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Summary

Broiler-type and Egg-type Hatch Up, Turkey Hatch Down

Broiler-type chicks hatched during 2018 totaled 9.71 billion, up 1 percent from 2017.

Placements of broiler chicks for meat production totaled 9.46 billion during the 52 week period ending December 30, 2018, up 1 percent from the 52 week period ending December 31, 2017.

Leading United States breeders had intended placements of 94.9 million broiler-type pullet chicks for future domestic hatchery supply flocks during 2018, up 2 percent from 2017.

Leading United States breeders had intended placements of 2.52 million egg-type pullet chicks for future domestic hatchery supply flocks during 2018, down 12 percent from 2017.

Egg-type chicks hatched during 2018 totaled 634 million, up 9 percent from 2017.

Turkey poults hatched during 2018 were down 1 percent from 2017, with 290 million hatched. Net poult placements totaled 267 million for 2018, down 1 percent from 2017.

The capacity of chicken hatcheries on January 1, 2019, was 970 million eggs, up 2 percent from January 1, 2018.

The capacity of turkey hatcheries was 41.0 million eggs on January 1, 2019, down slightly from January 1, 2018.

Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched by Month – 19 Selected States and United States: 2016

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama	109,493	101,353	107,318	102,368	106,244	102,396	106,991
Arkansas	81,212	75,119	82,604	80,232	83,489	81,900	82,512
Delaware	18,209	16,387	17,658	17,491	18,366	17,155	17,808
Florida	4,677	4,157	4,456	4,365	4,521	4,264	4,343
Georgia	124,900	118,213	128,472	124,483	127,220	124,901	128,469
Kentucky	28,175	26,992	28,766	27,211	28,829	27,743	28,409
Louisiana	12,875	12,345	13,454	12,430	13,511	13,071	13,289
Maryland	29,832	27,027	28,280	27,606	30,068	28,915	29,785
Mississippi	67,389	63,780	67,140	65,121	68,493	67,040	68,592
Missouri	30,125	28,099	29,982	28,439	29,141	28,985	29,470
North Carolina	77,244	72,833	78,053	76,104	76,953	76,897	76,835
Oklahoma	24,843	23,924	25,169	24,624	25,065	24,061	26,662
Pennsylvania	17,222	15,854	17,094	16,826	17,318	16,615	16,526
South Carolina	20,478	18,634	19,382	19,234	20,073	20,377	21,583
Texas	55,189	53,362	57,603	56,563	58,029	57,411	58,277
Virginia	23,733	21,714	23,904	23,079	24,589	23,827	24,731
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	44,253	41,117	44,194	44,327	44,530	43,820	44,900
19 State total	769,849	720,910	773,529	750,503	776,439	759,378	779,182
Other States ¹	29,434	27,816	30,445	30,199	31,236	30,287	31,439
United States	799,283	748,726	803,974	780,702	807,675	789,665	810,621
State	August	September	October	November	December	Total	
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	
Alabama	108,215	104,656	104,158	102,164	109,274	1,264,630	
Arkansas	83,716	81,421	80,709	77,081	84,221	974,216	
Delaware	17,614	16,249	16,371	17,211	18,592	209,111	
Florida	4,441	4,336	4,500	4,307	4,442	52,809	
Georgia	127,888	121,666	122,436	118,930	125,961	1,493,539	
Kentucky	28,715	24,728	25,883	24,372	27,553	327,376	
Louisiana	12,906	12,261	12,391	11,433	13,424	153,390	
Maryland	29,731	28,612	29,867	27,555	29,525	346,803	
Mississippi	67,118	64,373	65,007	61,862	65,815	791,730	
Missouri	30,053	29,364	28,937	27,354	30,772	350,721	
North Carolina	76,879	71,505	73,839	74,938	77,504	909,584	
Oklahoma	27,204	26,053	26,707	26,017	27,431	307,760	
Pennsylvania	16,848	15,869	16,232	16,171	17,298	199,873	
South Carolina	20,034	19,329	19,217	19,136	20,042	237,519	
Texas	57,990	55,257	57,640	55,774	58,749	681,844	
Virginia	24,399	22,947	22,693	22,621	23,790	282,027	
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	43,993	42,796	43,492	42,304	44,041	523,767	
19 State total	777,744	741,422	750,079	729,230	778,434	9,106,699	
Other States ¹	30,734	30,515	29,397	30,166	32,705	364,373	
United States	808,478	771,937	779,476	759,396	811,139	9,471,072	

¹ Includes data for States not published in this table.

Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched by Month – 19 Selected States and United States: 2017

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama	109,164	99,120	108,404	105,690	109,132	107,849	111,944
Arkansas	82,607	75,334	87,857	84,809	86,901	84,189	84,241
Delaware	18,392	16,061	17,972	17,144	17,668	17,411	18,253
Florida	4,253	3,375	3,802	4,091	4,393	4,259	4,468
Georgia	124,901	113,150	125,974	121,974	126,305	124,988	128,738
Kentucky	26,284	25,167	27,120	26,749	26,733	26,670	27,579
Louisiana	13,422	10,255	13,915	13,313	13,465	12,758	13,472
Maryland	30,239	26,840	29,941	29,052	30,184	29,352	30,108
Mississippi	66,769	59,048	67,059	65,618	68,197	65,974	66,763
Missouri	30,183	27,186	31,060	29,219	30,070	30,110	31,117
North Carolina	78,370	71,464	78,725	78,238	81,391	78,402	80,935
Oklahoma	28,106	25,425	28,067	26,502	26,775	25,966	27,228
Pennsylvania	16,934	15,185	17,101	16,801	17,277	16,410	17,806
South Carolina	20,217	17,549	19,824	19,689	21,356	20,565	20,728
Texas	58,911	53,540	59,229	57,100	58,686	57,660	60,158
Virginia	24,038	21,813	24,233	23,579	24,487	23,577	24,078
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	42,781	39,817	44,871	41,820	43,680	42,715	43,958
19 State total	775,571	700,329	785,154	761,388	786,700	768,855	791,574
Other States ¹	31,920	29,982	33,547	31,839	33,921	33,094	35,186
United States	807,491	730,311	818,701	793,227	820,621	801,949	826,760
State	August	September	October	November	December	Total	
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	
Alabama	111,927	105,982	105,620	102,334	109,467	1,286,633	
Arkansas	86,882	82,995	84,449	81,788	87,361	1,009,413	
Delaware	18,402	16,965	17,442	17,110	17,922	210,742	
Florida	4,383	4,021	4,320	4,388	4,515	50,268	
Georgia	128,756	123,030	121,394	120,619	127,282	1,487,111	
Kentucky	27,936	26,347	27,069	26,202	27,178	321,034	
Louisiana	13,073	12,049	12,482	11,748	12,836	152,788	
Maryland	30,050	29,124	29,505	29,280	30,253	353,928	
Mississippi	66,879	63,525	64,878	62,896	69,202	786,808	
Missouri	32,231	30,436	28,749	26,655	30,687	357,703	
North Carolina	82,089	76,447	78,847	77,636	81,087	943,631	
Oklahoma	26,922	25,999	26,946	26,072	27,187	321,195	
Pennsylvania	18,163	17,280	16,922	17,113	20,741	207,733	
South Carolina	20,766	19,559	20,236	19,638	20,306	240,433	
Texas	61,327	56,560	56,705	55,566	59,413	694,855	
Virginia	23,829	22,948	23,702	22,305	23,238	281,827	
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	45,139	41,590	41,513	41,850	45,482	515,216	
19 State total	798,754	754,857	760,779	743,200	794,157	9,221,318	
Other States ¹	34,485	33,578	33,197	31,624	33,614	395,987	
United States	833,239	788,435	793,976	774,824	827,771	9,617,305	

¹ Includes data for States not published in this table.

Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched by Month – Selected States and United States: 2018

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama	109,742	95,771	109,562	106,034	110,092	109,853	112,713
Arkansas	87,921	79,208	88,497	85,632	89,729	88,496	90,188
Delaware	18,437	17,640	19,056	18,643	19,327	19,168	17,838
Florida	4,342	3,470	4,272	4,132	4,599	4,171	4,367
Georgia	126,577	114,582	127,697	123,555	128,650	123,790	129,702
Kentucky	27,293	25,113	27,725	26,802	27,734	27,399	28,194
Louisiana	13,148	11,676	12,922	12,493	12,862	12,787	13,084
Maryland	29,584	25,193	29,599	28,868	30,218	29,542	30,529
Mississippi	68,255	61,041	68,550	66,364	69,292	67,829	69,190
Missouri	29,658	26,281	29,185	28,271	30,513	31,343	32,157
North Carolina	81,940	71,834	82,596	80,364	83,745	80,634	81,774
Oklahoma	27,105	24,509	27,241	25,337	27,500	27,266	27,999
Pennsylvania	20,212	17,185	19,588	19,939	21,064	20,502	21,175
South Carolina	20,477	18,447	20,713	20,088	20,919	19,979	20,895
Texas	57,760	53,128	57,996	56,522	58,799	58,750	61,931
Virginia	23,832	20,859	24,258	22,528	22,881	22,641	23,262
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	43,724	39,378	45,332	44,649	46,322	44,337	45,212
Other States ¹	33,152	29,836	33,420	32,825	34,892	33,613	34,527
United States	823,159	735,151	828,209	803,046	839,138	822,100	844,737
State	August	September	October	November	December	Total	
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	
Alabama	112,004	107,515	107,309	104,986	111,453	1,297,034	
Arkansas	90,551	84,350	85,838	81,202	89,997	1,041,609	
Delaware	18,398	17,064	17,491	16,963	17,820	217,845	
Florida	4,477	3,096	4,112	4,208	4,459	49,705	
Georgia	127,523	119,097	120,899	115,686	124,801	1,482,559	
Kentucky	28,593	26,310	26,043	24,143	27,513	322,862	
Louisiana	13,304	12,953	12,293	13,118	13,451	154,091	
Maryland	30,653	29,323	28,965	27,720	29,385	349,579	
Mississippi	68,236	63,939	65,112	64,134	69,038	800,980	
Missouri	32,051	30,418	29,636	27,992	30,150	357,655	
North Carolina	81,418	76,393	72,685	75,157	81,151	949,691	
Oklahoma	28,342	26,507	27,645	25,399	27,505	322,355	
Pennsylvania	20,614	18,925	19,367	18,641	19,646	236,858	
South Carolina	20,649	20,192	20,432	19,055	20,441	242,287	
Texas	59,684	54,986	56,008	55,865	58,500	689,929	
Virginia	23,696	22,519	22,626	20,818	23,175	273,095	
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	45,587	40,958	40,913	39,852	43,709	519,973	
Other States ¹	34,383	33,209	33,142	32,069	34,566	399,634	
United States	840,163	787,754	790,516	767,008	826,760	9,707,741	

¹ Includes data for States not published in this table.

