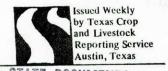
Texas Broilers

For week ending May 10, 1986 Released: May 14, 1986

NON-CIRCULATING



TEXAS STATE BOOUMENTS

COLLECTION

TEXAS

Texas broiler operators placed 5.02 million chicks during the week, an increase of 10 percent from last year and up slightly from the previous week.

The weekly hatch, at 5.72 million chicks, represented 82 percent of the eggs set during the week of April 19. The hatch was up 8 percent from a year ago and up slightly from last week.

Producers set 6.94 million eggs, 10 percent above last year. The set was 1 percent below the previous week.

Texas producers shipped 671,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

TWELVE STATES

In the twelve leading broiler producing states weekly placements totaled 85.28 million chicks, an increase of 2 percent from last year and up slightly from the previous week.

The weekly egg set, at 110.17 million eggs, was 5 percent above a year ago. The set was down 1 percent from last week.

TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

	Broiler Eggs Set			Broile	r Chicks Ha	atched	Broiler Chicks Placed 2/		
Week Ending <u>1</u> /	Ye	ar	1986 as	Year		1986 as	Year		1986 as
	1985	1986	percent of 1985	1985	1986	percent of 1985	1985	1986	percent of 1985
	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- <u>Percent</u> -	- Thousand -		- Percent -
Apr. 5	6,356	7,005	110	5,151	5,645	110	4,451	5,078	114
Apr. 12	6,407	7,000	109	5,155	5,733	111	4,471	5,036	113
Apr. 19	6,404	6,945	108	5,216	5,705	109	4,491	5,092	113
Apr. 26	6,491	7,354	113	5,446	6,236	115	4,749	5,454	1.15
May 3	6,426	6,993	109	5,277	5,714	108	4,523	5,009	111
May 10	6,322	6,936	110	5,272	5,718	108	4,545	5,018	110

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

	:			EGGS SET	(000)					
STATE		: WEEK ENDING								
	:	APR 05 :	APR 12 :	APR 19 :	APR 26 :	MAY 03 :	MAY 10			
	:									
ALA	:	16,886	16,899	16,899	16,428	17,098	17,296			
ARK	:	21,738	21,918	21,874	21,813	21,769	21,385			
CALIF	:	4,506	4,602	4,519	4,240	4,872	3,717			
DEL	:	4,226	4,102	3,982	4,141	4,229	4,192			
FLA	:	3,156	3,119	3,115	3,122	3,139	3,129			
GA	:	18,032	18,086	17,987*	17,221	18,067	17,987			
MD	:	8,880	8,532	8,678	8,480	8,945	8,867			
MISS	:	7,603	7,702	7,717	7,538	7,675	7,673			
N C	:	12,593	12,715	12,627	12,751	12,946	12,971			
PA	:	2,706	2,883	2,689	2,408	2,565	2,735			
TEX	:	7,005	7,000	6,945	7,354	6,993	6,936			
VA	:	3,280	3,280	3,280	3,266	3,272	3,282			
1986 TOTAL	:	110,611	110,838	110,312*	108,762	111,570	110,170			
1985 TOTAL	:	106,662	106,615	106,177	105,369	106,070	105,269			
OF PREV YR	:	104	104	104	103	105	105			

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BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

	:	CHICKS PLACED (000)							
STATE :		WEEK ENDING							
y - 1	:	APR 05 :	APR 12 :	APR 19 :	APR 26 :	MAY 03 :	MAY 10		
	:								
ALA	:	11,988	11,655	11,844	12,221	12,196	12,204		
ARK	:	16,497	15,742	16,236	15,943	16,430	16,023		
CALIF	:	3,590	3,892	3,911	3,721	3,815	3,767		
DEL	:	4,187	4,215	4,158	4,158	4,021*	4,040		
FLA	:	2,300	2,308	2,501	2,441	2,484	2,371		
GA	:	14,547	13,825	14,515	14,345	14,419	14,464		
MD	:	6,045	5,530	5,727	5,939	5,651	6,041		
MISS	:	6,807	6,884	6,604	6,746	6,767	6,921		
N C	:	9,283	8,995	9,553	9,145	9,313	9,122		
PA	:	1,955	1,782	2,043	2,090	2,285*	2,109		
TEX	:	5,078	5,036	5,092	5,454	5,009	5,018		
VA	:	3,136	3,248	3,203	3,201	2,775	3,198		
1986 TOTAL	:	85,413	83,112	85,387	85,404	85,165*	85,278		
1985 TOTAL	:	82,861	81,563	83,498	83,670	84,312	83,793		
OF PREV YR	:	103	102	102	102	101	102		

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