Price of Fruits

Organic vs. Conventional 2010–2013 USDA Economic Research Service



The term "organic" refers to the way agricultural products are grown and processed. While the regulations vary from country to country, in the U.S., organic crops must be grown without the use of synthetic pesticides, bioengineered genes (GMOs), petroleum-based fertilizers, and sewage sludge-based fertilizers.



Bananas Bananas	40 lb cartons 40 lb cartons	Org Conv Org	San Fran San Fran	15.91 26.12	15.89 29.75	16.24 28.65	16.78 27.43	16.66 26.35		15.93 27.64	16.06 27.00	16.30 26.68	16.66 27.05	16.59 27.13	16.71 27.26	16 27
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Bananas		40 lb cartons						Org			Atlanta				2	1.03
Bananas		40 lb cartons						Conv			San Fran				1	6.58
Bananas		40 lb cartons						Org			San Fran				2	4.86
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How your food is grown or raised can have a major impact on your mental and emotional health as well as the environment. Organic foods often have more beneficial nutrients, such as antioxidants, than their conventionally-grown counterparts and people with allergies to foods, chemicals, or preservatives often find their symptoms lessen or go away when they eat only organic foods.