Broiler-Type Eggs in Incubators – First of Month by Region and United States: 2016

[See regional listing on page 39]

Region	January	February	March	April
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	14,540	13,597	14,032	14,229
East North Central	14,462	14,883	15,315	15,368
West North Central	29,281	29,707	29,658	30,177
South Atlantic	247,548	248,944	250,192	250,638
South Central	316,208	319,065	318,615	316,145
West	22,976	23,385	22,275	23,992
United States	645,015	649,581	650,087	650,549
Region	May	June	July	August
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	14,205	13,957	13,473	13,943
East North Central	15,174	15,113	15,279	14,763
West North Central	30,601	30,940	30,338	30,015
South Atlantic	250,291	254,428	252,705	249,261
South Central	316,931	320,256	318,031	318,649
West	23,024	23,821	22,479	23,204
United States	650,226	658,515	652,305	649,835
Region	September	October	November	December
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	13,324	12,956	14,108	14,739
East North Central	15,226	14,246	14,796	15,257
West North Central	30,699	29,025	28,637	32,023
South Atlantic	246,801	239,194	243,658	250,943
South Central	318,419	310,991	307,102	322,485
West	23,292	22,048	23,208	23,431
United States	647,761	628,460	631,509	658,878

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Region	January	February	March	April
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	14,746	14,943	14,703	14,799
East North Central	15,352	15,297	15,663	15,581
West North Central	31,442	31,595	32,313	31,280
South Atlantic	251,559	251,868	252,999	255,425
South Central	323,911	322,230	328,142	326,706
West	22,714	23,296	23,701	23,645
United States	659,724	659,229	667,521	667,436
Region	May	June	July	August
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	15,042	14,746	15,625	15,997
East North Central	16,280	16,590	16,819	16,200
West North Central	31,616	32,319	32,668	33,225
South Atlantic	254,891	257,733	256,935	257,643
South Central	325,639	329,534	326,231	332,831
West	23,575	23,864	24,042	24,894
United States	667,043	674,786	672,320	680,790
Region	September	October	November	December
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	15,784	15,129	15,348	18,545
East North Central	16,371	15,942	16,241	16,561
West North Central	32,760	29,373	27,979	31,968
South Atlantic	255,266	248,221	251,367	258,380
South Central	327,476	319,006	316,431	333,707
West	24,703	22,399	24,366	25,704
United States	672,360	650,070	651,732	684,865

Broiler-Type Eggs in Incubators – First of Month by Region and United States: 2018

[See regional listing on page 39]

Region	January	February	March	April
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	17,660	16,758	17,476	17,669
East North Central	16,012	16,164	16,056	16,392
West North Central	31,297	30,763	31,043	31,676
South Atlantic	257,668	256,103	259,878	259,655
South Central	334,019	331,504	334,405	332,799
West	24,209	23,526	25,074	25,250
United States	680,865	674,818	683,932	683,441
Region	May	June	July	August
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	18,757	18,593	18,556	18,086
East North Central	16,634	16,617	16,292	16,549
West North Central	32,443	33,968	33,705	33,144
South Atlantic	261,195	259,160	257,968	257,279
South Central	336,644	342,931	338,815	337,754
West	25,975	24,894	24,164	25,076
United States	691,648	696,163	689,500	687,888
Region	September	October	November	December
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	17,222	16,910	16,975	17,479
East North Central	16,487	15,704	15,755	17,089
West North Central	33,026	30,594	31,018	32,819
South Atlantic	251,793	242,908	243,754	260,517
South Central	330,405	321,071	317,604	339,746
West	23,266	21,312	22,750	24,490
United States	672,199	648,499	647,856	692,140

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending October 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016

State	Week ending						
	October 1	October 8	October 15	October 22	October 29	November 5	November 12
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set							
Alabama	27,260	28,298	28,103	28,671	27,938	29,352	29,721
Arkansas	22,273	22,093	20,325	21,233	21,502	21,616	21,852
Delaware	4,199	4,599	4,806	4,510	4,936	4,971	4,966
Florida	1,223	1,225	1,220	1,223	1,210	1,223	1,148
Georgia	32,520	33,544	32,702	33,402	32,990	33,569	34,372
Kentucky	7,148	7,353	6,520	6,647	7,126	7,025	7,516
Louisiana	3,146	3,453	3,422	3,137	2,956	3,213	3,470
Maryland	8,075	7,778	8,073	7,365	8,103	7,957	7,865
Mississippi	17,129	16,639	16,658	17,458	16,896	16,471	16,815
Missouri	7,212	7,956	7,430	7,713	7,111	7,124	8,200
North Carolina	19,863	19,909	20,626	20,167	21,081	20,890	20,881
Oklahoma	7,404	6,656	7,358	6,988	7,751	7,373	7,269
Pennsylvania	4,740	4,748	4,687	4,468	4,370	4,702	4,481
South Carolina	4,780	5,150	5,259	5,536	5,460	5,195	5,764
Texas	15,264	14,870	15,442	15,348	15,066	15,052	15,771
Virginia	6,164	6,110	6,437	6,431	6,057	6,379	6,447
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,532	12,039	11,990	11,147	12,029	12,000	11,838
19 State total	199,932	202,420	201,058	201,444	202,582	204,112	208,376
Other States ¹	7,967	8,496	8,169	8,244	8,591	8,423	8,839
United States	207,899	210,916	209,227	209,688	211,173	212,535	217,215
Chicks placed							
Alabama	21,575	21,006	21,452	20,927	21,865	20,858	20,938
Arkansas	19,933	18,641	21,136	20,763	20,053	19,920	20,481
Delaware	5,037	4,193	5,572	3,640	5,458	5,303	5,293
Florida	1,629	1,502	1,494	1,451	1,196	1,299	1,355
Georgia	25,600	26,007	27,484	25,501	25,912	26,323	27,182
Kentucky	6,326	4,932	6,100	5,934	5,667	4,564	5,266
Louisiana	2,998	2,959	2,985	2,590	3,097	3,042	2,797
Maryland	4,917	5,910	5,772	7,920	4,996	5,939	4,676
Mississippi	14,203	14,793	15,204	14,030	13,417	13,715	14,614
Missouri	6,427	5,592	5,291	5,436	6,493	5,513	4,862
North Carolina	14,567	15,117	16,706	15,043	15,836	16,409	16,508
Oklahoma	3,805	4,993	4,584	3,789	3,615	3,429	4,378
Pennsylvania	3,723	3,601	2,853	3,637	3,707	3,787	3,586
South Carolina	4,756	4,315	4,337	5,126	5,072	4,543	4,407
Texas	12,869	12,522	12,836	12,717	12,383	12,711	12,776
Virginia	5,742	5,646	5,274	4,749	5,621	5,542	5,734
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,374	10,857	10,184	9,890	11,089	11,569	9,842
19 State total	164,481	162,586	169,264	163,143	165,477	164,466	164,695
Other States ¹	6,618	6,285	5,870	6,289	6,753	6,712	6,700
United States	171,099	168,871	175,134	169,432	172,230	171,178	171,395

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending October 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016 (continued)

State	Week ending						
	November 19	November 26	December 3	December 10	December 17	December 24	December 31
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set							
Alabama	29,359	29,835	29,741	30,008	29,943	29,589	29,787
Arkansas	22,853	22,973	22,611	22,637	22,760	22,314	22,734
Delaware	4,999	5,035	5,052	5,101	5,054	4,926	5,003
Florida	1,187	1,205	1,220	1,224	1,193	1,207	1,021
Georgia	34,168	34,749	34,467	34,015	34,335	34,521	34,245
Kentucky	7,719	7,613	7,689	7,671	7,396	7,448	7,167
Louisiana	3,485	3,667	3,833	3,833	3,833	3,848	3,788
Maryland	8,152	8,006	8,144	8,167	8,194	8,196	8,195
Mississippi	17,540	17,339	17,373	17,571	17,586	17,525	17,788
Missouri	8,186	8,186	8,171	8,167	8,157	8,169	7,960
North Carolina	21,360	20,666	20,727	20,782	20,772	20,849	21,327
Oklahoma	7,587	7,389	7,404	7,482	7,619	7,435	7,831
Pennsylvania	4,518	4,788	4,933	4,571	4,704	4,741	4,688
South Carolina	5,582	5,521	5,540	5,455	5,754	5,514	5,712
Texas	15,511	15,763	15,803	15,946	15,944	15,806	15,799
Virginia	6,479	6,435	6,474	6,504	6,498	6,505	6,487
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,048	11,938	11,984	11,703	11,455	11,971	12,136
19 State total	210,733	211,108	211,166	210,837	211,197	210,564	211,668
Other States ¹	9,070	8,925	8,607	8,741	8,964	8,745	8,771
United States	219,803	220,033	219,773	219,578	220,161	219,309	220,439
Chicks placed							
Alabama	20,320	21,848	22,408	21,840	21,677	22,403	22,788
Arkansas	20,679	20,185	20,240	20,824	21,875	20,939	21,701
Delaware	5,675	5,444	4,717	5,356	5,163	4,389	4,704
Florida	1,257	1,218	1,308	1,278	1,332	1,342	1,161
Georgia	26,180	26,230	27,223	27,317	28,870	27,446	26,447
Kentucky	5,658	6,041	5,654	6,211	6,288	6,347	5,955
Louisiana	2,627	2,865	2,994	3,041	3,191	3,262	3,290
Maryland	6,042	6,162	6,447	6,313	6,066	7,914	7,773
Mississippi	14,503	13,863	14,079	14,778	14,582	14,565	14,668
Missouri	5,316	5,442	5,890	6,588	6,022	5,928	5,765
North Carolina	16,907	16,212	16,232	16,348	16,045	16,175	16,606
Oklahoma	3,709	4,275	4,906	3,963	3,851	4,647	4,092
Pennsylvania	3,597	4,003	3,814	3,509	3,740	3,760	3,691
South Carolina	4,754	4,964	5,562	5,421	3,992	4,500	4,773
Texas	12,632	12,478	12,979	13,056	13,113	12,928	13,015
Virginia	4,932	5,453	5,261	5,808	6,416	4,983	4,601
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,655	11,008	10,388	10,743	10,179	10,894	11,122
19 State total	165,443	167,691	170,102	172,394	172,402	172,422	172,152
Other States ¹	6,967	6,665	7,076	7,143	7,022	6,808	7,063
United States	172,410	174,356	177,178	179,537	179,424	179,230	179,215

¹ Includes data for States not published in this table.

Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017

State	Week ending					
	January 7	January 14	January 21	January 28	February 4	February 11
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,775	29,745	29,860	29,901	29,720	29,974
Arkansas	22,413	20,821	22,716	22,751	23,376	22,970
Delaware	5,089	4,893	4,859	4,977	4,924	4,910
Florida	1,175	1,022	954	1,034	1,007	1,037
Georgia	34,086	34,601	34,560	34,344	34,292	34,949
Kentucky	7,245	7,390	7,582	7,775	8,000	7,742
Louisiana	3,348	3,439	3,651	2,350	2,744	3,682
Maryland	8,193	8,190	8,185	8,198	8,217	7,692
Mississippi	17,495	17,390	16,988	17,457	16,990	17,523
Missouri	8,101	8,105	7,916	8,086	8,152	8,152
North Carolina	21,488	21,626	21,347	21,814	21,378	21,270
Oklahoma	7,737	7,637	7,763	7,665	7,790	7,641
Pennsylvania	4,539	4,492	4,558	4,852	4,695	4,434
South Carolina	5,655	5,357	5,406	5,332	5,328	5,317
Texas	16,025	16,042	15,798	16,032	15,806	16,019
Virginia	6,513	6,512	6,503	6,519	6,519	6,543
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,293	12,138	11,813	12,202	11,812	11,953
19 State total	210,170	209,400	210,459	211,289	210,750	211,808
Other States ¹	8,703	8,839	8,992	9,273	9,199	9,189
United States	218,873	218,239	219,451	220,562	219,949	220,997
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,267	21,043	21,753	22,135	21,391	22,169
Arkansas	21,308	19,909	22,424	21,336	20,502	22,738
Delaware	6,129	5,982	5,278	5,223	5,407	6,087
Florida	1,377	1,203	1,283	1,352	1,261	1,191
Georgia	27,464	27,883	26,277	26,730	27,844	26,823
Kentucky	5,681	5,639	5,640	6,068	6,000	6,273
Louisiana	3,262	3,324	3,275	3,057	3,085	3,198
Maryland	5,584	5,926	6,173	6,575	5,965	5,630
Mississippi	14,746	15,001	15,307	15,146	14,992	14,368
Missouri	5,901	5,876	5,544	6,642	5,565	5,355
North Carolina	16,744	16,745	17,067	16,673	16,233	16,197
Oklahoma	4,333	5,412	3,691	3,319	3,770	3,298
Pennsylvania	3,795	3,698	3,666	3,598	3,541	3,755
South Carolina	4,623	4,646	4,836	5,295	5,318	6,095
Texas	13,208	12,796	12,885	12,988	13,187	12,864
Virginia	5,609	5,305	6,054	5,490	5,755	5,368
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	9,702	11,225	11,483	9,863	10,560	10,203
19 State total	171,733	171,613	172,636	171,490	170,376	171,612
Other States ¹	6,978	6,519	6,770	6,818	7,153	6,717
United States	178,711	178,132	179,406	178,308	177,529	178,329

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending					
	February 18	February 25	March 4	March 11	March 18	March 25
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,572	29,568	29,441	29,247	29,770	29,595
Arkansas	23,683	23,661	24,163	24,251	23,193	23,363
Delaware	4,924	4,851	4,921	4,784	4,886	4,887
Florida	1,019	1,052	1,090	1,138	1,190	1,163
Georgia	34,459	34,776	34,722	34,762	35,395	34,915
Kentucky	7,598	7,232	7,541	7,446	7,581	7,556
Louisiana	3,772	3,742	3,769	3,727	3,788	3,501
Maryland	8,211	8,225	8,221	8,230	8,247	8,256
Mississippi	17,605	17,697	17,805	17,897	17,941	17,776
Missouri	8,273	8,273	8,245	8,241	7,866	7,914
North Carolina	21,966	21,571	21,192	21,596	21,927	21,787
Oklahoma	7,809	7,765	7,707	7,431	7,622	7,449
Pennsylvania	4,302	4,870	4,778	4,837	4,875	4,703
South Carolina	5,554	5,364	5,560	5,579	5,505	5,219
Texas	15,801	15,982	15,902	15,993	16,008	15,874
Virginia	6,538	6,505	6,553	6,677	6,558	6,557
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,014	12,422	12,714	11,889	11,865	11,412
19 State total	213,100	213,556	214,324	213,725	214,217	211,927
Other States ¹	9,218	9,207	9,199	9,080	9,195	9,069
United States	222,318	222,763	223,523	222,805	223,412	220,996
Chicks placed						
Alabama	23,106	21,595	21,870	21,627	21,132	22,174
Arkansas	21,078	21,113	21,247	21,824	22,518	23,114
Delaware	6,618	6,014	5,157	3,979	5,301	5,181
Florida	1,328	1,234	1,085	1,479	1,109	1,363
Georgia	26,199	27,240	28,693	27,372	27,867	26,904
Kentucky	6,511	5,976	6,009	5,826	6,036	5,714
Louisiana	2,107	2,442	3,235	3,283	3,275	3,246
Maryland	4,924	5,842	6,003	8,612	6,668	6,665
Mississippi	15,059	14,553	14,999	14,987	15,164	15,055
Missouri	6,211	5,571	5,529	5,619	5,499	6,370
North Carolina	17,073	17,363	16,462	16,931	16,737	16,303
Oklahoma	3,785	5,307	4,707	4,940	4,655	3,512
Pennsylvania	3,701	3,709	3,361	3,421	3,767	3,826
South Carolina	4,909	4,066	3,980	4,884	4,681	5,019
Texas	13,147	13,152	13,504	13,188	13,177	13,251
Virginia	5,743	5,459	5,286	5,170	5,773	5,610
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,486	10,872	10,652	10,589	10,811	11,921
19 State total	171,985	171,508	171,779	173,731	174,170	175,228
Other States ¹	7,293	7,387	7,479	6,928	6,883	7,231
United States	179,278	178,895	179,258	180,659	181,053	182,459

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending					
	April 1	April 8	April 15	April 22	April 29	May 6
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,801	29,617	29,810	29,643	29,470	29,781
Arkansas	23,929	24,261	23,065	23,285	23,322	23,811
Delaware	4,839	4,872	4,861	4,887	4,980	4,825
Florida	1,180	1,210	1,223	1,223	1,223	1,224
Georgia	34,451	34,218	34,151	34,679	33,924	34,576
Kentucky	7,802	7,514	7,342	7,391	7,310	7,215
Louisiana	3,788	3,727	3,743	3,727	3,530	3,637
Maryland	8,224	8,215	8,255	8,252	8,261	8,225
Mississippi	17,891	18,031	17,822	18,003	18,154	18,303
Missouri	8,127	8,123	8,172	8,166	7,879	7,916
North Carolina	22,101	22,157	21,771	22,022	21,948	22,199
Oklahoma	7,440	7,295	7,003	7,305	7,535	7,511
Pennsylvania	4,360	4,855	4,856	4,592	4,761	4,545
South Carolina	5,575	5,639	5,655	5,732	5,681	5,722
Texas	15,818	15,783	15,612	15,972	15,939	16,006
Virginia	6,557	6,557	6,557	6,573	6,660	6,557
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,247	12,036	12,478	12,473	11,646	11,939
19 State total	214,130	214,110	212,376	213,925	212,223	213,992
Other States ¹	8,898	8,812	9,212	9,271	9,472	9,566
United States	223,028	222,922	221,588	223,196	221,695	223,558
Chicks placed						
Alabama	21,610	21,877	21,594	22,427	21,713	21,871
Arkansas	22,871	23,540	21,834	22,587	21,886	20,508
Delaware	5,123	5,312	5,323	5,715	6,223	6,166
Florida	1,158	1,111	1,180	1,391	1,427	1,191
Georgia	27,769	27,715	27,658	26,422	27,216	27,479
Kentucky	5,895	5,879	6,194	6,166	6,119	6,433
Louisiana	3,277	3,329	3,028	3,320	3,267	3,273
Maryland	6,527	6,438	5,701	6,200	5,433	5,467
Mississippi	15,270	15,317	15,230	15,271	15,399	15,168
Missouri	6,365	5,105	6,378	5,336	5,646	5,689
North Carolina	16,828	15,956	16,871	17,200	17,455	17,672
Oklahoma	3,443	2,994	3,750	4,354	4,938	5,114
Pennsylvania	3,838	3,763	3,726	3,464	3,718	3,862
South Carolina	4,576	6,085	5,206	5,264	4,734	4,498
Texas	13,185	13,172	13,058	13,036	13,181	12,950
Virginia	5,727	5,671	5,979	5,533	5,487	5,845
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,970	10,840	10,081	10,585	10,961	10,305
19 State total	174,432	174,104	172,791	174,271	174,803	173,491
Other States ¹	6,889	7,393	7,277	7,171	6,776	7,003
United States	181,321	181,497	180,068	181,442	181,579	180,494

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending					
	May 13	May 20	May 27	June 3	June 10	June 17
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,565	30,164	30,305	30,119	30,407	29,778
Arkansas	23,867	23,635	23,132	23,448	23,843	22,740
Delaware	4,755	5,009	5,026	5,045	5,071	4,987
Florida	1,225	1,224	1,225	1,224	1,225	1,222
Georgia	34,888	34,958	35,260	35,015	35,259	35,007
Kentucky	7,421	7,483	7,561	7,673	7,619	7,379
Louisiana	3,591	3,592	3,606	3,606	3,531	3,712
Maryland	8,188	8,256	8,244	8,253	8,224	8,256
Mississippi	18,029	18,134	18,164	18,103	18,208	17,541
Missouri	7,897	8,238	8,455	8,452	8,370	8,404
North Carolina	22,320	22,467	22,048	21,360	22,498	22,423
Oklahoma	7,362	7,140	7,401	7,686	7,318	7,517
Pennsylvania	4,636	4,589	4,722	4,511	4,560	4,871
South Carolina	5,640	5,866	5,710	5,723	5,766	5,573
Texas	16,135	16,210	16,251	16,163	16,227	15,982
Virginia	6,587	6,535	6,585	6,556	6,562	6,548
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,442	12,095	12,347	12,203	12,834	12,273
19 State total	214,548	215,595	216,042	215,140	217,522	214,213
Other States ¹	8,890	9,568	9,333	9,426	9,756	9,716
United States	223,438	225,163	225,375	224,566	227,278	223,929
Chicks placed						
Alabama	20,973	21,890	22,131	21,828	22,159	22,366
Arkansas	21,384	20,964	23,382	23,348	20,333	22,133
Delaware	5,957	4,788	5,523	4,979	5,028	4,691
Florida	1,344	1,320	1,253	1,320	1,321	1,358
Georgia	29,331	27,219	27,338	27,962	29,041	27,430
Kentucky	6,115	5,905	5,504	5,859	5,612	5,542
Louisiana	3,294	3,175	3,275	3,231	3,122	3,187
Maryland	5,586	7,321	6,219	7,075	6,715	6,803
Mississippi	15,266	15,454	15,581	15,345	15,443	15,400
Missouri	6,331	5,697	5,870	5,872	6,666	5,386
North Carolina	17,167	16,760	17,322	17,216	16,728	16,581
Oklahoma	3,896	5,046	3,000	3,061	4,909	4,656
Pennsylvania	3,760	3,663	3,737	3,707	3,718	3,662
South Carolina	4,547	5,217	5,348	4,878	5,310	5,978
Texas	13,336	13,191	12,981	12,969	13,327	13,272
Virginia	5,762	5,718	5,653	5,692	5,313	5,750
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,798	10,077	11,127	10,280	10,700	12,091
19 State total	174,847	173,405	175,244	174,622	175,445	176,286
Other States ¹	7,138	7,080	7,357	6,918	7,655	7,177
United States	181,985	180,485	182,601	181,540	183,100	183,463

