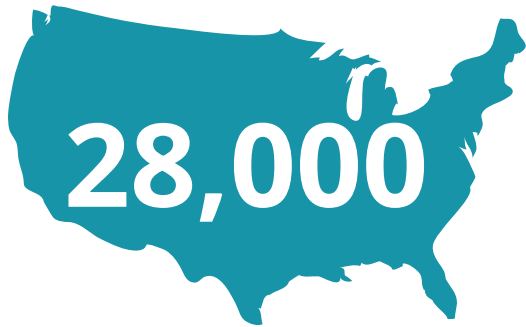


## Farmers, families and businesses

are **choosing** organic food and farming.



The **\$62 billion-a-year** U.S. organic sector is supported by over



certified organic operations nationwide



Organic farms, suppliers and handlers are

## creating jobs

by **opening, expanding and retooling** handling and manufacturing processing facilities

OVER **80%** of households across the country purchase organic



Ranking **12th** in the nation, Michigan has **809 organic businesses.**



**83%** of Michigan households are buying organic.



Michigan organic commodity sales increased **31%** from 2017 to 2019, to **\$231 million** annually.



**36%** of Michigan organic farms **plan on increasing production** over the next 5 years.



USDA projects Michigan's organic acreage will **increase 13%** by 2022.



Milk, Corn, Dry Beans, Soybeans, and Cattle are the top crops in Michigan.



## Organic Operations by Michigan Congressional District

District	Organic Operations
MI01	94
MI02	88
MI03	56
MI04	136
MI05	37
MI06	77
MI07	79
MI08	20
MI09	10
MI10	176
MI11	11
MI12	14
MI13	5
MI14	7