

TEXAS BROILERS

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Weekly broiler placements totaled 4.91 million chicks, an increase of 10 percent from last year and 8 percent from the previous week.

Texas producers hatched 5.10 million chicks, 83 percent of the eggs set during the week ending October 17. The hatch was up 1 percent from last year and 5 percent from the previous week.

The weekly set increased 3 percent from last year to 7.05 million eggs. The set was up 7 percent from last week.

Texas producers shipped 155,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

TWELVE STATES

Weekly placements in the twelve leading broiler producing states totaled 80.45 million chicks, up 5 percent from a year ago but down 8 percent from last week.

Producers set 115.24 million eggs, an increase of 2 percent from last year and 3 percent from the previous week.

TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

Week Ending 1/	Broiler Eggs Set			Broiler Chicks Hatched			Broiler Chicks Placed 2/		
	Year		1987 as percent of 1986	Year		1987 as percent of 1986	Year		1987 as percent of 1986
	1986	1987		1986	1987		1986	1987	
	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -
Oct. 3	6,592	6,864	104	5,376	5,609	104	4,844	5,260	109
Oct. 10	5,292	5,773	109	5,476	5,379	98	5,019	5,064	101
Oct. 17	6,187	6,179	100	5,090	4,321	85	4,672	4,046	87
Oct. 24	5,881	5,657	96	5,423	5,673	105	4,950	5,387	109
Oct. 31	6,223	*6,595	106	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

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

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BROILER EGGS SET IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	OCT 03	OCT 10	OCT 17	OCT 24	OCT 31	NOV 07
ALA	18,988	19,061	17,349*	15,593	17,370	18,798
ARK	23,992	22,662	20,358*	20,978	23,044	22,812
CALIF	4,969	4,682	3,892	4,724	5,184	5,256
DEL	4,233	3,864	3,390	3,577	4,362	4,326
FLA	3,194	3,211	2,729	2,420	3,290	3,290
GA	18,892	17,560	15,811	16,041*	18,276*	18,555
MD	7,589	7,083	7,016	7,807	7,834	7,967
MISS	8,001	8,056	8,039	7,071	7,381	7,891
N C	11,831	11,727	10,904	11,663	11,849	12,197
PA	3,230	3,440	3,009	2,964	3,250	3,317
TEX	6,864	5,773	6,179	5,657	6,595*	7,053
VA	2,697	3,591	3,540	3,357	3,583	3,778
1987 TOTAL	114,480	110,710	102,216*	101,852*	112,018*	115,240
1986 TOTAL	109,679	107,956	100,314	103,092	108,830	112,545
% OF PREV YR	104	103	102	99	103	102

* REVISED

BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	OCT 03	OCT 10	OCT 17	OCT 24	OCT 31	NOV 07
ALA	13,532	12,542	12,559	13,868	13,968	12,313
ARK	17,628	17,057	17,621	18,224	17,997	15,956
CALIF	3,717	3,577	4,010	3,955	3,824	3,179
DEL	3,612	3,735	4,237	4,877	3,276	4,040
FLA	2,453	2,165	2,139	2,330	2,391	2,328
GA	13,941	12,830	14,528	14,969*	14,017*	12,503
MD	4,484	4,498	4,983	4,364	5,224	4,135
MISS	6,903	6,671	6,368	6,949	7,130	7,046
N C	7,103	7,865	7,797	8,892	9,170	8,255
PA	2,340	2,301	2,405	2,290	2,587	2,336
TEX	5,260	5,064	4,046	5,387	4,549*	4,905
VA	3,064	3,083	3,410	2,961	3,430	3,456
1987 TOTAL	84,037	81,388	84,103	89,066*	87,563*	80,452
1986 TOTAL	80,844	79,043	81,120	83,824	81,482	76,349
% OF PREV YR	104	103	104	106	107	105

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