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending					
	June 24 (1,000)	July 1 (1,000)	July 8 (1,000)	July 15 (1,000)	July 22 (1,000)	July 29 (1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,282	30,433	30,765	30,349	30,548	30,096
Arkansas	22,893	22,259	23,248	23,181	23,459	23,781
Delaware	4,962	5,029	4,955	4,962	5,029	5,069
Florida	1,224	1,224	1,190	1,120	1,192	1,224
Georgia	35,229	34,564	34,999	35,500	35,143	34,537
Kentucky	7,806	7,620	7,731	7,795	7,767	7,638
Louisiana	3,424	3,697	3,712	3,727	3,712	3,712
Maryland	8,231	8,111	8,226	8,228	8,229	8,210
Mississippi	17,552	17,982	18,072	18,038	17,855	18,037
Missouri	8,409	8,280	8,013	8,528	8,526	8,562
North Carolina	21,972	21,743	22,123	21,668	22,077	22,457
Oklahoma	7,551	7,616	7,504	7,512	7,590	7,467
Pennsylvania	4,831	4,968	4,738	4,913	4,864	5,035
South Carolina	5,710	5,778	5,695	5,836	5,791	5,570
Texas	16,392	16,330	16,521	16,623	16,726	16,762
Virginia	6,555	6,536	6,549	6,558	6,524	6,533
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,973	12,150	12,464	12,560	12,542	12,461
19 State total	214,996	214,320	216,505	217,098	217,574	217,151
Other States ¹	9,657	9,418	9,640	9,137	9,536	9,533
United States	224,653	223,738	226,145	226,235	227,110	226,684
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,303	22,437	22,621	22,768	22,807	22,450
Arkansas	22,641	21,315	21,868	21,433	21,041	22,241
Delaware	5,203	6,763	6,101	5,808	6,068	4,909
Florida	1,491	1,323	1,351	1,348	1,612	1,238
Georgia	28,307	27,556	27,207	27,929	27,836	28,314
Kentucky	6,574	6,407	6,076	6,297	6,188	6,098
Louisiana	3,166	3,034	3,154	2,929	3,217	3,261
Maryland	6,098	4,755	5,367	5,838	5,634	6,968
Mississippi	15,288	15,369	14,673	14,804	15,144	15,375
Missouri	5,927	5,657	5,690	6,193	6,142	5,851
North Carolina	17,218	17,670	18,205	16,638	17,165	16,940
Oklahoma	3,886	5,453	4,174	4,193	4,219	3,540
Pennsylvania	3,720	3,752	3,926	3,952	3,972	3,832
South Carolina	4,410	5,361	5,282	5,465	4,171	5,202
Texas	13,248	13,209	13,069	13,487	13,501	13,674
Virginia	6,140	5,884	5,873	5,907	5,375	5,178
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,250	11,063	10,285	10,005	10,589	11,111
19 State total	175,870	177,008	174,922	174,994	174,681	176,182
Other States ¹	7,234	7,552	7,399	7,521	7,659	7,741
United States	183,104	184,560	182,321	182,515	182,340	183,923

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending					
	August 5	August 12	August 19	August 26	September 2	September 9
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,352	30,384	29,982	30,188	29,410	29,112
Arkansas	23,900	23,527	23,810	23,707	23,768	21,484
Delaware	5,067	5,115	5,118	5,001	4,979	4,978
Florida	1,213	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,223
Georgia	35,139	35,022	34,870	35,044	34,320	34,015
Kentucky	7,892	7,732	7,858	7,782	7,685	6,921
Louisiana	3,788	2,532	3,424	3,772	3,016	3,491
Maryland	8,229	8,225	8,226	8,225	8,215	8,225
Mississippi	17,448	17,736	17,676	17,829	17,108	17,413
Missouri	8,585	8,452	8,315	8,298	8,300	8,285
North Carolina	22,521	22,381	22,175	21,471	21,310	20,433
Oklahoma	7,368	7,396	7,907	7,524	8,013	6,943
Pennsylvania	4,957	4,763	4,722	4,963	4,874	4,770
South Carolina	5,775	5,727	5,626	5,631	5,693	5,382
Texas	16,632	16,254	15,809	16,392	15,276	15,683
Virginia	6,456	6,432	6,573	6,456	6,299	6,503
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	13,087	12,357	13,025	12,033	11,350	11,527
19 State total	218,409	215,260	216,341	215,541	210,841	206,388
Other States ¹	9,598	9,547	9,781	9,649	9,580	9,327
United States	228,007	224,807	226,122	225,190	220,421	215,715
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,155	23,192	22,566	21,361	22,266	22,051
Arkansas	21,515	21,924	22,720	21,505	22,522	22,260
Delaware	5,938	5,602	5,731	4,681	3,980	5,251
Florida	1,273	1,261	1,341	1,327	1,319	1,279
Georgia	28,124	28,030	27,737	28,872	27,633	28,058
Kentucky	6,145	6,368	5,845	5,718	6,505	6,116
Louisiana	3,263	3,219	3,224	3,271	2,252	2,981
Maryland	5,672	6,427	6,297	6,560	7,372	6,619
Mississippi	15,301	15,235	15,182	14,785	15,128	14,802
Missouri	6,416	5,864	6,037	5,967	5,572	6,717
North Carolina	17,152	17,570	17,628	18,051	17,559	17,313
Oklahoma	4,310	4,777	3,796	5,398	4,347	3,328
Pennsylvania	4,017	3,965	3,984	3,762	3,765	3,770
South Carolina	4,881	4,471	4,822	4,099	5,688	5,048
Texas	13,517	13,594	13,899	13,715	13,186	12,934
Virginia	5,916	5,350	5,192	6,159	5,835	5,264
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,971	10,205	10,847	12,196	10,364	10,703
19 State total	176,566	177,054	176,848	177,427	175,293	174,494
Other States ¹	7,064	7,404	7,360	7,312	7,244	7,767
United States	183,630	184,458	184,208	184,739	182,537	182,261

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending					
	September 16	September 23	September 30	October 7	October 14	October 21
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,481	29,063	26,875	29,764	29,129	29,363
Arkansas	22,519	23,852	23,327	21,974	22,563	21,687
Delaware	4,745	4,704	4,676	4,816	4,704	4,676
Florida	1,224	1,221	1,223	1,223	1,225	1,222
Georgia	34,157	33,843	31,990	31,921	33,961	33,921
Kentucky	6,933	7,971	7,484	7,754	7,629	7,088
Louisiana	3,440	3,500	3,409	3,461	3,329	3,349
Maryland	7,309	8,227	8,228	8,220	8,216	8,223
Mississippi	17,324	18,220	17,082	16,632	16,461	17,622
Missouri	7,585	7,398	7,442	8,191	7,911	7,458
North Carolina	21,292	21,920	21,562	20,916	21,179	21,399
Oklahoma	7,409	7,583	7,573	7,521	7,111	7,248
Pennsylvania	4,740	4,492	4,673	4,539	4,770	4,840
South Carolina	5,709	5,915	5,572	5,520	5,793	5,645
Texas	14,666	16,204	15,444	14,805	15,349	15,523
Virginia	6,528	6,536	6,367	6,401	6,562	6,509
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,073	11,381	11,532	12,576	11,174	11,402
19 State total	206,134	212,030	204,459	206,234	207,066	207,175
Other States ¹	9,540	8,647	9,318	9,053	9,013	8,883
United States	215,674	220,677	213,777	215,287	216,079	216,058
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,651	22,011	21,689	21,802	21,364	19,742
Arkansas	22,635	23,086	20,111	19,851	20,100	21,998
Delaware	4,868	6,362	4,718	6,469	5,564	5,410
Florida	1,164	1,432	1,193	1,314	1,313	1,226
Georgia	27,722	26,770	27,342	27,426	26,768	23,851
Kentucky	6,253	6,192	5,848	5,410	6,042	6,536
Louisiana	3,261	2,657	3,039	2,974	2,998	2,848
Maryland	6,180	4,305	6,033	4,154	6,384	6,007
Mississippi	15,157	14,451	14,571	14,831	15,570	14,402
Missouri	6,494	5,941	6,519	5,626	5,809	4,833
North Carolina	17,126	16,104	16,555	17,130	17,343	17,608
Oklahoma	3,483	3,611	3,453	4,773	5,750	4,351
Pennsylvania	4,013	3,830	3,845	3,584	3,326	3,725
South Carolina	4,563	5,745	4,492	4,426	4,699	4,870
Texas	13,277	12,495	12,794	12,213	13,277	12,765
Virginia	5,635	5,771	5,749	5,008	5,239	5,540
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,216	10,172	9,339	9,601	10,077	9,498
19 State total	174,698	170,935	167,290	166,592	171,623	165,210
Other States ¹	7,508	7,345	7,187	7,377	6,622	6,864
United States	182,206	178,280	174,477	173,969	178,245	172,074

