Organic Agriculture Workshop

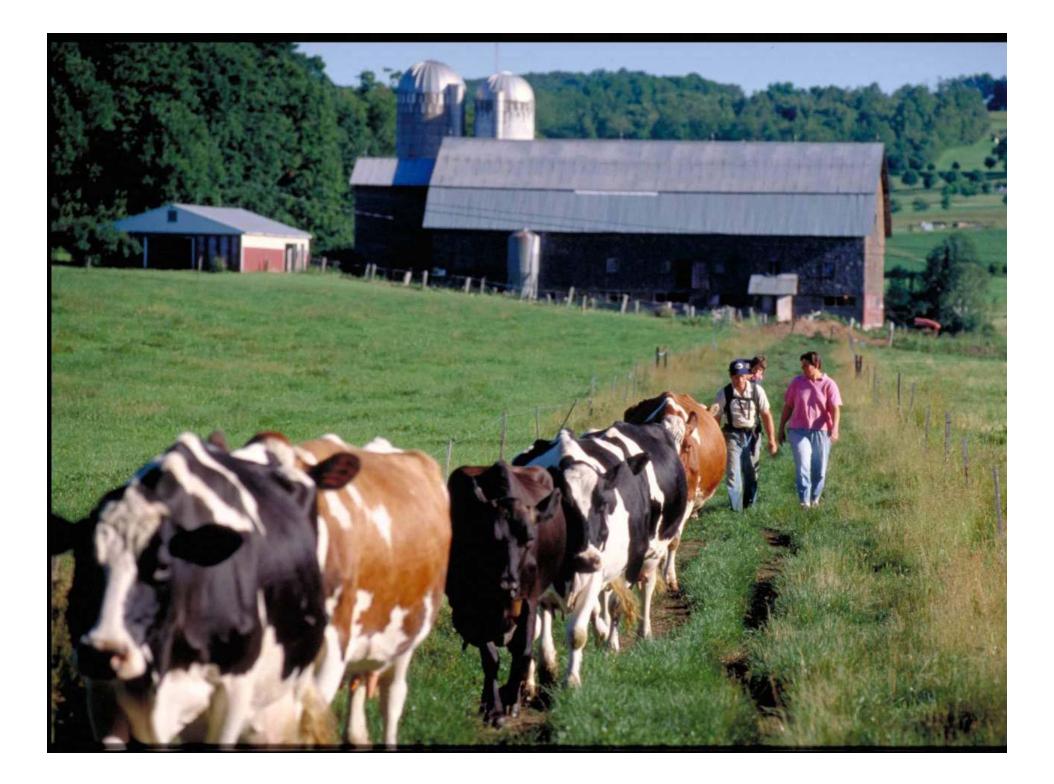
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CROPP Cooperative LaFarge, Wisconsin

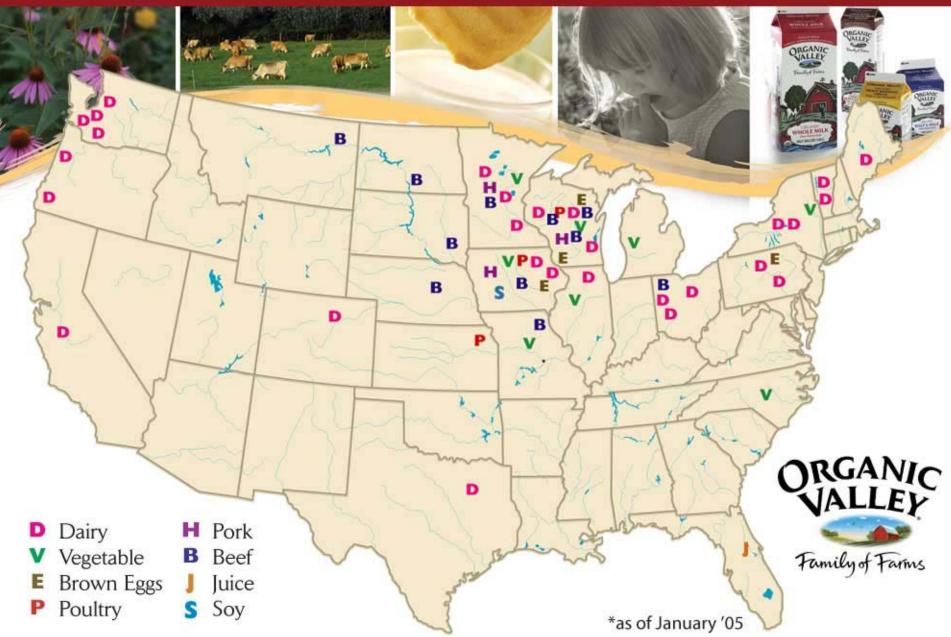


CROPP Purpose

The purpose of the Cooperative Regions of Organic Producer Pools is to create and operate a marketing cooperative that promotes regional farm diversity and economic stability by the means of organic agricultural methods and the sale of certified organic products.

