

2024 Local Product Catalog



Shop *Seat Eat Enjoy*

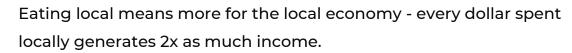
What is Local? "Locally grown" refers to food and other agricultural products that are grown or produced, processed and then sold within a certain area. While there are many different definitions, in most instances produce can be classified as "local" when it comes from 150-300 miles away.





FF You can't buy happiness, but you CAN buy local, and that's kind of the same thing.
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REASONS TO EAT LOCAL





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Local produce is fresher and tastes better - your produce is often picked within 24 to 48 hours of receipt.

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Locally grown produce has longer time to ripen, as it's handled less.



Eating local is better for air quality and pollution - there is less of a carbon footprint and supports responsible land development.



Buying local keeps us in touch with the seasons - we eat produce that is at it's peak taste, at the most abundance, and the least expensive.



There is a story behind local - whether it's a farmer who brings apples to the market, or a baker who makes the bread, knowing who and what is behind the finished product is a powerful part to every meal.



Eating local protects from bioterrorism - food with less distance to travel is less susceptible to harmful contamination.

Local food translates into more variety.



OHIO LOCAL AVAILABILITY

PRODUCE	MAR	APR MAY	JUNE JUI	Y AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	STORAGE 1
Apples								Cold ²
Asparagus								Cold
Beans, Horticultural								Cold
Beans, Lima								Cold
Beans, Pole								Cold
Beans, Snap								Cold
Beets								Cold
Blackberries								Cold
Blueberries								Cold
Broccoli								Cold
Cabbage Cantaloupe								Cold
Carrots								Cold
Cauliflower								Cold
Cherries, Sweet								Cold
Cherries, Sour/Pie								Cold
Cilantro								Cold
Collards								Cold
Concord Grapes								Cold
Cucumbers								Cold
Currants								Cold
Dill, Dry								Cold
Dill, Seed								Cold
Eggplant								Cold
Elderberries								Cold
Endive & Escarole								Cold
Gooseberries								Cold
Grapes, Table								Cold
Kale								Cold
Leeks								Cold
Leafy Lettuce								Cold
Mushrooms, Wild								Cold
Mustard Greens								Cold
Nectarines								Warm
Okra								Cool
Onions, Dry								Cool ³ Cold
Onions, Green								Cold
Parsley, Herbs Parsnips								Cold
Paw Paws								Cold
Peaches								Hard–Warm, Ripe–Cold
Pears				_				Hard-Warm, Ripe-Cold
Peas, Green						_		Cold
Peppers, Bell								Cool
Peppers, Hot								Cool
Peppers, Sweet/Cubanel								Cool
Potatoes ⁴								Cool ³
Pumpkins								Warm
Radishes								Cold
Raspberries, Black								Cold
Raspberries, Purple								Cold
Raspberries, Summer, Red								Cold
Raspberries, Fall, Ever-Bearing, Red/Yell	ow							Cold
Rhubarb								Cold
Spinach								Cold
Squash, Summer/Zucchini								Cold
Squash, Winter								Warm
Strawberries								Cold
Strawberries (Everbearing)								Cold
Sweet Corn								Cold
Swiss Chard								Cold
Tomatoes								Mature Green-Warm, Ripe-Cool
Turnip Greens								Cold
Turnips, Fall								Cold
Watermelon								Cool
GREENHOUSE/HYDROPONIC								C 1
Cucumbers, Long, Seedless								Cool
Herbs Lettuce								Cool
Lettuce Mushrooms				AR ROUND				Cool
Peppers			YE	AR ROUND				Cool Cool
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Tomatoes								Mature Green-Warm, Ripe-Cool



