

Expanding Job Entry Pathways in Agri-food





What's **Agri Food**?

Agri-food refers to all of the food supply chain including agriculture, production, manufacturing, processing and transportation.

The best way to conceptualize the Agri-food sector is to think around the idea of “Farm to Fork”





Agri Food Breakdown

The classic view of agricultural production and operations of the sector.

- farms
- greenhouses
- fisheries

Agri-food can be broken down into 6 key subsectors:

- **Horticulture** - field fruits and vegetables, tree fruits and vines, greenhouse vegetables, nurseries, floriculture, and ornamentals.
- **Field Crops** - hay, seed, cereals, pulses, grains and oilseed, forages, and fiber.
- **Supply Managed** - cattle dairy, fisheries and poultry and/or eggs.
- **Red Meat** - cattle-beef, swine, sheep, goats, or lambs.
- **Food Processing and manufacturing** - milling of wheat, pasteurization of milk and the sorting and refrigeration of meat, canning and drying
- **Sales and Service** - restaurants, grocery stores, farmer's market, wholesale



The Agri-food accounts for more than \$65B of Ontario's GDP.





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