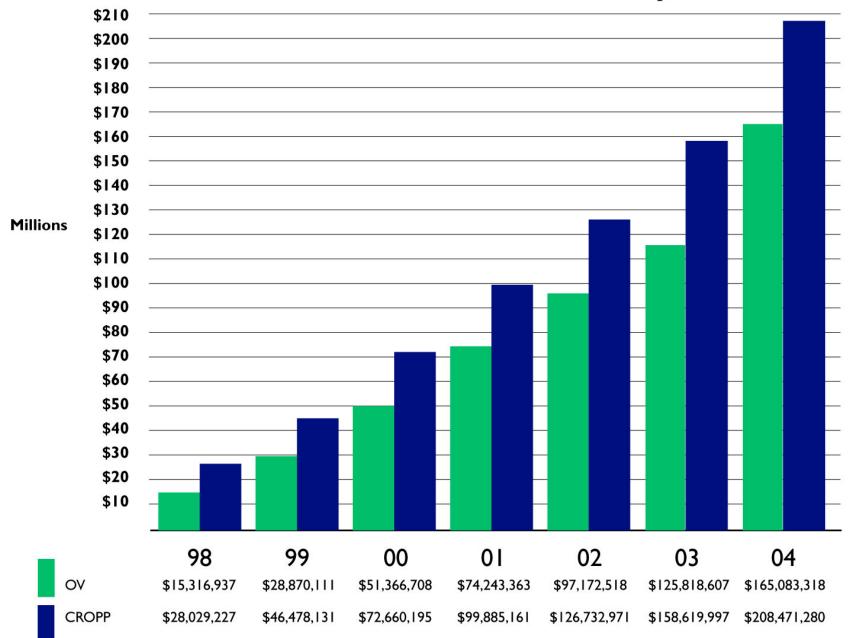


Producer Pool Locations





CROPP & OV Sales History











The Organic Valley Product Line

Fluid Milk

Ultra Pasteurized Milk Whole Reduced Fat 2% Lowfat 1% Nonfat Lactose-Free Lowfat 1% Lactose-Free Lowfat Strawberry Lactose-Free Lowfat Vanilla Lactose-Free Lowfat Chocolate Reduced Fat 2% Chocolate Half & Half Heavy Whipping Cream Egg Nog, (Seasonal)

Pasteurized Milk

Whole Reduced Fat 2% Lowfat 1% Nonfat

Dry Milk Powders Nonfat Dry Milk Buttermilk Blend

Premium Juice

Pasteurized/Not from Concentrate Orange Juice Orange Juice with Pulp Orange Juice, Calcium Fortified

Butter

Lightly Salted Butter Cultured Unsalted Butter

Cream Cheese Neufchatel (reduced fat), Cream Cheese

Sour Cream Regular Lowfat

Cottage Cheese Regular Lowfat

Brown Eggs

Medium, 18 Pack Large, Dozen/6-Pack Large Omega-3, Dozen/6-Pack Ex-Large, Dozen/6-Pack Ex-Large Omega-3, Dozen/6-Pack Jumbo, Dozen/6-Pack Egg Whites, Pasteurized

Cheese

Organic Valley Deli Line Muenster - Red Rind **Baby Swiss** Mozzarella Provolone Feta Pepper Jack Raw Sharp Cheddar Raw Mild Cheddar Raw Wisconsin (Jack-Style) Mild Cheddar, Sliced Monterey Jack, Reduced Fat, Sliced Blue Cheese Crumbles Feta Cheese Crumbles Parmesan, shred Cup Organic Valley Dairy Line Sharp Cheddar Mild Cheddar Colby Monterey Jack Monterey Jack Reduced Fat Cheddar Reduced Sodium & Fat Mexican Blend, Shredded Mild Cheddar, Shredded Mozzarella, Shredded Italian 4-Cheese Blend, Shredded Monterey Jack, Reduced Fat, Shredded Stringles[®] Cheese String Cheese ColbyJack Cheese Sticks Cheddar Cheese Sticks Ricotta Cheese

