

Buy Local Challenge Nationwide United States Data 2009

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Imagine if every household in the United States spent just \$12.00 per week on local farm foods for 8 weeks .. over \$10.7 billion dollars would go directly back to our farms.

States	Average Household	\$12 for 8 weeks
Alabama	1,801,297	\$ 172,924,490
Alaska	233,650	\$ 22,430,366
Arizona	2,213,466	\$ 212,492,695
Arkansas	1,094,739	\$ 105,094,901
California	12,126,475	\$ 1,164,141,633
Colorado	1,841,445	\$ 176,778,726
Connecticut	1,325,195	\$ 127,218,748
Deleware	322,096	\$ 30,921,264
District of Columbia	249,994	\$ 23,999,433
Florida	7,068,559	\$ 678,581,667
Georgia	3,370,986	\$ 323,614,644
Hawaii	433,436	\$ 41,609,891
Idaho	545,495	\$ 52,367,560
Illinois	4,719,723	\$ 453,093,455
Indiana	2,446,478	\$ 234,861,926
Iowa	1,204,720	\$ 115,653,136
Kansas	1,083,276	\$ 103,994,507
Kentucky	1,656,136	\$ 158,989,020
Lousiana	1,603,694	\$ 153,954,579
Maine	543,342	\$ 52,160,803
Maryland	2,082,589	\$ 199,928,537
Massachusets	2,449,560	\$ 235,157,745
Michigan	3,857,240	\$ 370,295,002
Minnesota	2,037,703	\$ 195,619,473
Mississippi	1,080,967	\$ 103,772,788
Missouri	2,303,627	\$ 221,148,215
Montana	369,614	\$ 35,482,911
Nebraska	698,655	\$ 67,070,851
Nevada	933,654	\$ 89,630,820
New Hampshire	500,348	\$ 48,033,373
New Jersey	3,138,468	\$ 301,292,907
New Mexico	728,306	\$ 69,917,352
New York	7,101,061	\$ 681,701,840
North Carolina	3,466,429	\$ 332,777,187
North Dakota	271,345	\$ 26,049,109
Ohio	4,499,305	\$ 431,933,265
Oklahoma	1,384,990	\$ 132,959,002
Oregon	1,448,894	\$ 139,093,783
Pennsylvania	4,852,968	\$ 465,884,917
Rhode Island	404,196	\$ 38,802,821
South Carolina	1,661,871	\$ 159,539,581
South Dakot	311,777	\$ 29,930,627
Tennessee	2,387,602	\$ 229,209,755
Texas	8,081,506	\$ 775,824,613
Utah	811,673	\$ 77,920,646
Vermont	250,974	\$ 24,093,550
Virginia	2,910,673	\$ 279,424,592
Washington	2,472,712	\$ 237,380,381
West Virginia	737,758	\$ 70,824,783
Wisconsin	2,236,182	\$ 214,673,494

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Wyoming	205,740	\$	19,751,072	
Nationwide	111,562,588	\$	10,710,008,435	
<i>*Data Resource: U.S. Census Bureau 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates</i>				
<i>**Search for your state's information on fact sheet page of www.census.gov</i>				
<i>***Formula for table: Household population divided by average household size gives total households in State.</i>				
<i>Total households in State multiplied by 12 (\$12 a week) and then multiplied by 8 (8 weeks)</i>				
<i>for the total revenue directed back to the farming community</i>				
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