

# Texas Broilers

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Texas broiler operators placed 4.89 million chicks during the week, an increase of 14 percent from last year but down slightly from the previous week.

The weekly hatch totaled 5.31 million chicks, 82 percent of the eggs set during the week of November 16. The hatch was up 7 percent from a year ago and 2 percent from last week.

The weekly egg set increased 11 percent from last year to 6.61 million eggs. The set was 1 percent above the previous week.

Texas producers shipped 400,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas and Alabama, while no inshipments were received.

## NINETEEN STATES

In the nineteen leading broiler producing states, weekly placements totaled almost 90.20 million chicks, an increase of 6 percent from last year and 2 percent from the previous week.

The weekly egg set, at 110.82 million eggs, was 6 percent above a year earlier but 2 percent below last week.

### TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

Week Ending <u>1/</u>	Broiler Eggs Set			Broiler Chicks Hatched			Broiler Chicks Placed <u>2/</u>		
	Year		1985 as percent of 1984	Year		1985 as percent of 1984	Year		1985 as percent of 1984
	1984	1985		1984	1985		1984	1985	
	<u>- Thousand -</u>	<u>- Percent -</u>		<u>- Thousand -</u>	<u>- Percent -</u>		<u>- Thousand -</u>	<u>- Percent -</u>	
Nov. 2	6,166	6,480	105	3,426	4,289	125	2,914	3,642	125
Nov. 9	6,165	6,362	103	4,131	4,521	109	3,584	3,961	111
Nov. 16	6,022	*6,449	107	4,364	4,725	108	3,875	4,115	106
Nov. 23	5,567	6,469	116	5,064	5,279	104	4,341	4,901	113
Nov. 30	6,071	*6,518	107	5,106	*5,227	102	4,412	*4,909	111
Dec. 7	5,974	6,613	111	4,977	5,313	107	4,292	4,892	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 19 SELECTED STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	NOV 02	NOV 09	NOV 16	NOV 23	NOV 30	DEC 07
ALA	15,745	16,356	17,038	16,632	16,726*	16,404
ARK	20,242	20,304	20,678	20,413	20,342	20,253
CALIF	5,119	4,885	4,889	4,837	4,311	3,874
DEL	4,090	4,106	3,834	3,820	4,036*	3,944
FLA	3,165	3,176	3,017*	3,081	3,073*	3,192
GA	16,717	15,740	16,460	16,578	16,727	16,682
MD	8,833	8,922	8,942	8,963	8,872	8,485
MISS	7,394	7,491	7,746	7,731	7,581	7,520
N C	12,459	12,596	12,489	12,556	12,542	12,329
PA	3,123	2,829	2,778	2,961	2,939	2,643
S C	1,103	1,349	1,361	1,335	1,336	1,362
TENN	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
TEX	6,480	6,362	6,449*	6,469	6,518*	6,613
VA & W VA 2/	3,668	3,517	3,696	3,715	3,735	3,602
LA & MO 2/	3,143	3,329	3,327	3,349	3,369	2,897
OR & WA 2/	1,229	1,149	1,073*	1,127	1,064	1,020
1985 TOTAL	112,510	112,111	113,777*	113,567	113,171*	110,820
1984 TOTAL	104,735	107,921	107,884	107,419	107,227	104,564
% OF PREV YR	107	104	105	106	106	106

BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 19 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	NOV 02	NOV 09	NOV 16	NOV 23	NOV 30	DEC 07
ALA	10,087	9,559	9,871	10,976	11,339*	11,550
ARK	14,623	12,729	14,017	15,272	14,797	15,161
CALIF	2,682	3,176	3,643	4,059	3,929	3,899
DEL	4,200	3,367	4,299	4,566*	4,342*	4,454
FLA	2,196	1,932	1,837	2,429	2,295*	2,376
GA	13,129	11,073	12,232	13,643	13,312	13,928
MD	5,229	5,584	5,152	5,718*	5,897*	5,807
MISS	6,489	5,941	5,853	6,392	6,542	6,792
N C	8,418	8,088	8,918	9,184	9,069	9,018
PA	1,923	1,663	1,616	1,948	1,853	1,845
S C	1,223	1,062	1,076	1,126	1,303	1,260
TENN	1,209	1,241	1,215	1,378	1,355	1,477
TEX	3,642	3,961	4,115	4,901	4,909*	4,892
VA & W VA 2/	3,650	3,795	3,526	3,503*	3,736*	3,781
LA & MO 2/	2,758	1,976	2,098	2,461	3,065	3,061
OR & WA 2/	578	657	795	929	904	896
1985 TOTAL	82,036	75,804	80,263	88,485*	88,647*	90,197
1984 TOTAL	78,559	70,524	76,776	83,262	85,633	85,370
% OF PREV YR	104	107	105	106	104	106

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