

# Texas Broilers

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Weekly broiler placements totaled 4.90 million chicks, an increase of 11 percent from last year and 5 percent from the previous week.

Producers hatched 5.48 million chicks, 81 percent of the eggs set during the week of February 8. The hatch was up 7 percent from a year ago and 2 percent from last week.

The weekly set increased 12 percent from last year to 6.99 million eggs. The set was up slightly from the previous week.

Texas producers shipped 568,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

## NINETEEN STATES

Weekly placements in the the nineteen leading broiler producing states totaled 90.73 million chicks, an increase of 3 percent from a year earlier and 1 percent from the previous week.

The weekly egg set, at 116.12 million, was up 4 percent from a year ago and slightly above last week.

### TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

Week Ending 1/	Broiler Eggs Set			Broiler Chicks Hatched			Broiler Chicks Placed 2/		
	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 -
Jan. 25	6,109	6,599	108	5,178	5,466	106	4,501	4,736	105
Feb. 1	6,091	6,599	108	5,170	5,356	104	4,539	4,657	103
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	6,979	111	5,109	5,390	106	4,298	4,674	109
Mar. 1	6,253	6,993	112	5,110	5,484	107	4,411	4,900	111

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 19 SELECTED STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	JAN 25	FEB 01	FEB 08	FEB 15	FEB 22	MAR 01
ALA	16,177	16,594	16,928	16,239	16,855	16,909
ARK	20,972	20,905	20,942	21,232	21,352	21,107
CALIF	4,911	4,914	5,173	4,835	4,712	4,630
DEL	3,967	4,113	4,175	4,160	4,211	4,049
FLA	2,960	3,031	3,120	3,129	3,125	3,147
GA	17,131	17,578	17,489	17,757	17,939	17,802
MD	8,357	8,788	8,695	8,803	8,479*	8,701
MISS	7,512	7,626	7,616	7,641	7,760	7,654
N C	11,722	12,368	12,148	12,350	12,432	12,559
PA	2,970	2,521	2,564*	2,462	2,367	2,447
S C	1,297	1,181	1,297	1,325	999	1,232
TENN	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
TEX	6,599	6,599	6,757	6,757	6,979	6,993
VA & W VA 2/	2,822	3,850	3,937	3,992	4,013	4,019
LA & MO 2/	3,476	3,540	3,559	3,602	3,604	3,676
OR & WA 2/	1,104	1,170	1,120	1,140	1,288	1,191
1986 TOTAL	111,977	114,778	115,520*	115,424	116,115*	116,116
1985 TOTAL	106,890	108,158	110,979	111,714	111,282	112,177
% OF PREV YR	105	106	104	103	104	104

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

## BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 19 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	JAN 25	FEB 01	FEB 08	FEB 15	FEB 22	MAR 01
ALA	11,522	11,263*	11,352	11,317	11,957	11,886
ARK	15,519	15,628	14,962	15,515	15,384	15,218
CALIF	3,793	3,881	3,599	4,004	4,018	4,232
DEL	4,194	3,436	3,610	4,151	4,181*	3,942
FLA	2,214	2,018	2,098	2,294	2,136	2,323
GA	13,501	14,045	13,759	13,627	14,088	13,880
MD	5,305	5,764	5,648	5,349	5,501*	5,697
MISS	6,408	6,241	6,182	6,538	6,616	6,673
N C	8,956	8,895	8,493	8,758	9,214	8,958
PA	2,042	1,806	1,821	2,054	1,894	1,965
S C	1,305	1,273	1,290	1,331	1,199	1,276
TENN	1,315	1,449	1,502	1,447	1,465	1,630
TEX	4,736	4,657	4,538	4,681	4,674	4,900
VA & W VA 1/	3,684	3,600	3,931	2,784	3,705*	3,890
LA & MO 1/	2,660*	3,005	3,485	2,726	3,325	3,398
OR & WA 1/	798	817	806	865	914	864
1986 TOTAL	87,952*	87,778*	87,076	87,441	90,271*	90,732
1985 TOTAL	87,540	87,147	86,567	84,719	85,601	88,443
% OF PREV YR	100	101	101	103	105	103

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