Ornamental Horticulture: Nursery, Landscape, Greenhouse, Floriculture, and Turfgrass Sod production accounted for 51% (or $4.7 Billion) of total agriculture production (measured by gross sales) in Connecticut in 2017.

**Value of Agriculture Production in Connecticut by Commodity Groups**

- **Aquaculture**: 4%
- **Cattle & Other Livestock**: 3%
- **Fruits**: 4%
- **Tobacco**: 5%
- **Grains, Hay & Other Crops**: 5%
- **Poultry & Eggs**: 7%
- **Vegetables**: 7%
- **Dairy**: 14%
- **Ornamental Horticulture: Nursery, Landscape, Greenhouse, Floriculture, & Turfgrass Sod**: 51%

**Green Industry Annual Economic Impact on CT**: $4.7 Billion

**Green Industry Jobs Impact on CT**: 43,000

**Annual State/Local Taxes Paid by Green Industry**: $263 Million

Who Makes up the Green Industry?

**Nursery & Retail**
- Nursery Producers
- Retail Lawn & Garden Centers
- Landscape Suppliers
- Plant Brokers
- Greenhouse Growers (Annuals, Tropicals, & Perennials)

**Landscape**
- Landscape Construction & Lawn Maintenance Professionals
- Landscape Architects & Designers
- Masonry Contractors
- Irrigation Specialists

**Other**
- Arborists
- Turfgrass Sod Producers
- Lawn & Garden Equipment Manufacturers & Suppliers
- Cut Flower Growers
- Florists & Suppliers
- Cut Christmas Tree Growers

**Growing Job Potential in a Growing Industry**
Employment Growth by Industry Sector in CT:
- 12% Nursery Stock, Perennial & Annual Growers and Florist Supply Wholesalers
- 5% Landscape Service
- 3% Nursery, Turfgrass Sod Production, and Floriculture

Ask Us About the Green Industry’s Ample Job Opportunities!