



The Canadian Organic Market

Trends and Opportunities

2017

Canada Organic Trade Association

Consumers

Who are Canadian organic consumers?

What, where and why are they buying?

Sales

Market size estimates.
National and regional sales.

Largest and fastest growing product categories.

Trade

Tracked organic imports and exports.

Emerging markets for Canadian companies.



The Canada Organic Trade Association (COTA) is the membership-based association for the organic sector in Canada, representing growers, processors, certifiers, provincial farmers' associations, retailers and others in the organic value chain. COTA's mission is to promote and protect the growth of organics in Canada to benefit the environment, farmers, the public and the economy.

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Acronym List

AAFC	Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada
BC	British Columbia
CAD	Canadian Dollars
CAGR	Compound Annual Growth Rate
COR	Canada Organic Regime
COTA	Canada Organic Trade Association
CSA	Community Supported Agriculture
EU	European Union
GMO	Genetically Modified Organism
HS Codes	Harmonized System Codes
IFOAM	International Federation of Organic Agriculture Movements
OTA	Organic Trade Association
UK	United Kingdom
US	United States of America
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture