

Agriculture at a Glance

AS OF 2024

Local Snapshot

Northumberland County
CENSUS DIVISION



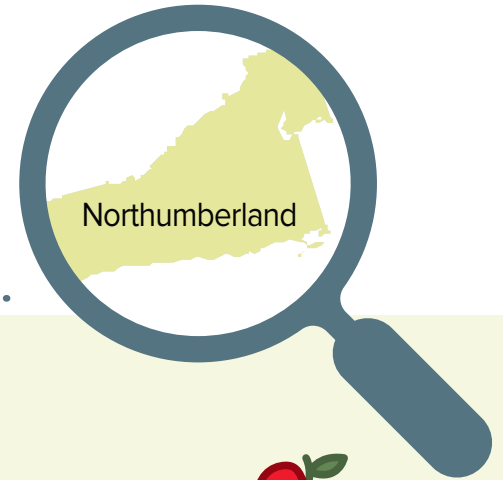
840
farms



203,446
acres of farmland



242 acres
is the average sized farm



Local Farm Sales

21%
sell farm
products directly
to the
consumer:



6
farms operate a CSA
(Community Supported Agriculture)



26 farms sell
at farmers' markets



114 farms sell directly from their
farm, at stands, or pick-your-own

Economic Contributions in 2023

Local Impact



The local agri-food sector
employed **4,490** people
through **1,128** local agri-food
business establishments

Farm Cash Receipts



\$189 million
in Farm Cash
Receipts



- Grains & Oilseeds
- Dairy
- Poultry & Eggs

Across the Province

Farm cash receipts
generated by local farms
supported **\$366 million**
in GDP and **5,935**
employees in the agri-food
sector from farm to fork
across Ontario

Farm Facts



17.3%
generate renewable
energy, including
solar, bioenergy and
wind power



31.0%
of farm
operators
are female



71.4%
are small farms
(less than \$100,000
in revenue)



Source: Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Agribusiness (2024) County Profiles.