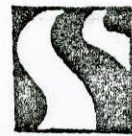


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## TEXAS

The weekly broiler placements totaled 4.76 million chicks, down 3 percent from last year but up 9 percent from the previous week.

Texas producers hatched almost 5.10 million chicks, 82 percent of the eggs set during the week of November 1. The hatch was 3 percent below a year ago but 7 percent above last week.

The weekly egg set increased 4 percent from a year earlier to almost 6.70 million. The set was down 1 percent from last week.

Texas producers shipped 332,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

## TWELVE STATES

In the twelve leading broiler producing states weekly placements totaled 82.67 million chicks, up 1 percent from last year and 6 percent from the previous week.

The weekly egg set, at 112.10 million, was 4 percent above a year ago. The set was up slightly from last week.

### TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

Week Ending <u>1/</u>	Broiler Eggs Set			Broiler Chicks Hatched			Broiler Chicks Placed <u>2/</u>		
	Year		1986 as percent of 1985	Year		1986 as percent of 1985	Year		1986 as percent of 1985
	1985	1986		1985	1986		1985	1986	
	<i>- Thousand -</i>		<i>- Percent -</i>	<i>- Thousand -</i>			<i>- Thousand -</i>		<i>- Percent -</i>
Oct. 18	5,692	6,187	109	5,075	5,090	100	4,491	4,672	104
Oct. 25	5,866	5,881	100	4,207	5,423	129	3,589	4,949	138
Nov. 1	6,480	6,223	96	4,289	4,306	100	3,642	3,937	108
Nov. 8	6,362	6,773	106	4,521	5,048	112	3,961	4,468	113
Nov. 15	6,449	6,751	105	4,725	4,752	101	4,115	4,356	106
Nov. 22	6,469	6,697	104	5,279	5,098	97	4,901	4,755	97

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					
	OCT 18	OCT 25	NOV 01	NOV 08	NOV 15	NOV 22
ALA	14,560	15,243	15,662*	16,984	17,320	17,757
ARK	19,584	20,279	21,749	22,594	22,725	22,504
CALIF	4,687	4,918	4,938	4,962	4,697	4,151
DEL	3,271	3,896	4,389	4,316	4,369	4,330
FLA	2,789	3,003	3,156	3,215	2,887	3,005
GA	15,639	16,398	17,967*	17,447	17,576	18,204
MD	8,110	8,254	8,568	8,734	8,603	8,360
MISS	7,250	6,846	7,101	7,572	7,486	7,679
N C	12,583	12,629	13,488	13,607	13,293	13,351
PA	2,741	2,725	2,968	2,944	2,899	2,797
TEX	6,187	5,881	6,223	6,773	6,751	6,697
VA	2,964	3,276	2,866	3,298	3,314	3,262
1986 TOTAL	100,365	103,348	109,075*	112,446	111,920	112,097
1985 TOTAL	91,595	97,589	106,566	105,826	107,547	107,667
% OF PREV YR	110	106	102	106	104	104

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BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	OCT 18	OCT 25	NOV 01	NOV 08	NOV 15	NOV 22
ALA	11,636	12,476	11,932	10,741	10,955	11,769
ARK	15,781	16,957	16,106	14,432	15,118	15,768
CALIF	3,650	3,492	3,413	3,770	3,951	3,962
DEL	4,729	4,087	4,269	3,494	4,306	4,255
FLA	2,237	2,257	2,327	2,071	2,146	2,141
GA	13,596	13,915	13,608	12,172	12,259	13,806
MD	5,116	5,707	5,067	5,232	4,927	5,756
MISS	6,082	6,516	6,580	6,274	5,974	6,165
N C	8,816	8,538	9,237	8,990	8,924	9,388
PA	2,218	2,107	2,242	2,003	2,022	2,110
TEX	4,672	4,949	3,937	4,468	4,356	4,755
VA	2,270	2,877	2,764	2,724	3,127	2,793
1986 TOTAL	80,803	83,878	81,482	76,371	78,065	82,668
1985 TOTAL	76,912	77,582	76,864	70,497	74,707	82,143
% OF PREV YR	105	108	106	108	104	101

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