly organic buyers:

83% MILLENNIALS

78% UNIVERSITY GRADUATES

72% FAMILIES

69% MEN

66%

CANADIAN SHOPPERS BUYING ORGANIC WEEKLY, 2017

Up from 56% in 2012.

# **SHOPPERS**



Canadian Organic Market Report 2017 (released Nov 2017)

#### **TRADE**

# \$672M

TRACKED IMPORTS, 2017

Top imports: unroasted coffee & bananas.
Top countries of origin: U.S. & Colombia



\$462M TRACKED EXPORTS, 2017

Top exports: lentils & maple syrup.
Top destination countries: U.S. & India.

# **AGRICULTURE**

4,800

**CERTIFIED CROP** PRODUCERS, 2017

**GROWTH IN CERTIFIED &** TRANSITIONAL FARMS 2011-2016

2.2%

**SHARE OF ORGANIC FARMS WITHIN TOTAL FARMS, 2016** 





3.2M

**CERTIFIED ACRES, 2017**  **GROWTH IN CERTIFIED ACRES 2011-2016** 

2.0% **SHARE OF ORGANIC ACRES WITHIN TOTAL** ACREAGE, 2017

Census of Agriculture 2016 & Organic By the Numbers 2017 Data

# FOOD PROCESSING

1,115 **FOOD PROCESSORS,** 2018



PROVINCES BY NUMBER OF ORGANIC FOOD **PROCESSORS** 

**OUEBEC** 

35 35 30 **ALBERTA ATLANTIC MANITOBA** 

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

TOP CATEGORY BY NEW PRODUCT LAUNCHES **SNACKS** 

TOP FOOD CATEGORY BY SALES VALUE **DAIRY** 

TOP BEVERAGE CATEGORY BY SALES VALUE COFFEE

Organic Food Processing in Canada Report (forthcoming)

**ORGANIC PRODUCT MARKET IN FOODSERVICE, 2017** 

#### RESTAURANTS

- Fast casual
- Fine dining & more



# FOOD SERVICE

#### **BEYOND RESTAURANTS**

- Healthcare
- Universities
- Travel & Leisure
- Business

& more



**ORGANIC SHARE OF TOTAL FOODSERVICE MARKET** 



**GREATEST SHARE** 

**TRAVEL & LEISURE** 

15%

SHARE OF TOTAL SHARE OF ORGANIC **FOODSERVICE** 

**FOODSERVICE** 

Organic in Foodservice Report (forthcoming)

#### Learn more

The Canada Organic Trade Association releases numerous reports on organic data and research. To access the reports, visit canada-organic.myshopify.com or canada-organic.ca.