

T is for tulips. Cut flowers, like tulips, are just one type of nursery crop grown in the U.S. Tulips come in an incredible variety of colors, heights, and flower shapes. There are more than 3,000 different kinds of cultivated tulips. Washington State is the largest producer of tulip bulbs, but there are over 7,000 nursery operations in 17 states that produce around \$4 billion in sales each year of shrubs, plants, shade and flowering trees, fruit and nut plants, and ornamental grasses. California, Florida and Oregon are the top nursery crop producers.

