

# Cochrane District at a Glance

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| <b>Farms, 2011 Census (number)</b>                  |          |            |                     |
| Total .....   | 177      | 51,950     | 0.34                |
| Reporting under 53 hectares .....                   | 40       | 27,201     | 0.15                |
| Reporting 53 to 161 hectares .....                  | 76       | 16,230     | 0.47                |
| Reporting 162 hectares and over .....               | 61       | 8,519      | 0.72                |
| <b>Land Use, 2011 Census (hectares)</b>             |          |            |                     |
| Land in crops.....                                  | 9,841    | 3,613,821  | 0.27                |
| Summerfallow land.....                              | 43       | 9,490      | 0.45                |
| Tame or seeded pasture.....                         | 2,586    | 262,543    | 0.98                |
| Natural land for pasture.....                       | 5,917    | 398,538    | 1.48                |
| Christmas trees, woodland & wetland.....            | 7,768    | 652,533    | 1.19                |
| All other land.....                                 | 1,667    | 189,728    | 0.88                |
| Total area of farms.....                            | 27,821   | 5,126,653  | 0.54                |
| <b>Greenhouse Area, 2011 Census (square metres)</b> |          |            |                     |
| Total area under glass or plastic.....              | 63,610   | 12,549,007 | 0.51                |
| <b>Hired Farm Labour, 2011 Census (weeks)</b>       |          |            |                     |
| Year round .....                                    | 1,865    | 1,405,252  | 0.13                |
| Seasonal .....                                      | 2,477    | 812,057    | 0.31                |
| Total .....   | 4,342    | 2,217,309  | 0.20                |

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| <b>Farm Capital Value, 2011 Census (farms reporting)</b> |          |          |                     |
| Under \$200,000.....                                     | 50       | 2,562    | 1.95                |
| \$200,000 to \$499,999.....                              | 82       | 12,994   | 0.63                |
| \$500,000 to \$999,999.....                              | 29       | 15,276   | 0.19                |
| \$1,000,000 and over.....                                | 16       | 21,118   | 0.08                |

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| <b>Total Gross Farm Receipts, 2011 Census (farms reporting)</b> |          |          |                     |
| Under \$10,000.....   | 76       | 12,263   | 0.62                |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999.....                                       | 52       | 9,098    | 0.57                |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999.....                                       | 22       | 6,720    | 0.33                |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999.....                                       | 9        | 6,189    | 0.15                |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999.....                                     | 7        | 6,985    | 0.10                |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999.....                                     | 7        | 5,086    | 0.14                |
| \$500,000 to \$999,999.....                                     | 2        | 3,248    | 0.06                |
| \$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999.....                                 | 1        | 1,558    | 0.06                |
| \$2,000,000 and over.....                                       | 1        | 803      | 0.12                |

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| <b>Farms by Industry Group, 2011 Census (number of farms)</b> |          |          |                     |
| Dairy cattle and milk production.....                         | 5        | 4,036    | 0.12                |
| Beef cattle ranching and farming.....                         | 27       | 7,105    | 0.38                |
| Hog and pig farming.....                                      | 0        | 1,235    | 0.00                |
| Sheep and goat farming.....                                   | 7        | 1,446    | 0.48                |
| Poultry and egg production.....                               | 2        | 1,619    | 0.12                |
| Other animal production.....                                  | 19       | 6,966    | 0.27                |
| Oilseed and grain farming.....                                | 4        | 15,818   | 0.03                |
| Vegetable and melon farming.....                              | 4        | 1,531    | 0.26                |
| Fruit and tree nut farming.....                               | 1        | 1,548    | 0.06                |
| Greenhouse, nursery and floriculture.....                     | 11       | 2,372    | 0.46                |
| Other crop farming.....                                       | 97       | 8,274    | 1.17                |

