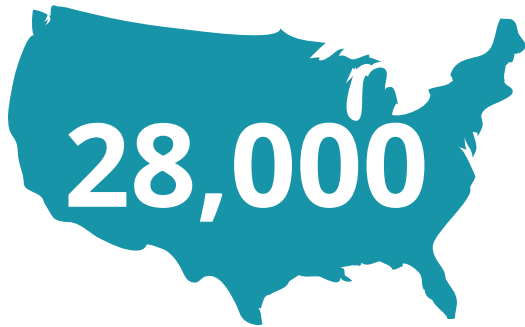


Farmers, families and businesses

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 36th in the nation, New Mexico has **142 organic businesses.**



83% of New Mexico households are buying organic.



New Mexico organic commodity **sales increased 77%** from 2017 to 2019, to nearly **\$71 million** annually.



24% of New Mexico organic farms plan on **increasing production** over the next 5 years.



USDA projects New Mexico's **organic acreage will increase 23%** by 2022.



Cattle, Hay, and Wheat are the top crops in New Mexico.



Organic Operations by New Mexico **Congressional District:**

District	Organic Operations
NM01	22
NM02	47
NM03	73