

Agriculture at a Glance

AS OF 2021

Local Snapshot

Parry Sound
CENSUS DIVISION



220
farms



54,197
acres of farmland



246 acres
is the average sized farm



Parry Sound

Local Farm Sales



7
farms operate a CSA
(Community Supported Agriculture)



12 farms sell
at farmers' markets



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

Economic Contributions in 2021

Local Impact



The local agri-food sector
employed **1,510** people
through **278** local agri-food
business establishments

Farm Cash Receipts



\$5 million
in Farm Cash
Receipts



- Potatoes
- Floriculture & Sod
- Cattle

Across the Province

Farm cash receipts
generated by local farms
supported **\$12 million**
in GDP and **173**
employees in the agri-food
sector from farm to fork
across Ontario

Farm Facts



21.8%
generate renewable
energy, including
solar, bioenergy and
wind power



35.4%
of farm
operators
are female



92.7%
are small farms
(less than \$100,000
in revenue)



East Nipissing/Parry Sound



Federation of Agriculture

Source: Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (2021) County Profiles.