
Turkey Hatchery



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EGGS IN INCUBATORS MARCH 1

The turkey eggs in incubators on March 1, 1984, totaled 22.4 million, 3 percent below the 23.1 million a year earlier, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

POULTS PLACED DURING FEBRUARY

The 15.3 million poults placed during February in the United States were 2 percent more than placements a year ago.

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TURKEY HATCHERY PRODUCTION

MONTHLY POULT PLACEMENTS WITHIN UNITED STATES BY TYPE

MONTH	HEAVY BREEDS 1/		LIGHT BREEDS 2/		TOTAL		PERCENT OF PREVIOUS YEAR
	1982-83	1983-84	1982-83	1983-84	1982-83	1983-84	
	THOUSANDS						PERCENT
SEP	7,849	7,939	180	171	8,029	8,110	101
OCT	9,477	9,033	171	159	9,648	9,192	95
NOV	11,442	10,742	162	222	11,604	10,964	94
DEC	11,544	12,343	589	230	12,133	12,573	104
JAN	13,186	3/	589	3/	13,775	4/14,038	102
FEB	14,438	3/	568	3/	15,006	15,316	102
MAR	18,375		583		18,958		
APR	19,076		675		19,751		
MAY	20,223		651		20,874		
JUN	20,196		688		20,884		
JUL	18,405		742		19,147		
AUG	12,019		591		12,610		

1/ NORMAL MATURE MARKETING WEIGHT 12 POUNDS AND OVER. 2/ NORMAL MATURE MARKETING WEIGHT UNDER 12 POUNDS. 3/ BREAKDOWN BY BREEDS NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. 4/ REVISED.

ALL TURKEYS

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION	EGGS IN INCUBATORS MAR 1 1/		PERCENT OF PREVIOUS YEAR	POULTS PLACED DURING FEB 2/		PERCENT OF PREVIOUS YEAR
	1983	1984		1983	1984	
	THOUSANDS		PERCENT	THOUSANDS		PERCENT
N ATLANTIC	563	651	116	235	232	99
E N CENTRAL	2,862	2,556	89	2,070	1,292	62
W N CENTRAL	8,120	7,618	94	4,658	4,867	104
S ATLANTIC	5,281	5,037	95	3,845	4,345	113
S CENTRAL	2,126	2,308	109	1,543	1,664	108
WEST	4,160	4,190	101	2,655	2,916	110
U S	23,112	22,360	97	15,006	15,316	102

1/ BREAKDOWN BY BREEDS NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. 2/ EXCLUDES EXPORTED POULTS.

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