Organic Valley Frozen Meat

Family Packs Beef Hot Dogs Chicken Hot Dogs Fresh Ground Beef 90/10 Fresh Ground Beef 85/15 Ground Beef Chub Breakfast Sausage Chub Ground Chicken Chub Chicken Thighs Chicken Breasts, Boneless, Skinless Turkey Breasts, Boneless, Skinless Whole Chicken Whole Young Chicken Whole Turkey Whole Young Turkey Uncured Half Ham, Boneless Convenience Ground Beef Patties Pork Bratwurst Pork Breakfast Links Italian Pork Sausage

Italian Chicken Sausage

Hardwood Smoked Bacon Premium

Boneless Rib Eve Steak Boneless New York Strip Steak Boneless Sirloin Steak Beef Liver Pork Chops

Organic Prairie Fresh Meat

Beef Jerky, Spicy Hickory Flavor Premium 85% Lean Ground Beef Premium 90% Lean Ground Beef Premium Ground Pork

Butcher's Case Organic Meat Premium Choice Beef

Fresh Produce

& Heirloom Pork

Seasonal and year-round availability. Inquiries, call 1.888.444.645



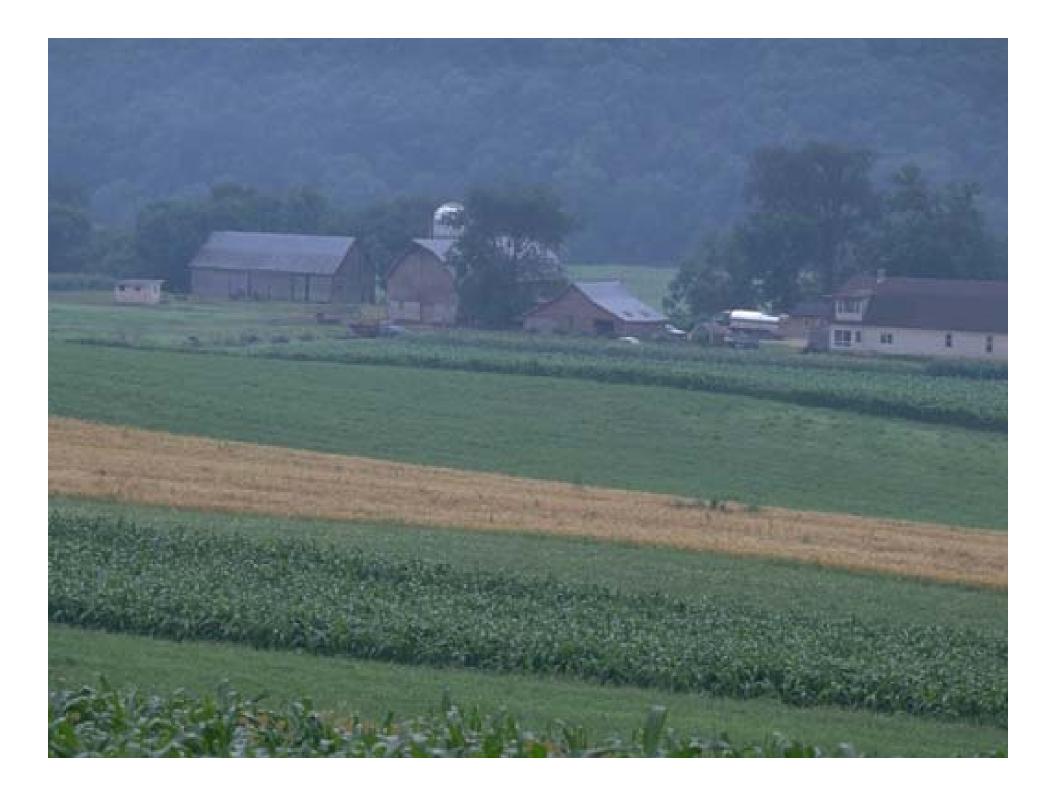
Heavy Whipping Cream

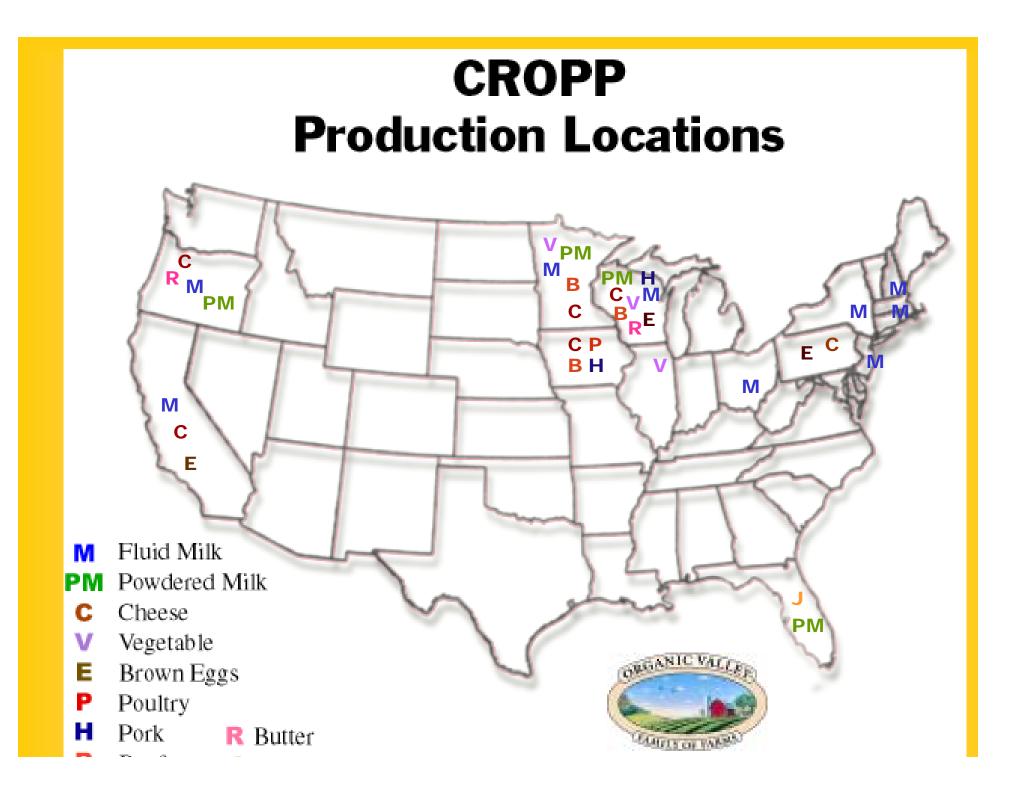












Top 10 Organic Categories

The growth and size of organic in mainstream is driving the growth of organic overall

	Total Super	marl	kets	Mainstream Supermarkets				Natural Supermarkets			
Organic Category	Cur \$	\$% Chg	\$ Shr	Rank	Cur \$	\$ % Chg	\$ Shr	Rank	Cur \$	\$ % Chg	\$ Shr