FARM NAME	CITY, STATE	MILES FROM HEADQUARTERS
BAUMAN ORCHARDS	RITTMAN, OH	43.2 MILES
BONNER FARMS BEEF	GARRETTSVILLE, OH	13 MILES
CLEVELAND BEAN SPROUT	CLEVELAND, OH	39.2 MILES
CLEVELAND TOFU	CLEVELAND, OH	28.8 MILES
FREE! LEAFY GREENS	HUDSON, OH	14 MILES
FRUIT GROWERS MARKET	NEWCOMERSTOWN, OF	I 72.6 MILES
GARLIC EXPRESSIONS	PERRYSBURG, OH	140 MILES
GREAT LAKES GROWERS	MIDDLEFIELD, OH	23.3 MILES
HOLTHOUSE FARMS	WILLARD, OH	89.6 MILES
MACKENZIE CREAMERY	HIRAM, OH	9.4 MILES
MCMASTER FARMS	COLUMBIANA, OH	45.1 MILES
MIDDLEFIELD CHEESE	MIDDLEFIELD, OH	24.1 MILES
MONROE'S ORCHARD	HIRAM, OH	10.2 MILES
POLTER'S BERRY	FREMONT, OH	108 MILES
PURE INTENTIONS	AKRON, OH	24 MILES
RASSIE FARMS	NORTH EAST, PA	122 MILES
ORIGINAL AMISH BAKERY	MILLERSBURG, OH	65 MILES
STEIN'S HONEY	COLLINS, OH	83 MILES
VIGEO GARDENS	AKRON, OH	22.2 MILES
DOUG WALCHER FARMS	NORTH FAIRFIELD, OH	82.3 MILES
WIERS FARM	WILLARD, OH	107 MILES
KW ZELLERS FARM	HARTVILLE, OH	17.2 MILES

FOOD SAFETY FROM FARM TO FORK

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We're big supporters of the local movement, and would love to source from as many local farms and suppliers as we can, *as long as* they uphold the USDA guidelines for food safety and quality. All approved local suppliers comply with our food safety standards to ensure we keep our customers safe, as well as satisfied.

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> > Diamond Lake

LOCAL FARMS AND PROVIDERS

Bauman Orchards **Q** Rittman, Ohio

Local items: apples (sept - may), apple cider (sept - may), pears (september - january), peaches (july - sept), corn (july - august)

Bauman Orchards has been a grower and seller of fine fresh produce such as apples, peaches, plums and sweet corn, since our start in 1929 in Rittman, OH. Over the years we have grown from 18 acres to our current size of over 260 acres. We now have a total of 70,000 apple trees and 12,000 peach trees, featuring 25 varieties of apples and 15 varieties of peaches. The orchard's cider presses are busy each year from September through May making fresh cider that we sell in our Farm Market in addition to pies, cookies, gift baskets and, of course, our variety of produce.

Cleveland Bean Sprout *Q* Cleveland, Ohio

Local items: alfalfa sprouts, bean sprouts (year - round)

Cleveland Bean Sprout is located in Cleveland, Ohio and primarily operates in the Alfalfa Farm business / industry within agricultural production. Cleveland Bean Sprout has been in business for approximately 28 years, and employs a handful of people at one single location. Their products include primarily sprouts, of both the alfalfa and bean variety.

Cleveland Tofu (International Specialty)

Local items: tofu (year - round)

Locally owned and operated, artisan crafted, Cleveland Tofu has been in business since 1976. The quality and consistency of our tofu has remained the same throughout time as is our dedication to bringing you the finest, local, hand-made tofu you can find. Our soybeans come from Ohio. The seeds are locally grown and processed in Ohio. All seed is Non-GMO and Kosher certified. Our growers meet the most rigorous industry standards for quality and purity and are always rated within the top three suppliers in the world.

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🖓 Cleveland, Ohio

Free! Leafy Greens Q Hudson, OH

Local items: spring mixes and baby leaf blends (year - round)

At Free Leafy Greens, less is more. Cultivated locally in our modern greenhouses, our sustainable growing process and safer farming practices are designed to protect our lettuce supply and our customers. Through our highly controlled environment, we're able to eliminate the outside factors and human elements that can severely compromise the safety of our nation's produce. We use only what we need, harnessing pure natural elements - sun, water and clean air - to create the best possible ecosystem for our lettuce to thrive.

Fruit Growers Marketing Association **Q** Newcomerstown, Ohio

Local items: strawberries (may - june), apples and pumpkins (fall)

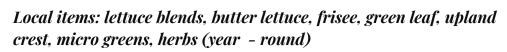
In January 2007, the memberships of the Ohio Fruit Growers Society, Ohio Vegetable and Potato Growers Association, and Direct Agricultural Marketers Association merged to form Ohio Produce Growers & Marketers Association, a co-op of local growers and farmers giving access to more local products for suppliers.

Garlic Expressions **Q** Perrysburg, Ohio

Local items: vinaigrette dressing (year-round)

Handcrafted in the kitchen of a legendary supper club, Garlic Expressions is a one-of-a-kind dressing that adds a flavorful punch to salads, meats, vegetables, breads, pastas, and more. Now, almost 30 years later, we proudly produce Garlic Expressions at our own facility in Perrysburg, Ohio. **manufactured in Ohio

Great Lakes Growers \heartsuit Middlefield, Ohio



Great Lakes Growers is the Midwest's premier hydroponic grower of fresh, delicious, clean and nutrition-packed lettuces and herbs. We grow everything in our state-of-the art greenhouse using water, not soil. Because our plants get the optimal amount of water and nutrients, they grow with more consistency and better quality while preserving resources in a shorter amount of time.

