

COMMON QUESTIONS ABOUT ORGANIC:

Price: Why do organic products sometimes cost more?

The principal reason is that the price for organic food more closely reflects the true costs of its production, while the price for conventional products does not. Learn more:

- "Buying Organic: considering the real costs," available at www.ota.com/pics/documents/Issue16.pdf.
- "The Ecology of Pizza," by Dr. Sandra Steingraber, posted on OTA's consumer web site, The O'Mama Report: www.TheOrganicReport.org, click on the Organic for Kids logo.

Availability: Where can I find sources of organic products and services?

- The Organic Pages Online, OTA's online directory, provides a way to search for farmers, manufacturers, restaurants, specific products, brand-name products, farm supplies, raw ingredients, mail order sources, and more. Go to The Organic Pages Online at www.TheOrganicPages.com.

For Fact Sheets on a range of topics, check out www.ota.com/organic.html.

- Definition of Organic
- Benefits of Organic
- Market Trends
- Questions and Answers About Organic
- Environment
- Food Safety
- GMOs (genetically engineered organisms)
- U.S. Organic Standards.

Also, visit OTA's Newsroom at www.ota.com/news.html for

- Press Releases
- *What's News in Organic* newsletter

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