

EPA Excess Food Opportunities Map

Using the Data

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EFOM Applications



Data Limitations



Excess Food Estimates



Development of Workshop Model



Workshop Model

- Partner with local organizations working on various food waste issues
- Identify key individuals to participate in workshop (subject matter experts)
- Present Excess food estimates by sector
- Break-out sessions to analyze the data
- Workshop Synopsis

Break-Out Sessions

- Groups to focus on:
 - Processing, Manufacturing and Farming
 - Wholesale/Retail
 - Consumers (residential, restaurants and institutions)
- Brainstorm ideas and develop strategies to implement food waste diversion activities



Surplus Food Estimates: Easton, PA			
Type of Data		Data Sources:	
Wholesale/Retail	 Supermarkets and Grocery Stores: Includes Supermarkets, grocery stores and distributors, and some convenience stores 53 stores 1,844 tons of surplus food per year 	EPA's Excess Food Opportunities Map and R3 Library Research	
	 Wholesale Centers: Food and beverage wholesale markets, distributors and specialty stores 61 stores 191 tons of surplus food per year 		
	 Big Box Retail: Warehouse clubs and supercenters (Sam's Club, etc.) Department stores that sell food (Target, Walmart, etc.) 3 stores 425 tons of surplus food per year 		

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Excess Food Waste Sources

Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania Tons of Excess Food Generated by Sector



Tons of wasted food per year

Granular Data





GROCERY STORES (EASTON)					
					Surplus Food
			City		Estimate
Name	NAICS Code Description	Street Address	Name	ZIP CODE	(Ton/Year)
	Supermarkets and				
Store #1	Other Grocery Stores	Nazareth Highway	Easton	18045	450
	Supermarkets and				
Store #2	Other Grocery Stores	Freemansburg Ave	Easton	18045	275
31016 #2		Treemansburg Ave	Laston	18045	275
	Supermarkets and				
Store #3	Other Grocery Stores	25th Street	Easton	18045	173
	Supermarkets and				
Store #4	Other Grocery Stores	Nazareth Pike	Nazareth	18064	171
	Supermarkets and				
Store #5		William Donn Llund	Easton	18045	150
51016 #5	Other Grocery Stores	William Penn Hwy	Easton	18045	150
	Supermarkets and				
Store #6	Other Grocery Stores	Sullivan Trail	Easton	18040	131

Visual Analysis



Other Potential Uses



RESOURCES

- Public map & resources
 - Technical methodology
 - FAQs
 - User Guide
 - Data available for download
- For questions and feedback, email SMMFood@epa.gov



https://www.epa.gov/sustainable-management-food/excess-food-opportunities-map