

Glossary

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Word	Definition
agriculture	the practice of cultivating the land or raising livestock
aquaculture	the farming of marine plants and animals
by-product	something of value that is produced along with the main product
climate	a pattern of weather over a long period of time
commercial	grown or farmed to be sold for profit
cultivating	to prepare and work on the land in order to raise crops
drought	to be short of water for a long time
economy	the movement of money as goods and services are bought and sold
export	to send goods or animals to other countries for sale
farm	workplace consisting of farm buildings and cultivated land
farming	working the land as an occupation or way of life
fibre	a single piece of a given material, often twisted with other fibres to form thread.
free-range	chickens that are allowed to roam outside
horticulture	the growing of plants including fruit, vegetables and flowers
irrigation	supplying water from a body of water such as a river to farmland to grow crops
livestock	farm animals such as cattle and sheep
mixed farming	growing crops and feed and livestock all on the same farm
muster	gather together livestock in one place
paddock	a small enclosure or field used to keep livestock or to grow crops
pesticide	a chemical spray that kills insects
poultry	birds, such as chickens, geese or turkeys raised for meat or eggs
Primary Industries	industries that supply us with food, energy and the raw materials to manufacture other products
process	a series of actions, changes, or functions bringing about a result
regional	relating to or typical of a particular area of a country or the world
rural	found in or living in the country
sustainable	able to continue indefinitely
urban	relating to towns and cities, or happening there

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