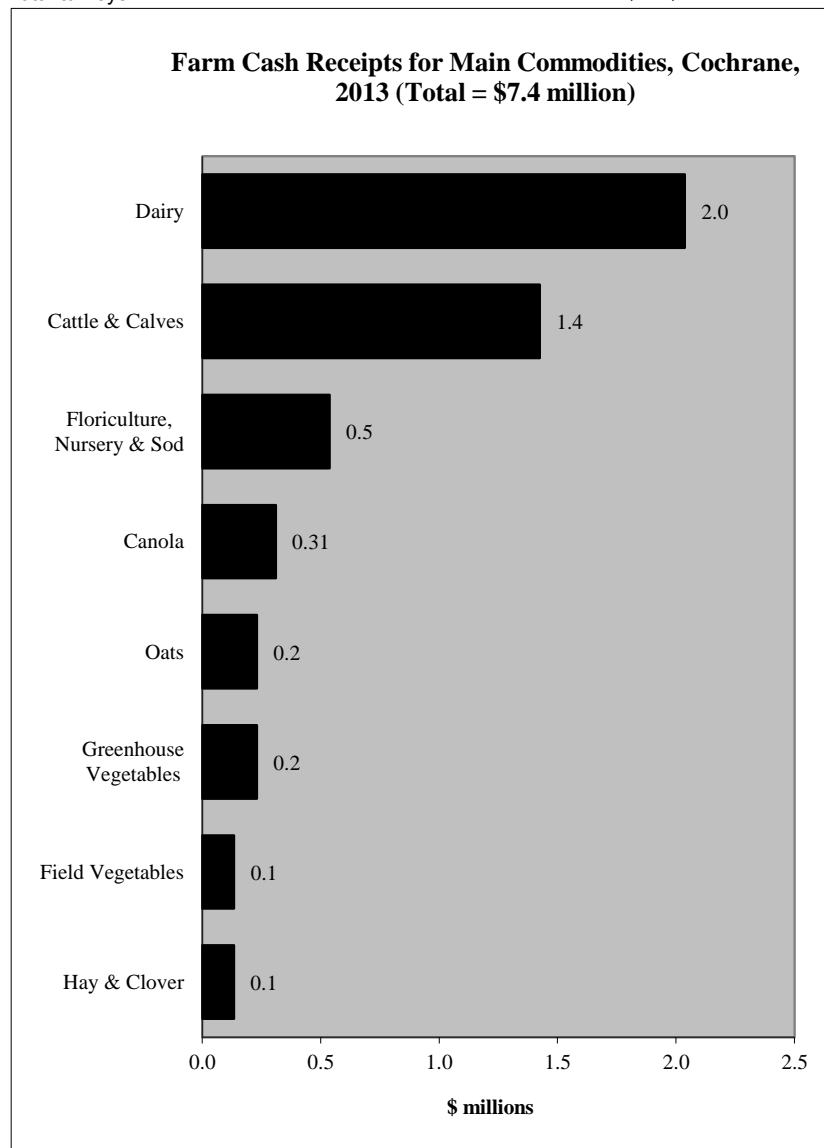
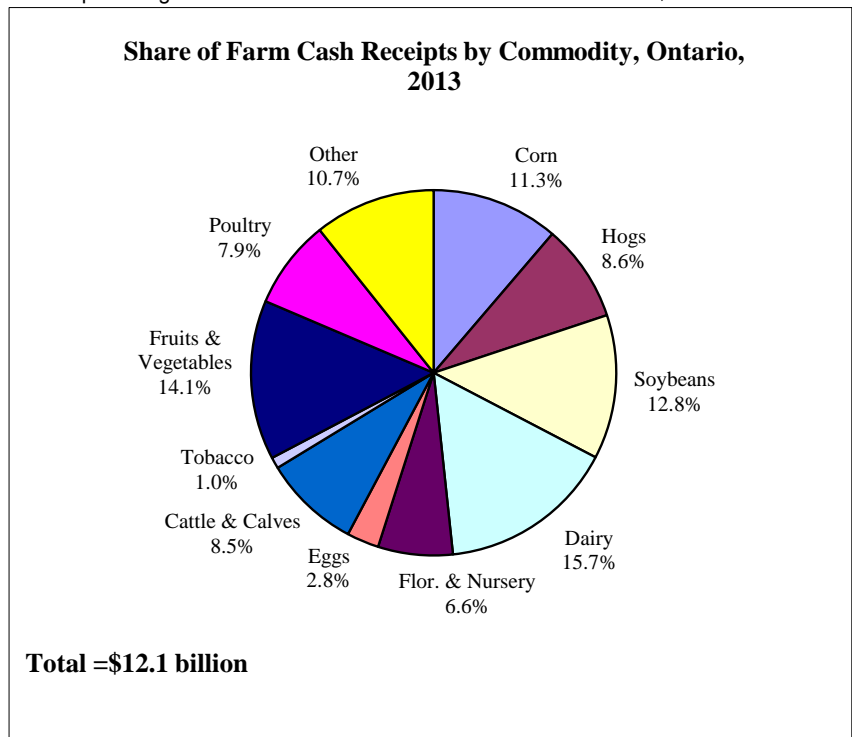
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| <b>Major Field Crops, 2011 Census (hectares)</b> |          |          |                     |
| Winter wheat .....                               | X        | 445,155  | -                   |
| Oats for grain .....                             | 361      | 28,749   | 1.26                |
| Barley for grain.....                            | 142      | 51,347   | 0.28                |
| Mixed grains .....                               | 166      | 42,962   | 0.39                |
| Corn for grain .....                             | 62       | 822,465  | 0.01                |
| Corn for silage .....                            | 0        | 109,953  | 0.00                |
| Hay .....  | 8,326    | 840,901  | 0.99                |
| Soybeans .....                                   | 134      | 997,497  | 0.01                |
| Dry white beans .....                            | 0        | 16,283   | 0.00                |
| Other dry beans.....                             | 0        | 21,194   | 0.00                |
| Potatoes .....                                   | 13       | 15,129   | 0.09                |

