

Learn how researchers are improving production of and the quality of common ingredients in salsa.

PEPPERS

- Ongoing research is finding ways to reduce bacterial diseases in peppers.

TOMATOES

- An affordable automated system identifies mature tomatoes, ensuring better flavor and more nutrients.

ONIONS

- New onion varieties and irrigation and fertilization practices have resulted in fewer pesticide applications, reducing costs and environmental concerns.

MANGOES, PEACHES & PINEAPPLES

- Research has helped grow peach trees in poor soils, prevent internal discoloration in mangoes, and control pineapple size, acidity, and color.

