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Weekly broiler placements totaled 4.72 million chicks, up 9 percent from last year and 1 percent from the previous week.

Producers hatched 5.19 million chicks, 79 percent of the eggs set during the week of July 26. The hatch increased 4 percent from a year ago but was down 3 percent from last week.

The weekly egg set increased 1 percent from last year to 6.27 million. The set was 3 percent below the previous week.

Texas producers shipped 456,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

TWELVE STATES

In the twelve leading broiler producing states weekly placements totaled 81.61 million chicks, up 2 percent from last year but down 2 percent from the previous week.

The weekly egg set was up 5 percent from a year ago to 106.72 million. The set was slightly below 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	
	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -
July 12	6,040	6,715	111	5,031	5,640	112	4,194	5,196	124
July 19	6,140	6,657	108	4,716	4,876	103	4,130	4,576	111
July 26	6,127	6,561	107	5,130	5,310	104	4,441	4,811	108
Aug. 2	6,095	*6,659	109	5,002	*5,246	105	4,299	*4,700	109
Aug. 9	6,109	*6,450	106	5,051	*5,333	106	4,271	*4,676	109
Aug. 16	6,180	6,267	101	5,000	5,191	104	4,315	4,719	109

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					
	JUL 12	JUL 19	JUL 26	AUG 02	AUG 09	AUG 16
ALA	17,088	17,332	17,073*	17,013	16,709	17,099
ARK	22,043	22,203	22,382	22,143	20,706	20,268
CALIF	4,213	4,784	4,811	4,803	4,778	4,826
DEL	4,166	4,139	4,082	3,970	4,045	3,962
FLA	3,068	2,954	3,089	3,160	2,858	3,112
GA	17,985	17,729	17,964*	17,840	18,362	18,238
MD	8,433	8,209	7,772	7,924	7,826	8,009
MISS	7,772	7,636	7,539	7,473	7,479	7,235
N C	12,391	12,310	12,311	12,044	12,155	11,756
PA	2,986	2,999	2,866	2,914	2,984	2,950
TEX	6,715	6,657	6,561	6,659*	6,450*	6,267
VA	3,309	3,317	3,186	3,141	2,907	3,000
1986 TOTAL	110,169	110,269	109,636*	109,084*	107,259*	106,722
1985 TOTAL	104,112	104,010	104,382	103,308	102,538	102,022
% OF PREV YR	106	106	105	106	105	105

* REVISED

BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	JUL 12	JUL 19	JUL 26	AUG 02	AUG 09	AUG 16
ALA	12,205	11,586	12,369	12,069	12,232	12,006
ARK	16,425	15,675	16,746	16,692	16,520*	16,442
CALIF	4,078	3,587	3,696	3,343	3,782	3,770
DEL	4,199	4,406	4,488	3,968	4,271	3,770
FLA	2,340	2,203	2,034	2,466	2,145	2,211
GA	14,167	13,361	14,166	14,222	14,135	13,793
MD	5,622	5,409	5,183	5,554	5,085	5,112
MISS	6,802	6,352	6,469	6,715	6,674	6,600
N C	8,794	9,041	9,341	8,728	7,985	8,300
PA	2,210	1,972	2,021	2,147	2,161	2,052
TEX	5,196	4,576	4,811	4,700*	4,676*	4,719
VA	3,332	3,074	3,028	3,296	3,315	2,835
1986 TOTAL	85,370	81,242	84,352	83,900*	82,981*	81,610
1985 TOTAL	80,821	77,200	80,847	80,892	80,672	79,759
% OF PREV YR	106	105	104	104	103	102

* REVISED