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending					
	October 28	November 4	November 11	November 18	November 25	December 2
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	28,905	27,882	29,510	30,077	29,945	30,763
Arkansas	23,085	23,152	23,828	23,709	23,859	23,860
Delaware	4,841	4,757	4,890	4,890	4,916	4,913
Florida	1,213	1,224	1,225	1,223	1,224	1,225
Georgia	34,017	33,872	34,395	35,034	35,099	35,616
Kentucky	8,041	7,186	7,752	7,854	7,080	7,977
Louisiana	3,772	3,258	3,379	3,772	3,591	4,029
Maryland	8,220	8,227	7,811	8,259	8,253	8,256
Mississippi	17,578	16,999	17,741	18,527	18,405	18,451
Missouri	7,232	6,744	8,072	8,319	8,319	8,317
North Carolina	21,783	21,984	21,291	22,041	21,906	23,120
Oklahoma	7,637	7,342	7,692	7,560	7,718	7,611
Pennsylvania	4,397	4,906	5,441	5,966	5,584	5,894
South Carolina	5,739	5,562	5,377	5,734	5,617	5,865
Texas	15,408	14,840	16,114	16,143	16,085	16,613
Virginia	6,446	6,215	5,727	6,549	6,452	6,785
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,220	12,630	12,452	12,505	13,178	13,148
19 State total	210,534	206,780	212,697	218,162	217,231	222,443
Other States ¹	9,228	9,007	9,674	9,621	9,267	9,514
United States	219,762	215,787	222,371	227,783	226,498	231,957
Chicks placed						
Alabama	21,557	22,011	21,359	21,399	20,119	21,290
Arkansas	20,498	20,548	21,084	21,137	22,396	21,916
Delaware	6,150	4,878	5,126	5,625	4,340	5,667
Florida	1,510	1,324	1,345	1,582	1,461	1,430
Georgia	26,123	26,709	28,347	26,481	25,822	27,014
Kentucky	6,013	5,538	5,078	5,720	5,959	6,411
Louisiana	2,958	2,632	2,865	3,272	2,747	2,689
Maryland	5,152	5,783	6,281	6,260	7,549	5,086
Mississippi	14,116	14,010	15,028	14,902	14,387	14,881
Missouri	5,906	6,232	6,414	5,315	5,397	5,889
North Carolina	16,008	16,492	16,689	16,702	17,643	17,566
Oklahoma	4,319	4,126	2,504	4,599	3,095	4,378
Pennsylvania	3,671	3,831	3,665	3,315	3,931	4,049
South Carolina	4,269	5,028	4,005	5,245	4,898	4,441
Texas	12,371	12,896	12,853	12,531	12,157	13,047
Virginia	5,827	6,381	5,909	5,710	5,483	5,262
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,996	9,480	10,520	11,537	11,083	10,180
19 State total	167,444	167,899	169,072	171,332	168,467	171,196
Other States ¹	7,046	7,239	6,876	6,741	7,102	7,324
United States	174,490	175,138	175,948	178,073	175,569	178,520

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017 (continued)

State	Week ending				52 week total	
	December 9	December 16	December 23	December 30	2017 ²	2016 ³
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,920	30,920	30,248	30,106	1,548,480	1,508,278
Arkansas	23,718	24,197	24,184	24,316	1,212,546	1,152,981
Delaware	4,916	4,916	4,916	5,086	255,688	252,691
Florida	1,225	1,225	1,223	1,225	61,589	63,101
Georgia	34,411	35,319	34,709	34,467	1,797,361	1,781,953
Kentucky	7,709	7,993	8,017	7,350	394,443	392,561
Louisiana	2,926	3,591	3,591	3,621	183,328	184,818
Maryland	8,249	8,253	8,240	8,232	425,921	411,972
Mississippi	18,663	18,544	18,499	18,512	924,953	920,031
Missouri	8,316	8,201	8,288	7,867	421,736	408,153
North Carolina	20,721	22,833	22,341	22,046	1,134,941	1,077,468
Oklahoma	7,288	7,369	7,656	7,604	390,842	368,118
Pennsylvania	5,432	5,666	5,529	5,450	252,510	239,115
South Carolina	5,494	5,591	5,674	5,791	292,270	287,023
Texas	15,534	16,071	16,275	15,086	828,940	804,806
Virginia	6,289	6,602	6,635	6,617	338,525	334,236
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,674	12,154	12,437	12,724	632,329	622,738
19 State total	212,485	219,445	218,462	216,100	11,096,402	10,810,043
Other States ¹	8,866	9,280	9,183	9,293	482,873	437,179
United States	221,351	228,725	227,645	225,393	11,579,275	11,247,222
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,757	22,032	21,530	21,902	1,138,893	1,119,718
Arkansas	22,270	22,621	21,380	21,419	1,129,916	1,071,789
Delaware	5,108	5,204	6,293	5,758	284,759	268,829
Florida	1,532	1,254	1,392	1,398	68,672	66,986
Georgia	27,004	27,468	29,067	26,854	1,426,247	1,423,660
Kentucky	6,447	5,938	6,192	5,893	312,403	312,943
Louisiana	3,291	3,127	3,253	2,602	159,751	161,216
Maryland	6,533	6,392	6,063	5,783	317,604	323,958
Mississippi	15,709	15,616	15,587	15,796	783,621	771,739
Missouri	6,758	5,654	5,683	6,242	306,768	302,404
North Carolina	17,546	18,227	17,985	16,737	886,854	857,500
Oklahoma	3,207	4,133	5,402	4,369	216,864	219,882
Pennsylvania	4,222	4,121	4,106	4,166	196,273	190,297
South Carolina	5,263	4,152	4,939	4,845	254,773	257,928
Texas	13,322	13,316	13,589	12,617	681,558	661,884
Virginia	5,367	5,518	5,501	4,809	291,534	282,826
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,664	11,318	10,939	10,614	552,005	563,666
19 State total	177,000	176,091	178,901	171,804	9,008,495	8,857,225
Other States ¹	7,243	6,687	7,407	7,108	372,923	351,053
United States	184,243	182,778	186,308	178,912	9,381,418	9,208,278

¹ Includes data for States not published in this table.

² January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017.

³ January 9, 2016 through December 31, 2016.

**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018**

State	Week ending					
	January 6	January 13	January 20	January 27	February 3	February 10
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,437	29,874	28,538	29,229	30,152	30,207
Arkansas	24,181	23,805	24,317	24,157	24,549	24,054
Delaware	5,252	5,253	5,277	5,274	5,269	5,274
Florida	1,221	1,188	1,225	1,221	1,006	1,161
Georgia	35,373	35,395	34,962	35,149	35,272	35,226
Kentucky	7,812	7,609	8,010	7,871	7,879	7,645
Louisiana	3,621	3,637	3,637	3,591	3,591	3,591
Maryland	7,686	7,593	7,291	7,874	8,223	7,748
Mississippi	17,844	18,331	18,106	18,225	18,213	18,518
Missouri	7,932	7,900	7,932	8,033	7,851	8,025
North Carolina	22,085	22,089	21,883	21,714	22,407	21,223
Oklahoma	7,673	7,547	7,765	7,652	7,638	7,873
Pennsylvania	5,491	5,573	5,509	5,187	4,913	5,180
South Carolina	5,757	5,690	5,685	5,670	5,813	5,761
Texas	15,792	16,088	16,070	16,323	16,446	16,553
Virginia	6,639	6,646	6,433	6,328	6,342	6,546
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,595	11,679	11,603	11,924	12,658	12,431
Other States ¹	9,174	9,167	9,056	9,348	9,203	9,074
United States	225,565	225,064	223,299	224,770	227,425	226,090
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,638	22,283	22,556	21,947	22,124	20,869
Arkansas	23,371	22,347	22,157	21,617	21,783	22,485
Delaware	6,486	5,552	5,153	4,373	5,785	4,741
Florida	1,410	1,531	1,310	1,199	1,258	1,248
Georgia	27,834	27,232	26,947	28,093	27,828	27,813
Kentucky	5,789	5,939	5,391	5,262	6,441	6,334
Louisiana	3,132	3,092	3,118	3,101	3,101	3,073
Maryland	5,237	5,507	6,062	5,905	5,335	6,204
Mississippi	15,562	15,485	15,467	14,733	15,223	15,016
Missouri	5,911	5,821	5,960	6,483	5,469	5,658
North Carolina	18,511	17,598	17,333	17,831	17,144	17,248
Oklahoma	2,792	4,258	3,761	3,749	3,976	3,671
Pennsylvania	4,191	4,180	4,133	4,158	4,132	4,163
South Carolina	4,641	5,109	4,702	4,852	4,713	4,300
Texas	13,413	13,175	12,220	12,699	12,836	12,860
Virginia	5,191	5,926	6,183	6,557	5,646	5,625
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,959	10,962	11,685	10,912	9,788	10,007
Other States ¹	7,102	7,103	7,485	7,170	7,131	6,857
United States	184,170	183,100	181,623	180,641	179,713	178,172

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**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)**

State	Week ending					
	February 17	February 24	March 3	March 10	March 17	March 24
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,042	30,408	30,320	29,857	30,355	30,271
Arkansas	24,243	24,172	24,513	24,468	24,375	23,796
Delaware	5,288	5,224	5,141	5,062	5,306	5,215
Florida	1,224	1,173	1,219	1,222	1,225	1,225
Georgia	34,836	35,338	35,165	35,062	35,035	35,056
Kentucky	7,939	7,797	7,602	7,714	7,593	7,790
Louisiana	3,667	3,364	3,621	3,621	3,651	3,500
Maryland	8,223	8,144	8,255	8,255	8,235	8,215
Mississippi	18,130	18,487	18,559	18,470	18,098	18,577
Missouri	7,930	8,060	8,027	8,071	8,138	7,987
North Carolina	22,636	22,854	22,864	22,687	22,573	22,746
Oklahoma	7,849	7,885	7,480	7,561	7,177	7,314
Pennsylvania	5,509	5,659	5,249	5,332	5,710	5,348
South Carolina	5,652	5,729	5,681	5,662	5,597	5,846
Texas	16,020	16,091	16,192	16,206	16,304	15,986
Virginia	6,629	6,664	6,537	6,668	6,620	6,168
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,559	12,258	12,687	12,600	12,852	12,543
Other States ¹	9,480	9,038	9,282	9,705	9,541	9,337
United States	227,856	228,345	228,394	228,223	228,385	226,920
Chicks placed						
Alabama	21,491	22,120	22,135	22,904	22,943	22,279
Arkansas	22,005	21,640	22,550	21,872	21,850	20,627
Delaware	5,305	5,226	6,279	5,864	6,139	5,488
Florida	1,135	1,171	1,268	1,474	1,296	1,361
Georgia	27,624	26,926	27,712	26,626	27,780	27,966
Kentucky	5,796	6,385	6,327	6,409	5,853	5,700
Louisiana	2,845	3,103	2,999	3,003	2,764	2,970
Maryland	5,815	6,003	5,599	6,249	6,175	5,826
Mississippi	15,175	15,252	15,520	15,277	15,187	15,248
Missouri	5,278	6,077	5,707	5,791	5,917	6,440
North Carolina	17,167	17,933	16,700	16,863	17,749	18,258
Oklahoma	3,930	3,943	3,304	3,871	3,987	4,987
Pennsylvania	4,042	3,706	3,934	4,098	3,951	3,855
South Carolina	5,123	4,651	4,458	5,572	4,750	4,896
Texas	13,590	13,329	13,457	13,112	13,112	13,110
Virginia	5,161	5,935	5,074	5,762	5,086	5,687
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,945	10,667	11,214	11,131	11,031	11,419
Other States ¹	7,329	7,301	6,908	7,278	7,321	7,310
United States	179,756	181,368	181,145	183,156	182,891	183,427

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**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)**

