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New York floriculture sales on the rise

ALBANY, NY --- The 2022 value of floriculture sales in New York is up 35% from the 2021 valuation according to Charles Walker, state statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), New York Field Office. The total crop for all growers with \$10,000 or more in sales is estimated at \$244 million for 2022, compared with \$181 million for 2021.

Number of Producers: The number of producers for 2022, at 596, is down slightly from the 2021 count of 600.

Area Used for Production: Total covered area for floriculture crop production was 25.1 million square feet in 2022, up 29% from the 2021 area of 19.5 million square feet.

The 2022 Commercial Floriculture Survey data will be available only in NASS's Quick Stats database at https://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide to NASS Surveys/Floriculture/index.php

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