Total Organic F&B	\$3,640,197,906	17%			\$2,157,446,663	19%	59%		\$1,482,751,243	15%	41%
Total Top 10 Organic F&B	\$2,431,316,801	18%	67%		\$1,692,037,558	20%	78%		\$739,279,243	14%	50%
Packaged Fresh Produce	\$540,398,560	36%	15%	1	\$413,785,505	37%	19%	1	\$126,613,055	34%	9%
Non-Dairy Beverages	\$415,747,882	3%	11%	2	\$342,905,360	5%	16%	6	\$72,842,522	(3%)	5%
Milk / Half & Half / Cream	\$395,088,944	25%	11%	3	\$297,628,443	27%	14%	3	\$97,460,501	20%	7%
Yogurt & Kefir	\$223,691,531	25%	6%	4	\$142,393,227	29%	7%	5	\$81,298,304	19%	5%
Frozen Entrees / Pizzas & Conv	\$206,871,605	11%	6%	5	\$122,085,665	13%	6%	4	\$84,785,940	8%	6%
Bread & Baked Goods (Frozen &	\$184,315,135	8%	5%	7	\$86,684,021	4%	4%	2	\$97,631,114	10%	7%
Chips / Pretzels & Snacks	\$140,535,578	6%	4%	6	\$96,741,007	9%	4%	11	\$43,794,571	2%	3%
Cold Cereals	\$131,569,282	21%	4%	8	\$71,289,974	25%	3%	7	\$60,279,308	17%	4%
Soup	\$100,761,907	28%	3%	11	\$51,087,458	45%	2%	9	\$49,674,449	14%	3%
Refrigerated Juices & Functional	\$92,336,377	8%	3%	9	\$67,436,898	12%	3%	20	\$24,899,479	(1%)	2%

Note: Includes NOP levels 1-69%, 70-94%, 95-99%, and 100%

Source: SPINSscan Conventional & Natural 52 Wks Ending May 14, 2005; Total U.S.