State	Week ending					
	March 31	April 7	April 14	April 21	April 28	May 5
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,169	29,939	30,122	30,254	30,426	30,459
Arkansas	23,996	24,523	24,056	24,668	24,492	24,883
Delaware	5,296	5,280	5,233	5,278	5,280	5,280
Florida	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225
Georgia	35,213	35,443	35,838	35,466	35,316	35,285
Kentucky	7,761	7,870	7,819	7,791	7,929	7,872
Louisiana	3,591	3,712	3,712	3,591	3,500	3,470
Maryland	8,245	8,250	8,252	8,251	8,253	8,238
Mississippi	18,457	18,579	18,414	18,579	18,579	18,782
Missouri	7,934	7,951	8,132	8,038	8,327	8,689
North Carolina	22,742	22,738	22,898	22,965	22,777	22,834
Oklahoma	7,292	7,450	7,518	7,756	7,786	7,769
Pennsylvania	5,689	5,802	6,092	6,050	5,716	5,909
South Carolina	5,485	5,613	5,702	5,691	5,737	5,784
Texas	16,192	16,115	16,111	16,148	16,226	16,243
Virginia	6,381	6,242	6,323	6,191	6,225	6,255
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,797	12,421	12,984	12,810	13,247	12,470
Other States ¹	9,627	9,552	9,581	9,754	9,684	9,513
United States	228,092	228,705	230,012	230,506	230,725	230,960
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,637	24,038	23,631	22,554	22,642	22,633
Arkansas	22,788	22,794	22,277	21,991	24,125	22,890
Delaware	4,577	5,680	4,719	5,531	5,572	4,832
Florida	1,326	1,268	1,319	1,274	1,379	1,606
Georgia	26,795	26,221	27,427	27,174	26,475	27,325
Kentucky	5,577	5,988	6,407	5,959	5,978	6,375
Louisiana	2,943	2,958	2,813	2,647	2,994	2,989
Maryland	6,670	5,204	6,105	5,848	6,464	6,593
Mississippi	15,230	14,939	15,202	15,194	15,191	15,114
Missouri	5,567	6,162	5,508	5,598	5,326	5,516
North Carolina	18,182	18,605	18,441	17,995	18,247	17,929
Oklahoma	3,781	2,837	3,256	3,946	2,301	3,456
Pennsylvania	3,934	4,192	3,939	3,860	4,070	4,168
South Carolina	4,965	4,820	4,421	4,942	5,631	5,161
Texas	13,129	13,396	13,332	13,576	13,404	13,254
Virginia	5,935	6,135	5,834	5,532	5,215	5,556
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,748	11,354	10,740	11,657	11,254	11,673
Other States ¹	7,422	7,458	6,868	7,702	7,499	7,681
United States	183,206	184,049	182,239	182,980	183,767	184,751

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**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)**

State	Week ending					
	May 12	May 19	May 26	June 2	June 9	June 16
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,124	31,301	31,240	31,199	30,608	30,569
Arkansas	24,680	24,937	24,942	25,083	24,668	24,465
Delaware	5,280	5,467	5,222	5,467	5,164	4,981
Florida	1,225	1,224	1,225	1,224	1,225	1,225
Georgia	35,335	35,243	33,672	35,351	35,741	35,699
Kentucky	7,800	7,795	7,982	8,117	7,760	8,049
Louisiana	3,637	3,621	3,621	3,621	3,651	3,621
Maryland	8,253	8,244	8,226	8,218	8,226	8,232
Mississippi	18,701	18,700	18,506	18,589	18,710	17,663
Missouri	8,366	8,721	8,844	8,842	8,841	8,742
North Carolina	22,758	22,677	22,684	22,674	22,227	22,466
Oklahoma	7,606	7,804	7,891	7,753	7,843	7,625
Pennsylvania	5,688	5,758	5,985	5,866	5,864	5,761
South Carolina	5,655	5,675	5,719	5,718	5,439	5,771
Texas	16,361	16,455	16,686	16,832	16,745	16,652
Virginia	6,207	6,256	6,466	6,335	6,295	6,335
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,534	12,764	12,666	12,720	12,800	12,692
Other States ¹	9,630	9,592	9,462	9,793	9,592	9,571
United States	229,840	232,234	231,039	233,402	231,399	230,119
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,810	22,296	22,789	22,848	24,876	23,996
Arkansas	21,024	20,608	22,782	22,190	22,274	23,548
Delaware	5,552	5,572	5,992	5,772	5,730	5,663
Florida	1,520	1,508	1,450	1,317	1,233	1,359
Georgia	27,641	28,726	27,014	27,916	27,434	26,170
Kentucky	6,303	6,152	6,353	6,032	5,991	6,003
Louisiana	2,997	2,828	2,765	3,070	3,092	3,159
Maryland	5,684	6,680	5,191	5,425	5,931	5,083
Mississippi	15,316	15,201	15,391	15,423	15,508	15,444
Missouri	5,656	6,592	5,835	6,512	6,265	6,485
North Carolina	17,782	18,259	18,465	18,150	19,064	18,264
Oklahoma	5,544	5,019	4,526	4,072	4,763	3,370
Pennsylvania	4,233	4,056	4,198	4,143	4,271	4,200
South Carolina	5,158	4,825	5,062	4,239	4,743	5,150
Texas	13,408	13,652	13,319	13,289	13,400	13,691
Virginia	5,588	4,506	5,451	6,202	5,218	6,011
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,295	11,372	11,498	11,702	10,472	11,803
Other States ¹	8,001	7,663	7,415	7,214	7,565	7,653
United States	185,512	185,515	185,496	185,516	187,830	187,052

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**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)**

State	Week ending					
	June 23 (1,000)	June 30 (1,000)	July 7 (1,000)	July 14 (1,000)	July 21 (1,000)	July 28 (1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,614	30,758	30,821	30,595	30,766	30,446
Arkansas	24,524	24,353	24,570	24,571	24,779	24,738
Delaware	4,728	4,517	4,757	4,679	4,889	4,915
Florida	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225
Georgia	35,854	35,292	35,680	35,632	35,325	35,179
Kentucky	7,761	7,895	7,881	8,020	7,859	7,963
Louisiana	3,621	3,440	3,712	3,712	3,556	3,712
Maryland	8,199	8,164	8,194	8,190	8,193	8,222
Mississippi	18,589	18,511	18,802	18,284	18,166	17,850
Missouri	8,687	8,712	8,605	8,620	8,620	8,357
North Carolina	22,369	21,967	22,204	21,518	22,206	21,974
Oklahoma	7,522	7,654	8,113	7,497	7,847	8,005
Pennsylvania	6,019	5,758	5,544	5,771	5,892	5,787
South Carolina	5,589	5,710	5,837	5,793	5,537	5,844
Texas	17,046	16,862	16,853	16,091	16,031	16,275
Virginia	6,333	6,289	6,422	6,423	6,425	6,439
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,332	12,200	12,575	12,450	12,930	12,811
Other States ¹	9,521	9,382	9,413	9,312	9,575	9,297
United States	230,533	228,689	231,208	228,383	229,821	229,039
Chicks placed						
Alabama	24,000	23,199	23,917	22,951	23,447	23,409
Arkansas	24,207	23,288	23,762	22,348	21,830	22,139
Delaware	5,147	6,116	4,695	4,968	5,592	4,841
Florida	1,287	1,528	1,389	1,333	1,257	1,354
Georgia	27,325	28,182	26,793	28,792	27,715	28,092
Kentucky	6,572	6,074	6,193	5,904	6,837	6,755
Louisiana	3,205	3,205	3,239	3,395	3,249	3,300
Maryland	6,608	5,182	5,999	6,264	5,535	6,028
Mississippi	15,550	15,366	14,409	15,331	15,242	15,648
Missouri	6,310	6,309	5,571	5,854	6,284	6,160
North Carolina	18,338	17,882	18,340	17,829	18,390	18,234
Oklahoma	3,107	3,788	4,053	4,500	4,833	4,923
Pennsylvania	4,222	4,421	4,426	4,303	4,290	4,140
South Carolina	5,083	5,345	5,496	5,157	4,260	4,719
Texas	13,809	13,581	13,460	13,894	13,819	13,589
Virginia	5,693	5,627	5,963	5,626	5,136	6,022
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,090	11,118	11,057	10,859	10,945	10,516
Other States ¹	7,578	7,682	7,781	7,766	7,214	7,286
United States	189,131	187,893	186,543	187,074	185,875	187,155

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**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)**

State	Week ending					
	August 4	August 11	August 18	August 25	September 1	September 8
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,571	30,235	30,420	30,788	29,894	30,186
Arkansas	24,704	24,705	24,581	24,528	24,365	22,011
Delaware	4,890	4,889	4,890	4,653	4,635	4,424
Florida	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,178	717
Georgia	34,987	35,067	33,468	34,158	34,283	33,795
Kentucky	7,815	7,870	7,822	7,792	7,510	6,923
Louisiana	3,712	3,705	3,618	3,707	3,554	3,802
Maryland	8,228	8,198	8,207	8,199	8,128	8,009
Mississippi	18,384	18,208	18,205	17,225	18,117	17,311
Missouri	8,707	8,616	8,523	8,528	8,474	8,437
North Carolina	22,537	22,335	22,186	22,147	21,115	20,978
Oklahoma	7,684	7,672	7,859	7,694	7,510	6,783
Pennsylvania	5,351	5,427	5,370	5,406	5,481	5,295
South Carolina	5,759	5,337	5,980	5,826	5,405	5,899
Texas	16,500	15,874	15,823	15,969	13,629	15,446
Virginia	6,440	6,422	6,410	6,410	6,247	6,104
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,491	12,301	12,354	11,229	12,025	11,299
Other States ¹	9,530	9,264	9,426	9,522	9,276	9,352
United States	229,515	227,350	226,367	225,006	220,826	216,771
Chicks placed						
Alabama	23,155	23,778	23,145	23,672	23,150	22,720
Arkansas	23,335	23,305	23,099	21,899	23,144	22,753
Delaware	5,415	5,724	4,997	5,382	5,487	6,087
Florida	1,255	1,405	1,250	1,373	1,446	947
Georgia	27,455	28,203	27,319	27,344	27,573	26,725
Kentucky	6,444	5,959	6,298	5,918	6,530	5,819
Louisiana	3,029	3,256	3,387	3,240	3,276	3,234
Maryland	5,438	5,341	6,709	6,140	5,761	4,796
Mississippi	15,245	14,846	14,659	15,160	14,930	14,965
Missouri	6,130	6,422	6,276	7,015	6,088	5,905
North Carolina	18,329	17,861	17,979	17,472	17,115	17,966
Oklahoma	3,440	3,586	3,507	4,378	3,898	4,253
Pennsylvania	4,266	4,373	4,186	4,025	4,145	4,035
South Carolina	4,787	4,573	5,033	5,153	4,911	5,681
Texas	13,353	12,927	13,165	13,455	13,024	13,131
Virginia	5,404	5,391	5,535	5,697	5,969	5,475
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,674	11,376	10,801	11,736	10,651	11,554
Other States ¹	7,366	7,642	7,477	7,567	7,464	7,245
United States	184,520	185,968	184,822	186,626	184,562	183,291

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**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)**

