

# TEXAS BROILERS

For week ending July 11, 1987  
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## TEXAS

Texas broiler operators placed 5.44 million chicks, an increase of 5 percent from last year and 1 percent from the previous week.

The weekly hatch totaled 5.76 million chicks, 81 percent of the eggs set during the week ending June 20. The hatch was up 2 percent from a year ago and 3 percent from last week.

Texas producers set 6.68 million eggs, virtually unchanged from a year earlier. The set was 7 percent above last week.

Texas producers shipped 291,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

## TWELVE STATES

In the twelve leading broiler producing states weekly placements totaled 91.74 million chicks, up 7 percent from last year but down slightly from the previous week.

The weekly egg set increased 5 percent from last year to 115.52 million eggs. The set was 6 percent above 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		1987 as percent of 1986	Year		1987 as percent of 1986	Year		1987 as percent of 1986
	1986	1987		1986	1987		1986	1987	
	<u>- Thousand -</u>		<u>- Percent -</u>	<u>- Thousand -</u>		<u>- Percent -</u>	<u>- Thousand -</u>		<u>- Percent -</u>
June 6	6,898	7,194	104	5,670	5,886	104	4,947	5,625	114
June 13	6,913	6,874	99	5,734	5,874	102	4,998	5,527	111
June 20	6,909	7,103	103	5,780	5,864	101	5,092	5,557	109
June 27	6,042	6,922	115	5,715	5,981	105	5,273	5,533	105
July 4	6,598	6,245	95	5,602	5,613	100	5,075	5,360	106
July 11	6,715	6,682	100	5,640	5,763	102	5,196	5,436	105

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					
	JUN 06	JUN 13	JUN 20	JUN 27	JUL 04	JUL 11
ALA	18,378	18,330	18,334*	17,762	16,115	17,775
ARK	23,350	23,373	23,223	22,605	22,287	23,161
CALIF	4,861	4,979	4,966	4,727	4,712	4,817
DEL	4,548	4,550	4,529	4,435	4,355	4,374
FLA	3,321	3,349	3,345	3,281	3,129	3,102
GA	19,440	19,605	19,840	19,069	18,109	19,380
MD	8,762	8,738	8,765	8,429	7,875	8,188
MISS	8,142	8,339	8,265	8,252	7,248	7,928
N C	13,630	13,683	13,620	13,244	12,859	13,347
PA	3,294	3,223	3,319	3,302	2,932	3,295
TEX	7,194	6,874	7,103	6,922	6,245	6,682
VA	3,578	3,532	3,591	3,592	3,455	3,474
1987 TOTAL	118,498	118,575	118,900*	115,620	109,321	115,523
1986 TOTAL	111,516	110,795	110,838	105,571	110,117	109,891
% OF PREV YR	106	107	107	110	99	105

\* REVISED.

BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	JUN 06	JUN 13	JUN 20	JUN 27	JUL 04	JUL 11
ALA	13,208	13,123	13,422	13,521	13,507	13,281
ARK	17,913	17,181	18,229	18,876	18,108	17,508
CALIF	4,006	4,077	4,143	4,012	4,115	4,147
DEL	4,425	4,925	4,497	5,011	4,319	4,357
FLA	2,546	2,653	2,282	2,472	2,565	2,502
GA	15,260	15,503	15,562	15,623	15,231	15,553
MD	5,702	5,584	5,712	5,254	6,227	5,897
MISS	7,163	7,153	7,226	7,205	7,230	7,186
N C	10,011	9,678	9,921	9,904	9,619	9,972
PA	2,392	2,457	2,441	2,541	2,279*	2,521
TEX	5,625	5,527	5,557	5,533	5,360	5,436
VA	3,310	3,362	3,245	3,328	3,393	3,380
1987 TOTAL	91,561	91,223	92,237	93,280	91,953*	91,740
1986 TOTAL	86,167	86,494	85,975	85,939	85,830	85,385
% OF PREV YR	106	105	107	109	107	107

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