

# Texas Broilers

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## TEXAS

Texas broiler producers placed 5.03 million chicks during the week, an increase of 14 percent from last year and up slightly from the previous week.

The weekly hatch of 5.69 million chicks represented 77 percent of the eggs set during the week of February 22. The hatch was up 11 percent from a year ago and 3 percent from last week.

Producers set 6.90 million eggs, up 11 percent from a year earlier. The set was unchanged from last week.

Texas producers shipped 611,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

## TWELVE STATES

Weekly placements in the the twelve leading broiler producing states totaled 84.16 million chicks, up 3 percent from last year and 1 percent from the previous week.

The weekly egg set increased 4 percent from last year to 109.45 million. The set was 1 percent below a week ago.

### 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	
	<u>- Thousand -</u>		<u>- Percent -</u>	<u>- Thousand -</u>		<u>- Percent -</u>	<u>- Thousand -</u>		<u>- Percent -</u>
Feb. 8	6,186	6,757	109	5,065	5,197	103	4,394	4,538	103
Feb. 15	6,250	6,757	108	5,006	5,296	106	4,284	4,681	109
Feb. 22	6,293	*7,427	118	5,109	5,528	108	4,298	4,780	111
Mar. 1	6,253	6,993	112	5,110	5,484	107	4,411	4,900	111
Mar. 8	6,214	6,903	111	5,129	5,536	108	4,442	5,013	113
Mar. 15	6,195	6,903	111	5,139	5,687	111	4,428	5,031	114

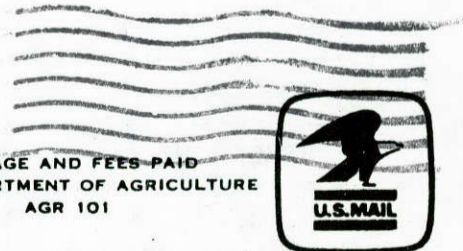
1/ Comparable week for previous year. 2/ Total chicks hatched, plus inshipments minus outshipments, and chicks sold or kept for other purposes. \* Revised.

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## BROILER EGGS SET IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	FEB 08	FEB 15	FEB 22	MAR 01	MAR 08	MAR 15
ALA	16,928	16,958	16,875*	16,909	16,759	16,796
ARK	20,942	21,232	21,352	21,107	21,579	21,372
CALIF	5,173	4,835	4,712	4,630	4,869	4,310
DEL	4,175	4,160	4,211	4,205	4,212	4,196
FLA	3,120	3,129	3,125	3,147	3,114	3,146
GA	17,489	17,757	17,939	17,802	17,968	17,909
MD	8,695	8,803	8,479	8,701	8,603	8,806
MISS	7,616	7,641	7,760	7,654	7,676	7,688
N C	12,148	12,350	12,432	12,559	12,841	12,613
PA	2,564	2,462	2,367	2,447	2,437*	2,454
TEX	6,757	6,757	7,427*	6,993	6,903	6,903
VA	3,121	3,176	3,197	3,203	3,081	3,258
1986 TOTAL	108,728	109,260	109,876*	109,357	110,042*	109,451
1985 TOTAL	104,881	105,585	105,135	105,870	106,274	105,692
% OF PREV YR	104	103	105	103	104	104

\* REVISED

## BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	FEB 08	FEB 15	FEB 22	MAR 01	MAR 08	MAR 15
ALA	11,352	11,317	11,957	11,886	12,130	11,984
ARK	14,962	15,515	15,384	15,218	15,052	15,550
CALIF	3,599	4,004	4,018	4,232	4,012	3,915
DEL	3,610	4,151	4,181	3,781	4,314	4,421
FLA	2,098	2,294	2,136	2,323	2,221	2,266
GA	13,759	13,627	14,088	13,880	14,311	14,430
MD	5,648	5,349	5,501	5,949	5,468	5,477
MISS	6,182	6,538	6,616	6,673	6,745	6,777
N C	8,493	8,758	9,214	8,958	9,084	9,335
PA	1,821	2,054	1,894	1,965	1,928	1,881
TEX	4,538	4,681	4,780	4,900	5,013	5,031
VA	3,536	2,388	3,210	3,086	3,065	3,091
1986 TOTAL	79,598	80,676	82,979	82,851	83,343	84,158
1985 TOTAL	79,769	77,674	79,158	80,979	81,643	81,880
% OF PREV YR	100	104	105	102	102	103

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