



NEWS RELEASE

United States Department of Agriculture
NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE
NORTHEASTERN REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE
4050 Crums Mill Rd, Suite 203, Harrisburg PA 17112



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
March 25, 2021

Contact: Angie Considine
(800) 498-1518
angie.considine@usda.gov

USDA to Conduct Maple Syrup Survey

HARRISBURG, PA – The U.S. Department of Agriculture’s National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) will conduct the 2021 Maple Syrup Survey for the Northeast Region. The survey will collect information from approximately 1,600 Northeastern producers.

“The Northeastern Region produced 3.94 million gallons of maple syrup in 2020. Vermont was the top Maple Syrup state with 51 percent of the United States’ maple syrup,” according to King Whetstone, director of the NASS Northeastern Regional Field Office. “Taps in the Northeastern Region totaled 12.2 million and accounted for 90 percent of the Nation’s maple taps,” added Whetstone.

The 2021 survey will ask about the 2021 and 2020 taps and production as well as price information on the syrup produced in 2020. To ensure all survey participants have an opportunity to respond, NASS interviewers may contact producers who do not respond by mail or online to conduct telephone interviews.

NASS safeguards the privacy of all respondents. The information you provide will be used for statistical purposes only. In accordance with federal law, your responses will be kept confidential and will not be disclosed in identifiable form.

Survey results will be published in the *Crop Production* report to be released on June 10, 2021. These and all NASS reports are available online at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications. For more information, call the NASS Northeastern Regional Field Office at (800) 498-1518.

###

NASS is the federal statistical agency responsible for producing official data about U.S. agriculture and is committed to providing timely, accurate and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.

USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer and lender. To file a complaint of discrimination, write to USDA, Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Stop 9410, Washington, DC 20250-9410, or call toll-free at (866) 632-9992 (English) or (800) 877-8339 (TDD) or (866) 377-8642 (English Federal-relay) or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish Federal-relay).