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Hands-Free Cultivation





Holthouse Farms 💡 Willard, Ohio

Local items: squash (oct - nov), collard greens (june - sept), cabbage (june - sept), kale (june - sept), beets (june - sept), peppers (oct - nov), strawberries (may), parsley (june - oct), corn (july - sept), cucumbers (may - oct), green beans (july - sept), pumpkins (sept-oct)

Holthouse Farms is a family owned vegetable farm, located in north central Ohio, that has been producing high quality produce for over 100 years. In 1870 Jan Holthuis was born in the Netherlands; 19 years later he would leave his homeland and set up residence in Kalamazoo, Michigan, and eventually settle in a tiny village about 50 miles south of Sandusky, Ohio, called Celeryville. He and his two sons, Rudy and Jacob, established what would become Holthouse Farms in 1903.

Mackenzie Creamery **Q** Hiram, Ohio

Local items: plain and flavored goat cheese chevre (year - round)

Mackenzie Creamery has made its home on a beautiful, 30-acre farm in Hiram, OH. Today, we continue to grow our business with the same principles that helped build our solid foundation in 2007. This allows us to both deliver consistently fresh high-quality goat cheese, and do so in a responsible and sustainable fashion. Mackenzie Creamery fresh goat cheese comes in a variety of flavors, and is perfect for incorporating into recipes, serving at your next party, or snacking on when you're in the mood for a decadent treat.

McMaster Farms 🛛 🖓 Columbiana, Ohio

Local items: corn (july - august)

McMaster Farms, LLC is a fourth-generation farm. We grow sweet corn and pumpkins and other fall items. We also sell the freshest local produce when it comes in season, such as tomatoes, peaches, green beans, watermelons, cantaloupes, onions and more. We are a large wholesale and retail farm. Our wholesale operation ships to locations as far away as South Carolina. The retail store located at the farm sells any quantity of Ohio produce you may require, with sweet corn being our specialty in the summer months. You can pick up the freshest green beans, tomatoes, onions, watermelon, cantaloupes, peaches and more!

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HOLTHOUSE FARMS

-Of Ohio Inc.

Local items: baby swiss, colby jack, white curds, gouda, habanero jack, mild cheddar, monterey jack, pepper jack, sharp cheddar, white cheddar, shredded mozzarella, smoked cheddar, smoked gouda (year -round)

Middlefield Original Cheese Co-Op is an Amish farmer owned co-op that is located in Middlefield, OH. The co-op was established in 1956 and consists of small family farms located in Northeast Ohio and Western Pennsylvania. These are true small family farms, with the average herd size of 12-20 cows per farm. No artificial hormones are used on these farms. The cows are hand milked, and the fresh milk is delivered to the cheese house in traditional milk cans. The all natural cheese is produced in open vats utilizing the skills of the cheese maker.

Monroe's Orchard Θ Hiram, Ohio

Local items: maple syrup, apples (year - round)

Our orchard has approximately 25 varieties of apples, six varieties of peaches, also pears, strawberries, cherries and a variety of fall crops. We still produce maple syrup every spring. So you may see steam rising from the sugarhouse in February or March. Our Apple Harvest Festivals are held the last Saturday of September and the first two Saturdays of October every year. The quality of our produce has always been very important to our family. We hope you enjoy your visit to our farm, Monroe's Orchard & Farm Market, LLC.

Polter's Berry Farm Service Fremont, Ohio

Local items: strawberries (may - june)

After graduation from The Ohio State University Dan and Carol Polter started farming with just 40 acres - the farm has grown steadily over the years to its current acreage of around 2000. Sons Tony and Steve have both returned to the farm after graduation from The Ohio State University and now handle farm operations and sales. Strawberries have been grown at Polter's Berry Farm since 1975. We are constantly improving our growing practices and implementing the latest technology and varieties to produce the highest quality fruit you will ever eat.

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Monroe's Orchard







Pure Intentions Q Akron, Ohio

Local items: wheatgrass (year - round)

Kathy Evans began as an organic herb farmer. During the time that the Akron area was experiencing a renewed interest in eating locally grown, seasonal organic herbs and vegetables. In addition to growing herbs and vegetables, she had been growing wheatgrass for herself, friends and family while educating them about the benefits of drinking wheatgrass juice. Growing wheatgrass soon became year round full time work for her, and after growing it in her basement they moved to warehouse space in the valley. After 8 years at this location, they designed from scratch a state of the art, climate controlled grow room to accommodate their future growth.

