



TEXAS BROILERS

For week ending July 18, 1987
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NON-CIRCULATING

TEXAS

Weekly broiler placements totaled 5.26 million chicks, up 15 percent from last year but down 3 percent from the previous week.

Texas producers hatched 5.58 million chicks, 81 percent of the eggs set during the week ending June 27. The hatch was up 14 percent from a year ago but down 3 percent from last week.

The weekly set increased 2 percent from last year to 6.76 million eggs. The set was 1 percent above a week ago.

Texas producers shipped 274,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

TWELVE STATES

In the twelve leading broiler producing states weekly placements totaled 90.14 million chicks, an increase of 11 percent from last year but down 2 percent from the previous week.

The weekly egg set totaled 113.94 million eggs, up 3 percent from a year ago but down 1 percent from last 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 -
June 13	6,913	6,874	99	5,734	5,874	102	4,998	5,527	111
June 20	6,909	7,103	103	5,780	5,864	101	5,092	5,557	109
June 27	6,042	6,922	115	5,715	5,981	105	5,273	5,533	105
July 4	6,598	6,245	95	5,602	5,613	100	5,075	5,360	106
July 11	6,715	6,682	100	5,640	5,763	102	5,196	5,436	105
July 18	6,657	6,763	102	4,876	5,575	114	4,576	5,260	115

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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BROILER EGGS SET IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	JUN 13	JUN 20	JUN 27	JUL 04	JUL 11	JUL 18
ALA	18,330	18,228*	17,800*	16,115	17,775	17,854
ARK	23,373	23,223	22,605	22,287	23,161	22,242
CALIF	4,979	4,966	4,727	4,712	4,817	4,887
DEL	4,550	4,529	4,435	4,355	4,374	4,313
FLA	3,349	3,345	3,281	3,129	3,102	3,283
GA	19,605	19,840	19,069	18,109	19,380	18,700
MD	8,738	8,765	8,429	7,875	8,188	8,170
MISS	8,339	8,265	8,252	7,248	7,928	8,215
N C	13,683	13,620	13,244	12,859	13,347	12,857
PA	3,223	3,319	3,334*	2,932	3,295	3,134
TEX	6,874	7,103	6,922	6,245	6,682	6,763
VA	3,532	3,591	3,592	3,455	3,474	3,519
1987 TOTAL	118,575	118,794*	115,690*	109,321	115,523	113,937
1986 TOTAL	110,795	110,838	105,571	110,117	109,891	110,171
% OF PREV YR	107	107	110	99	105	103

*REVISED.

BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	JUN 13	JUN 20	JUN 27	JUL 04	JUL 11	JUL 18
ALA	13,123	13,422	13,521	13,507	13,281	13,150
ARK	17,181	18,229	18,876	18,108	17,508	17,745
CALIF	4,077	4,143	4,012	4,115	4,147	3,910
DEL	4,925	4,497	5,011	4,319	4,357	4,961
FLA	2,653	2,282	2,472	2,565	2,502	2,304
GA	15,503	15,562	15,623	15,231	15,553	14,963
MD	5,584	5,712	5,254	6,227	5,897	5,405
MISS	7,153	7,226	7,205	7,230	7,186	7,076
N C	9,678	9,921	9,904	9,619	9,972	9,588
PA	2,457	2,441	2,541	2,279	2,521	2,466
TEX	5,527	5,557	5,533	5,360	5,436	5,260
VA	3,362	3,245	3,328	3,393	3,380	3,316
1987 TOTAL	91,223	92,237	93,280	91,953	91,740	90,144
1986 TOTAL	86,494	85,975	85,939	85,830	85,385	81,253
% OF PREV YR	105	107	109	107	107	111

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