

Texas Broilers

For week ending June 8, 1985
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NON-CIRCULATING

TEXAS

Weekly broiler placements totaled 4.53 million chicks, an increase of 6 percent from last year but down 2 percent from the previous week.

Texas producers hatched 5.29 million chicks, 83 percent of the eggs set during the week of May 18. The weekly hatch was up 3 percent from a year ago and up slightly from last week.

The weekly set totaled 6.45 million eggs, an increase of 3 percent from last year and 2 percent from the previous week.

Texas producers shipped 731,000 broiler chicks to Alabama and Arkansas, while no inshipments were received.

NINETEEN STATES

In the nineteen leading broiler producing states, weekly placements totaled 89.75 million chicks, up 3 percent from last year and 1 percent from the previous week.

The weekly egg set, at 112.96 million, was 4 percent above a year ago. The set was down slightly from last week.

TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

Week Ending 1/	Broiler Eggs Set			Broiler Chicks Hatched			Broiler Chicks Placed 2/		
	Year		1985 as percent of 1984	Year		1985 as percent of 1984	Year		1985 as percent of 1984
	1984	1985		1984	1985		1984	1985	
	- Thousand -	- Percent -		- Thousand -	- Percent -		- Thousand -	- Percent -	
May 4	6,220	6,426	103	5,174	5,277	102	4,460	4,523	101
May 11	6,224	6,322	102	4,757	5,272	111	3,964	4,545	115
May 18	6,279	6,404	102	5,059	5,242	104	4,264	4,460	105
May 25	6,266	6,512	104	5,142	5,424	105	4,329	4,641	107
June 1	6,185	6,347	103	5,088	5,273	104	4,310	4,624	107
June 8	6,245	6,450	103	5,118	5,294	103	4,268	4,526	106

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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BROILERS: EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED IN 19 STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)						CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING			WEEK ENDING			WEEK ENDING			WEEK ENDING		
	MAY 25	JUN 01	JUN 08	APR 20	APR 27	MAY 04	MAY 11	MAY 18	MAY 25	JUN 01	JUN 08	
ALA	16,620	16,583	16,900	11,740	11,876	12,012	11,939	11,408	11,771	11,879	11,847	
ARK	19,814	20,269	20,132	15,168	15,067	16,178	15,762	15,814	15,095	14,777	15,286	
CALIF	4,215	4,449	4,322	3,762	3,791	3,849	3,445	3,582	3,621	3,769	3,395	
DEL	3,905	3,902*	3,887	4,518	4,594	4,871	4,467	3,909	3,705	4,132*	3,819	
FLA	3,086	3,048	3,052	2,232	2,260*	2,175	2,188	2,334	1,999	2,090	2,031	
GA	17,356	17,104	17,129	14,401	14,274	14,118	14,435	13,830	14,486	14,330	14,330	
MD	8,792	8,872*	8,887	5,810	5,692	5,116	5,579	5,860	6,261	6,064*	6,198	
MISS	7,444	7,452	7,377	6,841	6,752	6,793	6,828	6,783	6,799	6,741	6,605	
N C	12,748	12,564	12,541	9,294	9,254	9,331	9,159	9,207	9,329	9,457	9,393	
PA	2,825	2,695*	2,657	2,030	1,992	2,005	2,042	1,921	1,993	1,858	2,014	
S C	1,440	1,440	1,389	1,204	1,255	1,274	1,183	1,195	1,025	879	1,275	
TENN <u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	
TEX	6,512	6,347	6,450	4,491	4,702	4,523	4,545	4,460	4,641	4,624	4,526	
VA	3,863	3,821	3,803	3,224	3,211	3,171	3,233	3,056	3,312	3,051	3,093	
W VA	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	556	564	661	556	570	592	555	603	
LA & MO <u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	4,597	5,355	4,051	4,324	4,202	4,894	4,244	3,077	
OR & WA <u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	796	835	954	1,027	859	860	847	847	
1985 TOTAL	113,069	113,089*	112,961	90,664	91,474*	91,082	90,712	88,990	90,383	89,297*	89,753	
1984 TOTAL	108,239	109,050	108,928	87,023	88,363	87,422	86,900	85,897	87,032	86,993	87,028	
% OF PREV YR	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	103	103	

1/ W VA COMBINED WITH VA. TENN COMBINED WITH LA & MO. 2/ COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. * REVISED

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