State	Week ending					
	September 15	September 22	September 29	October 6	October 13	October 20
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,379	29,641	27,720	29,199	30,084	29,939
Arkansas	22,554	24,286	24,198	23,193	22,770	21,289
Delaware	4,367	4,609	4,732	4,732	4,790	4,738
Florida	929	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,105
Georgia	31,729	34,653	33,037	34,083	33,428	32,539
Kentucky	6,848	7,260	7,566	7,524	7,081	6,910
Louisiana	3,636	3,225	3,455	3,313	3,634	3,741
Maryland	7,381	7,923	8,200	7,682	7,741	7,353
Mississippi	17,521	18,270	17,004	17,605	16,672	17,963
Missouri	7,689	8,331	7,114	8,641	8,001	8,183
North Carolina	20,453	21,261	19,718	19,117	19,971	20,608
Oklahoma	7,479	7,446	7,799	7,632	7,190	7,618
Pennsylvania	5,379	5,145	5,438	5,147	5,708	5,571
South Carolina	5,622	5,972	5,670	5,727	5,598	5,890
Texas	15,304	15,429	14,877	14,596	15,331	15,872
Virginia	5,776	6,396	6,255	6,116	6,270	5,817
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,750	11,153	11,243	11,706	11,688	10,648
Other States ¹	9,542	8,730	9,030	9,338	9,448	9,215
United States	212,338	220,830	214,156	216,451	216,505	214,999
Chicks placed						
Alabama	23,520	22,654	22,539	22,988	22,668	22,135
Arkansas	23,643	21,311	19,254	21,153	21,752	21,596
Delaware	4,866	5,055	5,702	5,515	5,351	4,695
Florida	856	588	631	338	704	694
Georgia	26,419	26,419	27,531	24,757	27,478	24,790
Kentucky	6,248	6,066	5,684	5,170	5,883	6,010
Louisiana	3,282	3,099	3,313	3,178	2,827	2,875
Maryland	5,901	5,658	5,294	5,053	5,810	6,072
Mississippi	14,129	14,651	13,887	14,169	14,961	13,800
Missouri	6,043	5,923	5,802	5,068	6,940	5,580
North Carolina	18,215	17,466	16,351	15,923	16,365	15,472
Oklahoma	3,208	5,307	4,740	4,155	3,754	4,349
Pennsylvania	3,995	4,105	4,109	3,966	3,778	4,045
South Carolina	4,664	4,451	4,739	5,096	4,959	4,862
Texas	13,002	11,388	12,865	12,494	12,593	12,206
Virginia	6,135	5,661	5,202	4,644	5,472	5,833
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	9,761	10,899	9,692	9,478	8,990	10,246
Other States ¹	7,373	7,564	7,274	7,361	6,989	7,043
United States	181,260	178,265	174,609	170,506	177,274	172,303

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**Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending
January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)**

State	Week ending					
	October 27	November 3	November 10	November 17	November 24	December 1
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	29,342	28,681	29,949	30,481	30,725	31,107
Arkansas	23,340	22,882	24,091	24,415	24,815	24,834
Delaware	4,667	4,667	4,696	4,722	4,696	5,045
Florida	1,100	1,147	1,194	1,194	1,194	1,194
Georgia	33,204	33,205	33,497	34,631	34,934	37,098
Kentucky	6,290	7,086	7,829	7,740	7,873	8,027
Louisiana	3,833	3,879	3,562	3,668	3,653	4,197
Maryland	8,013	7,926	7,863	7,939	7,994	8,995
Mississippi	18,497	17,159	17,659	18,367	18,569	18,585
Missouri	8,222	7,333	7,711	8,567	8,375	8,460
North Carolina	22,094	21,909	22,058	22,439	22,423	23,044
Oklahoma	6,053	7,574	7,837	7,725	7,500	7,645
Pennsylvania	5,198	5,055	5,080	5,497	5,319	5,466
South Carolina	5,483	4,976	5,616	5,939	5,562	5,881
Texas	15,955	14,659	15,994	16,007	16,343	16,710
Virginia	6,142	5,794	5,632	6,380	6,406	6,771
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,366	11,739	12,007	12,484	12,236	12,731
Other States ¹	8,697	9,234	9,362	9,704	9,712	10,122
United States	217,496	214,905	221,637	227,899	228,329	235,912
Chicks placed						
Alabama	22,526	23,017	21,600	22,765	21,619	22,460
Arkansas	22,292	22,100	19,908	20,111	21,483	21,870
Delaware	4,850	4,311	5,043	3,892	5,765	5,449
Florida	741	828	739	1,301	1,327	1,360
Georgia	26,984	26,201	25,550	25,590	25,116	26,253
Kentucky	5,952	5,917	4,772	4,489	5,389	6,118
Louisiana	2,856	3,143	3,353	3,480	3,006	3,144
Maryland	5,233	6,840	4,707	7,193	5,537	5,189
Mississippi	14,378	13,844	15,232	15,423	14,228	14,666
Missouri	5,932	5,303	5,425	5,636	4,729	5,417
North Carolina	15,351	15,598	17,267	17,702	17,137	17,693
Oklahoma	3,374	3,241	4,564	4,391	4,349	4,399
Pennsylvania	3,955	4,216	3,941	3,841	3,928	4,085
South Carolina	4,151	4,889	4,484	4,134	4,804	4,325
Texas	12,235	12,685	12,936	12,943	11,904	12,973
Virginia	5,624	4,964	5,309	5,417	4,829	5,136
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,437	9,622	10,352	10,105	10,779	10,501
Other States ¹	7,190	7,213	7,215	6,942	7,183	7,270
United States	174,061	173,932	172,397	175,355	173,112	178,308

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Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed – Selected States and United States: Weeks Ending January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018 (continued)

State	Week ending				52 week total	
	December 8	December 15	December 22	December 29	2018 ²	2017 ³
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
Eggs set						
Alabama	30,305	30,829	31,228	31,486	1,572,289	1,548,480
Arkansas	24,409	24,559	24,739	24,830	1,259,656	1,212,546
Delaware	4,674	4,924	4,683	4,804	258,475	255,688
Florida	1,194	1,194	1,194	1,194	61,386	61,589
Georgia	32,563	35,540	35,190	34,842	1,808,364	1,797,361
Kentucky	7,221	7,702	7,792	7,692	399,358	394,443
Louisiana	3,532	3,774	3,744	3,713	188,850	183,328
Maryland	6,775	7,611	7,802	7,674	417,633	425,921
Mississippi	18,569	18,553	18,294	18,318	947,074	924,953
Missouri	7,733	8,172	7,841	7,969	428,541	421,736
North Carolina	21,227	21,949	23,427	23,112	1,148,547	1,134,941
Oklahoma	7,602	7,283	8,000	7,709	395,439	390,842
Pennsylvania	5,191	5,183	5,259	5,349	286,926	252,510
South Carolina	5,560	5,469	5,836	5,897	295,746	292,270
Texas	15,325	14,387	16,010	16,256	832,291	828,940
Virginia	6,074	6,424	6,424	6,439	329,211	338,525
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,637	11,738	12,059	11,932	634,408	632,329
Other States ¹	8,845	9,810	9,435	9,340	489,190	482,873
United States	218,436	225,101	228,957	228,556	11,753,384	11,579,275
Chicks placed						
Alabama	23,021	23,112	23,373	22,452	1,187,031	1,138,893
Arkansas	22,062	22,639	22,301	22,560	1,154,739	1,129,916
Delaware	4,993	5,763	6,391	4,334	278,009	284,759
Florida	1,358	1,340	1,269	1,310	63,428	68,672
Georgia	26,715	26,330	28,268	26,255	1,408,873	1,426,247
Kentucky	5,802	6,205	6,612	6,020	312,384	312,403
Louisiana	3,163	3,167	3,587	3,104	161,148	159,751
Maryland	5,395	5,545	5,805	5,139	300,967	317,604
Mississippi	15,212	15,460	15,433	15,455	782,577	783,621
Missouri	5,797	6,316	6,242	5,630	307,641	306,768
North Carolina	17,559	17,662	18,163	17,485	916,862	886,854
Oklahoma	4,759	3,898	4,290	4,109	208,253	216,864
Pennsylvania	4,125	4,190	4,248	4,005	213,171	196,273
South Carolina	4,893	5,466	5,275	4,506	252,780	254,773
Texas	12,937	13,005	13,666	12,554	681,356	681,558
Virginia	5,789	5,387	6,143	5,223	289,322	291,534
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	11,129	10,230	10,761	10,060	562,707	552,005
Other States ¹	7,779	7,874	7,680	6,566	383,020	372,923
United States	182,488	183,589	189,507	176,767	9,464,268	9,381,418

¹ Includes data for States not published in this table.

² January 6, 2018 through December 29, 2018.

³ January 7, 2017 through December 30, 2017.

Intended Placements Broiler-Type Pullet Chicks for Hatchery Supply Flocks by Month – United States: 2016-2019

[Reported by leading breeders. Coverage may not be 100 percent. Includes expected pullet chicks from eggs sold during the preceding month at the rate of 125 pullet chicks per 30 dozen case of eggs. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	Pullet chicks hatched			2018 as percent of 2017	Cumulative potential placements relative to current supply flocks 7-15 months earlier		
	2016	2017	2018		2017	2018	2019
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(percent)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
United States placements							
January	6,726	7,163	7,133	100	68,802	68,872	70,216
February	8,098	7,832	7,579	97	69,669	69,047	70,100
March	8,143	8,262	8,088	98	70,129	69,492	70,500
April	7,615	7,045	7,688	109	70,194	70,197	71,182
May	8,083	8,159	8,282	102	70,377	70,623	71,318
June	8,500	8,257	8,319	101	69,989	70,734	71,640
July	7,730	7,084	7,473	105	69,381	70,067	72,147
August	7,690	8,155	8,343	102	68,929	70,155	
September	7,609	8,240	8,277	100	68,678	69,575	
October	6,909	7,589	7,269	96	68,440	69,406	
November	7,710	7,943	7,901	99	67,755	70,010	
December	7,535	7,595	8,595	113	68,224	70,137	
Annual total	92,348	93,324	94,947	102	(X)	(X)	
Total placements ¹							
January	8,275	8,764	8,817	101	(X)	(X)	(X)
February	10,098	9,958	9,458	95	(X)	(X)	(X)
March	10,025	10,047	9,782	97	(X)	(X)	(X)
April	9,128	8,592	9,334	109	(X)	(X)	(X)
May	9,954	9,806	10,178	104	(X)	(X)	(X)
June	10,257	9,902	10,140	102	(X)	(X)	(X)
July	9,119	8,597	8,843	103	(X)	(X)	(X)
August	9,708	9,960	10,102	101	(X)	(X)	(X)
September	9,584	10,042	9,886	98	(X)	(X)	(X)
October	8,522	9,605	8,971	93	(X)	(X)	(X)
November	9,379	9,695	9,720	100	(X)	(X)	(X)
December	9,459	9,278	10,470	113	(X)	(X)	(X)
Annual total	113,508	114,246	115,701	101	(X)	(X)	(X)

(X) Not applicable.

