

FOOD SYSTEM

The individual steps or activities that provides food to a community. This includes:

- * Supplier: Company that supplies farm inputs like seeds, fuel, compost, tools and machinery
- * Producer: Farm that produces food
- * Processor: Company that takes the raw product (food) and converts it into a food product
- * Distributor: Company who buys in large quantities from producers or processors and sells to retailers
- * Trucker: Company who transports the food to and from the producer, processor, distributor and retailer
- * Retailer: The business that sells the final food or food product to the consumer
- * Consumer: The person who buys or uses the food or food product