Rassie Farms 🔍 North East, Pennsylvania

Local items: blueberries (july)

Since 1978, Rassie Farms has owned and operated their small family farm. They have diversified from concord grapes to include blueberries as well as wine grapes. Additionally, they have a variety of fruits, vegetables and honey at their farm.

Original Amish Bakery Q Millersburg, Ohio

Local items: granola - maple, natural, grand-ola varieties (year - round)

Located in the heart of Ohio's Amish country, Schlabach Amish Bakery Company has been producing all natural cereals, granolas, and granola bars for over thirty years. Their bakery was originally created to service the local Amish community with products that the Amish considered staples in their diet. Using the finest ingredients they can find, Schlabach products are truly handmade, baked in small batches and packaged by hand. Through word of mouth advertising, Schlabach Amish Bakery developed a reputation for wholesome goodness and outstanding flavor produced naturally.





Stein's Honey Collins, Ohio Local items: honey. honeycomb (year - round)

Stein Honey has been a family tradition since 1998. Our humble beginnings started with just two beehives purchased to pollinate apple trees in the yard. Twenty one years later, we own more than 900 hives and produce thousands of pounds of honey annually. We also use our bees to produce comb honey and cream honey while the byproduct of beeswax is used for candles. We ensure nothing goes to waste. Our products are all natural, and made with pride. We do our own beekeeping and production in-house. We tend to our bees and provide them the utmost care.

Vigeo Gardens QAkron, Ohio

Local items: microgreens, herbs (year - round)

We offer the freshest, healthiest microgreens, leafy greens, and herbs available in the region. The intense flavors of our finely curated produce tantalizes taste buds. Our greens capture the essence of ethical eating. whether you are an internationally recognized chef or someone just looking to put a healthy dish on the table, Vigeo Gardens has the produce to complete your balanced meal.

Doug Walcher Farms Q North Fairfield, Ohio

Local items: cucumbers, eggplant, peppers, squash (july - sept)

Since 1986, Doug Walcher Farms has specialized in bell peppers, cucumbers, summer squash, eggplant, winter squashes and fall ornamentals. The company grows, packs and ships vegetables from their own fields as well as from many other local contracted growers totaling over 1,500 acres from six states. The diversity of growing areas insures a consistent supply for their customers. In 2012, Doug Walcher Farms improved upon their already robust food safety program and became Primus GFS certified in the packing plant. Doug Walcher Farms prides themselves on quality, reliability and continuous improvement to insure their customers receive the safest, local food.







Wiers Farm 💡 Willard, Ohio

Local items: romaine, peppers, tomatoes, squash, cucumbers, green beans, radish, leeks, endive (july - sept)

In 1896, our founder, Henry Wiers purchased 5 acres in the muck lands near Willard, Ohio. From humble beginnings, Wiers Farm has grown to become an industry leader in quality, service, reliability, and food safety. Through five generations we've converted family values and hard work into a company that our employees are proud of and our customers trust. Our produce is known by our family name and we'll do everything we can to guarantee its quality and your satisfaction.

KW Zellers Farm Q Hartville, Ohio

Local items: escarole, endive, romaine, cilantro, radishes, lettuce (july - sept)

The Zellers family grows produce and ships fresh vegetables, such as escarole, endive, romaine, cilantro, baby dill, parsley, beets, radishes and many other green leaf lettuces. All are processed in the washhouse, which is sanitarily maintained. Zellers Farm is located in Hartville, Ohio and was founded in 1926. They have more than 1,200 acres, with lettuce growing on 700 acres, radishes on 300, and cilantro on over 100.

Bonner Farms

💡 Garrettsville, Ohio

Local items: ground beef chubs ground beef burger patties (year-round)

Located in Garrettsville, OH, Bonner Farms is a 100% vertically integrated farm. We grow all of the grass and grain fed to our cattle on our 3,000 acres of farm land. Using our own equipment, we plant and harvest all of the crops ourselves to ensure all of our cattle have the exact nutrition they need to grow healthy and strong naturally. The cattle we raise for Bonner Farms Beef (about 1,500 annually) come from our family farm in Mantua, Ohio. All of our cattle are raised in a humane and sustainable manner which contributes to the quality of the beef.

+ ALWAYS SEARCHING!











