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# TEXAS BROILERS 

## TEXAS

Weekly broiler placements increased 8 percent from last year to 5.64 million chicks. Placements were also up 8 percent from the previous week.

Texas producers hatched 5.85 million chicks, 83 percent of the eggs set during: the week ending November 7. The hatch was up 3 percent from a year ago and 6 percent from last week.

The weekly egg set totaled 7.03 million eggs, up 3 percent from last year but down 1 percent from a week ago.

Texas producers shipped 172,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

## TWELVE STATES

Weekly placements in the twelve leading broiler producing states totaled 91.23 million chicks, up 5 percent from a year ago and 3 percent from last week.

The weekly egg set increased 6 percent from last year to 117.36 million eggs. The set was down slightly from the previous week.

TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

| Week Ending 1/ | Broiler Eggs Set |  |  | Broiler Chicks Hatched |  |  | Broiler Chicks Placed 2/ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year |  | $1987 \text { as }$ percent of 1986 | Year |  | $1987 \text { as }$ percent of 1986 | Year |  | 1987 as percent of 1986 |
|  | 1986 | 1987 |  | 1986 | 1987 |  | 1986 | 1987 |  |
|  | - Thousand - |  | - Percent - | - Thousand - |  | - Percent - | - Thousand - |  | - Percent - |
| Oct. 24 | 5,881 | 5,995 | 102 | 5,423 | 5,673 | 105 | 4,950 | 5,387 | 109 |
| Oct. 31 | 6,223 | 6,680 | 107 | 4,306 | 4,843 | 112 | 3,937 | 4,549 | 116 |
| Nov. 7 | 6,830 | 7,053 | 103 | 5,048 | 5,100 | 101 | 4,468 | 4,905 | 110 |
| Nov. 14 | 6,751 | 7,140 | 106 | 4,752 | 4,956 | 104 | 4,356 | 4,763 | 109 |
| Nov. 21 | 6,697 | 7,118 | 106 | 5,098 | 5,519 | 108 | 4,755 | 5,236 | 110 |
| Nov. 28 | 6,801 | 7,028 | 103 | 5,683 | 5,850 | 103 | 5,216 | 5,641 | 108 |

1/ Comparable week for previous year. 2/ Total chicks hatched, plus inshipments minus outshipments, and chicks sold or kept for other purposes.

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## EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED SELECTED STATES

BROILER EGGS SET IN 12 SELECTED STATES

| STATE | EGGS SET (000) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | WEEK ENDING |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | : OCT 24 | OCT 31 | NOV 07 | NOV 14 | NOV 21 | NOV 28 |
| : 15,120 17,711 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ALA | : 15,129 | 17,711 | 18,979* | 19,496 | 19,111 | 19,238 |
| ARK | : 20,978 | 23,044 | 23,130* | 23,761 | 23,912 | 24,321 |
| CALIF | : 4,724 | 5,184 | 5,256 | 5,051 | 5,245 | 5,126 |
| DEL | : 3,577 | 4,362 | 4,326 | 4,399 | 4,361* | 4,049 |
| FLA | : 2,284 | 3,186 | 3,290 | 3,082 | 3,285 | 3,315 |
| GA | : 16,347 | 18,393 | 18,674* | 18,946 | 18,943 | 19,564 |
| MD | : 7,969 | 7,934 | 7,967 | 8,418 | 8,056* | 7,161 |
| MISS | : 7,071 | 7,381 | 7,991* | 8,078 | 8,081 | 8,048 |
| N C | : 11,663 | 11,849 | 12,197 | 12,202 | 12,306 | 12,267 |
| PA | : 2,964 | 3,250 | 3,317 | 3,133 | 3,353 | 3,521 |
| TEX | : 5,995 | 6,680 | 7,053 | 7,140 | 7,118 | 7,028 |
| VA | 3,357 | 3,583 | 3,778 | 3,594 | 3,729 | 3,722 |
| 1987 TOTAL | : 102,058 | 112,557 | 115,958* | 117,300 | 117,500* | 117,360 |
| 1986 TOTAL | : 103,092 | 108,830 | 112,545 | 112,463 | 112,180 | 111,120 |
| \% OF PREV YR | : 99 | 103 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 106 |

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BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

| STATE | CHICKS PLACED (000) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | WEEK ENDING |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | OCT 24 | OCT 31 | NOV 07 | NOV 14 | NOV 21 | NOV 28 |
| : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ALA | 13,868 | 13,968 | 12,313 | 10,974 | 12,714 | 13,704 |
| ARK | 18,224 | 17,997 | 15,956 | 16,413 | 17,976 | 18,063 |
| CALIF | 3,955 | 3,822 | 3,179 | 3,857 | 4,189 | 4,240 |
| DEL | 4,877 | 3,276 | 4,040 | 4,082 | 4,252* | 4,403 |
| FLA | : 2,330 | 2,391 | 2,328 | 1,705 | 2,496 | 2,462 |
| GA | 14,969 | 14,017 | 12,551 | 12,815 | 14,670 | 15,320 |
| MD | 4,364 | 5,224 | 4,135 | 4,949 | 5,342* | 5,116 |
| MISS | : 6,949 | 7,130 | 7,046 | 6,235 | 6,484 | 6,972 |
| N C | : 8,892 | 9,170 | 8,255 | 9,261 | 9,233 | 9,038 |
| PA | : 2,290 | 2,587 | 2,336 | 2,147 | 2,269 | 2,445 |
| TEX | : 5,387 | 4,549 | 4,905 | 4,763 | 5,236 | 5,641 |
| VA | : 2,961 | 3,430 | 3,456 | 3,172 | 3,404* | 3,826 |
| 1987 TOTAL | : 89,066 | 87,561 | 80,500 | 80,373 | 88,265* | 91,230 |
| 1986 TOTAL | : 83,824 | 81,482 | 76,349 | 78,036 | 82,577 | 86,812 |
| \% OF PREV YR | : 106 | 107 | 105 | 103 | 107 | 105 |

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