¹ United States production of intended placements worldwide.

Intended Placements Egg-Type Pullet Chicks for Hatchery Supply Flocks by Month – United States: 2016-2019

[Reported by leading breeders. Coverage may not be 100 percent. Includes expected pullet chicks from eggs sold during the preceding month at the rate of 125 pullet chicks per 30 dozen case of eggs. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	Pullet chicks hatched			2018 as percent of 2017	Cumulative potential placements relative to current supply flocks 7-18 months earlier ¹		
	2016	2017	2018		2017	2018	2019
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(percent)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
January	148	232	251	108	2,836	3,118	2,446
February	189	189	148	78	2,855	3,035	2,402
March	160	212	195	92	3,013	2,908	2,468
April	351	248	205	83	2,972	2,899	2,446
May	327	393	185	47	2,966	2,824	2,468
June	244	300	178	59	3,019	2,755	2,509
July	286	203	159	78	2,963	2,858	2,515
August	324	197	263	134	3,047	2,877	
September	181	172	150	87	3,047	2,836	
October	324	249	271	109	3,099	2,819	
November	270	201	242	120	2,996	2,776	
December	159	262	268	102	3,062	2,568	
Annual Total	2,963	2,858	2,515	88	(X)	(X)	

(X) Not applicable.

¹ The 7-18 months represent the first laying cycle. Molting and additional laying cycles will increase the cumulative potential placements.

Egg-Type Chicks Hatched by Month – United States: 2017 and 2018

Month	By months			Cumulative		
	2017	2018	2018 as percent of 2017	2017	2018	2018 as percent of 2017
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(percent)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(percent)
January	45,367	51,900	114	45,367	51,900	114
February	48,127	50,148	104	93,494	102,048	109
March	55,919	58,147	104	149,413	160,195	107
April	52,762	58,986	112	202,175	219,181	108
May	53,506	59,756	112	255,681	278,937	109
June	49,722	53,019	107	305,403	331,956	109
July	41,862	50,806	121	347,265	382,762	110
August	45,861	53,207	116	393,126	435,969	111
September	42,725	49,610	116	435,851	485,579	111
October	51,495	54,960	107	487,346	540,539	111
November	48,363	47,043	97	535,709	587,582	110
December	46,697	46,370	99	582,406	633,952	109

Egg-Type Eggs in Incubators First of Month – Regions and United States: 2017

[See regional listing on page 39]

Region	January	February	March	April
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	5,916	6,995	7,725	7,516
East North Central	5,411	6,453	6,628	7,039
West North Central	14,225	18,594	18,696	19,401
South Atlantic	4,442	4,927	4,959	5,062
South Central	4,937	4,883	5,417	5,998
West	5,222	5,953	8,490	6,953
United States	40,153	47,805	51,915	51,969
Region	May	June	July	August
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	7,590	7,167	7,242	7,259
East North Central	6,871	6,520	4,974	5,652
West North Central	17,449	18,147	14,237	14,238
South Atlantic	5,135	5,142	4,635	4,553
South Central	5,585	4,144	4,942	4,455
West	5,716	5,430	5,373	4,333
United States	48,346	46,550	41,403	40,490
Region	September	October	November	December
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	7,293	8,026	7,124	7,672
East North Central	6,166	6,164	6,058	5,795
West North Central	13,481	17,974	17,615	20,318
South Atlantic	4,697	5,042	4,419	4,471
South Central	4,611	4,921	5,323	4,352
West	4,407	4,383	4,775	4,960
United States	40,655	46,510	45,314	47,568

Egg-Type Eggs in Incubators First of Month – Regions and United States: 2018

[See regional listing on page 39]

Region	January	February	March	April
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	7,846	7,051	7,891	7,119
East North Central	6,471	6,575	7,250	6,754
West North Central	18,363	20,584	24,145	24,730
South Atlantic	4,691	5,152	5,130	4,764
South Central	5,056	6,011	6,166	6,208
West	4,311	5,767	5,652	6,494
United States	46,738	51,140	56,234	56,069
Region	May	June	July	August
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	8,140	7,343	6,737	7,754
East North Central	7,439	6,311	5,599	6,038
West North Central	24,678	21,663	20,043	19,376
South Atlantic	4,833	4,795	3,737	3,910
South Central	5,142	5,514	4,981	4,823
West	5,831	4,558	5,096	4,367
United States	56,063	50,184	46,193	46,268
Region	September	October	November	December
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
North Atlantic	8,867	8,253	5,617	9,656
East North Central	5,268	6,749	5,970	6,124
West North Central	20,724	22,085	17,956	20,669
South Atlantic	4,446	4,642	4,908	4,341
South Central	5,130	5,390	4,703	4,962
West	5,601	4,528	5,942	4,717
United States	50,036	51,647	45,096	50,469

Turkey Eggs in Incubators and Poults Hatched by Month – United States: 2017 and 2018

Month	United States		2018 as percent of 2017
	2017	2018	
Eggs in incubators first of month			
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(percent)
January	30,295	28,844	95
February	29,982	28,486	95
March	30,106	28,362	94
April	28,701	28,222	98
May	28,929	28,815	100
June	29,559	28,566	97
July	29,318	28,565	97
August	29,823	29,090	98
September	28,974	27,532	95
October	28,072	28,750	102
November	28,605	30,418	106
December	27,792	28,492	103
Poults hatched entire month			
	(1,000 poults)	(1,000 poults)	(percent)
January	25,412	24,406	96
February	23,679	22,654	96
March	25,812	24,180	94
April	23,278	23,482	101
May	24,168	23,503	97
June	25,125	23,337	93
July	24,691	25,730	104
August	24,868	23,888	96
September	23,530	22,443	95
October	24,393	24,295	100
November	24,532	29,089	119
December	22,272	23,176	104
Annual Total	291,760	290,183	99

Net Turkey Poultry Placements by Month – United States: 2017 and 2018

[Includes imports and excludes exports]

Month	United States		2018 as percent of 2017
	2017	2018	
	(1,000 poults)	(1,000 poults)	(percent)
January	23,046	22,642	98
February	22,078	21,340	97
March	23,636	22,793	96
April	22,237	22,335	100
May	22,639	22,168	98
June	23,950	22,597	94
July	23,987	25,652	107
August	24,321	23,362	96
September	20,670	20,512	99
October	22,030	22,377	102
November	21,319	21,108	99
December	20,648	19,915	96
Annual Total	270,561	266,801	99

Chicken and Turkey Hatcheries and Incubator Egg Capacity – United States: January 1, 2018 and 2019

[Hatchery capacity is defined as the number of eggs the machines can hold in a controlled environment favorable for hatching. All setter, hatcher, and inactive capacity is included]

United States	Hatcheries		Incubator egg capacity	
	2018	2019	2018	2019
	(number)	(number)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
Chicken	288	282	950,624	969,646
Turkey	55	49	41,053	40,975

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Data for annual chicken and turkey hatchery counts and incubator capacities are collected in January from all known hatcheries which have the capacity to hold at least 1,000 chicken and/or turkey eggs. Approximately 300 chicken hatcheries are contacted for information on a weekly, monthly, and/or annual basis. While approximately 50 turkey hatcheries are contacted each month and/or annually. Individual NASS regional field offices maintain a list of all known hatcheries and use known sources to update their lists. Hatcheries are mailed a questionnaire as close to the survey reference date as possible and given adequate time to respond via mail, fax, or electronic data reporting (EDR). Those that do not respond are contacted by phone. Care is exercised to ensure that all sampled hatcheries are accounted for in the estimate.

Data for **chicken hatchery** estimates are collected based on type of chicken hatched. **Broiler-type hatchery** data are collected weekly from all broiler-type hatcheries that hatch at least one million chicks a year. States receiving greater than 500,000 chicks annually for grow-out are included in Other States for chicks placed. **Egg-type hatchery** data are collected monthly from all egg-type hatcheries that hatch at least 50,000 chicks a year. Data for **turkey hatchery** estimates are collected monthly from turkey hatcheries hatching 15,000 or more poults annually.

Estimating Procedures: Sound statistical methodology is employed to derive the estimates from reported data. All data are analyzed for unusual values. Data from each operation are compared to their own past operating profile and to trends from similar operations. Data for missing operations are estimated based on similar operations or historical data. NASS regional field offices prepare these estimates by using a combination of survey indications and historic trends. Individual State estimates are reviewed by the Agricultural Statistics Board for reasonableness.

For **chicken hatcheries**, chicks hatched consist of all chicks of domesticated breeds including males and chicks intended for hatchery supply flocks and research purposes. Eggs set are eggs in incubators for the purpose of hatching. The relationship of egg-type chicks hatched to chicken inventory and poultry marketings are carefully monitored. Broiler chicks placed are specifically placed for meat production. Intended placement data reported by leading breeders include pullet chicks expected from eggs sold the preceding month. The breeders in this report account for a large percentage of replacement pullets for hatchery supply flocks. Production of replacement pullets by these breeders indicates the number of pullets available to hatchery supply layer flocks several months before the pullets will actually move into the laying flocks. "Hatchery Supply Flocks" include all generations of layers which could lay eggs to supply a hatchery. This includes the generations of parents, grandparents, great-grandparents, pedigree, etc. Also included are research flocks, vaccine flocks, and specific pathogen-free flocks. The broiler cumulative potential placements are a moving total of the intended placements 7-15 months earlier. The egg-type cumulative potential placements of 7-18 months earlier represent the first laying cycle. Molting and additional laying cycles will increase the cumulative potential placements of egg-type hatching flocks.

For **turkey hatcheries**, only United States level estimates for eggs in incubators, poults hatched, and net turkey placements are published for all known turkey hatcheries hatching 15,000 or more poults annually. Net poults placed refer to placement of poults from hatcheries in the United States, including imported poults and excluding exported poults.

Revision Policy: Revisions are generally the result of late or corrected data. Revisions made to any weekly or monthly data during the year are published in this report.

Reliability: Hatchery estimates are based on a census of all known operating hatcheries and therefore, have no sampling error. However, estimates are subject to errors such as omission, duplication, and mistakes in reporting, recording, and processing the data. While these errors cannot be measured directly, they are minimized through strict quality controls in the data collection process and a careful review of all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

Broiler-Type Regional Listing

North Atlantic:	New York, Pennsylvania.
East North Central:	Indiana, Ohio, Wisconsin.
West North Central:	Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri.
South Atlantic:	Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.
South Central:	Alabama, Arkansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas.
West:	California, Oregon, Washington.

Egg-Type Regional Listing

North Atlantic:	Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania.
East North Central:	Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin.
West North Central:	Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska.
South Atlantic:	Florida, Georgia, Virginia.
South Central:	Alabama, Mississippi, Texas.
West:	California, Idaho, New Mexico.

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