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| <b>Major Fruit Crops, 2011 Census (hectares)</b> |          |          |                     |
| Apples .....                                     | X        | 6,406    | -                   |
| Peaches .....                                    | 0        | 2,612    | 0.00                |
| Sour Cherries.....                               | X        | 948      | -                   |
| Raspberries.....                                 | X        | 365      | -                   |
| Strawberries.....                                | 0        | 1,329    | 0.00                |
| Grapes .....                                     | 0        | 7,439    | 0.00                |
| Total fruit crops .....                          | 2        | 21,343   | 0.01                |

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| <b>Major Vegetable Crops, 2011 Census (hectares)</b> |          |          |                     |
| Sweet corn .....                                     | X        | 10,336   | -                   |
| Tomatoes .....                                       | 0        | 6,701    | 0.00                |
| Green peas .....                                     | 3        | 6,119    | 0.05                |
| Green or wax beans .....                             | 2        | 3,717    | 0.05                |
| Total vegetables .....                               | 13       | 52,445   | 0.02                |

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| <b>Livestock Inventories, 2011 Census (number)</b> |          |           |                     |
| Dairy cows .....                                   | X        | 318,158   | -                   |
| Beef cows .....                                    | X        | 282,062   | -                   |
| Steers .....                                       | 306      | 291,263   | 0.11                |
| Total cattle and calves .....                      | 5,004    | 1,741,381 | 0.29                |
| Total pigs .....                                   | 11       | 3,088,646 | -                   |
| Total sheep and lambs .....                        | 820      | 352,807   | 0.23                |

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| <b>Poultry Inventories, 2011 Census (number)</b> |          |            |                     |
| Total hens and chickens .....                    | 1,415    | 46,902,316 | -                   |
| Total turkeys .....                              | X        | 3,483,828  | -                   |



x Suppressed data

Sources: 2011 Census of Agriculture and Strategic Policy Branch, OMAFRA

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