

TEXAS BROILERS

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Weekly broiler placements totaled 5.24 million chicks, up 10 percent from both last year and the previous week.

Texas producers hatched 5.52 million chicks, 83 percent of the eggs set during the week ending October 31. The hatch was up 8 percent from a year ago and 11 percent from last week.

The weekly set, at 7.12 million eggs, was 6 percent above last year. The set was down slightly from a week ago.

Texas producers shipped 192,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas. No inshipments were received during the week.

TWELVE STATES

Weekly placements in the twelve leading broiler producing states totaled 88.23 million chicks, up 7 percent from a year ago and 10 percent from last week.

The weekly egg set increased 5 percent from last year to 117.50 million eggs. The set was up slightly from the previous week.

TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

Week Ending 1/	Broiler Eggs Set			Broiler Chicks Hatched			Broiler Chicks Placed 2/		
	Year		1987 as percent of 1986	Year		1987 as percent of 1986	Year		1987 as percent of 1986
	1986	1987		1986	1987		1986	1987	
	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -
Oct. 17	6,187	6,179	100	5,090	4,321	85	4,672	4,046	87
Oct. 24	5,881	5,995	102	5,423	5,673	105	4,950	5,387	109
Oct. 31	6,223	*6,680	107	4,306	4,843	112	3,937	4,549	116
Nov. 7	6,830	7,053	103	5,048	5,100	101	4,468	4,905	110
Nov. 14	6,751	7,140	106	4,752	4,956	104	4,356	4,763	109
Nov. 21	6,697	7,118	106	5,098	5,519	108	4,755	5,236	110

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					
	OCT 17	OCT 24	OCT 31	NOV 07	NOV 14	NOV 21
ALA	17,349	15,129	17,711*	18,798	19,496	19,111
ARK	20,358	20,978	23,044	22,812	23,761	23,912
CALIF	3,892	4,724	5,184	5,256	5,051	5,245
DEL	3,390	3,577	4,362	4,326	4,399	4,359
FLA	2,729	2,284	3,186*	3,290	3,082	3,285
GA	15,811	16,347	18,393*	18,555	18,946	18,943
MD	7,016	7,969	7,934*	7,967	8,418	8,053
MISS	8,039	7,071	7,381	7,891	8,078	8,081
N C	10,904	11,663	11,849	12,197	12,202	12,306
PA	3,009	2,964	3,250	3,317	3,133*	3,353
TEX	6,179	5,995	6,680*	7,053	7,140	7,118
VA	3,540	3,357	3,583	3,778	3,594	3,729
1987 TOTAL	102,216	102,058	112,557*	115,240	117,300*	117,495
1986 TOTAL	100,314	103,092	108,830	112,545	112,463	112,180
% OF PREV YR	102	99	103	102	104	105

\* REVISED

## BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	OCT 17	OCT 24	OCT 31	NOV 07	NOV 14	NOV 21
ALA	12,559	13,868	13,968	12,313	10,974	12,714
ARK	17,621	18,224	17,997	15,956	16,413	17,976
CALIF	4,010	3,955	3,822*	3,179	3,857	4,189
DEL	4,237	4,877	3,276	4,040	4,082	4,327
FLA	2,139	2,330	2,391	2,328	1,705	2,496
GA	14,528	14,969	14,017	12,551	12,815	14,670
MD	4,983	4,364	5,224	4,135	4,949	5,243
MISS	6,368	6,949	7,130	7,046	6,235	6,484
N C	7,797	8,892	9,170	8,255	9,261	9,233
PA	2,405	2,290	2,587	2,336	2,147	2,269
TEX	4,046	5,387	4,549	4,905	4,763	5,236
VA	3,410	2,961	3,430	3,456	3,172	3,388
1987 TOTAL	84,103	89,066	87,561*	80,500	80,373	88,225
1986 TOTAL	81,120	83,824	81,482	76,349	78,036	82,577
% OF PREV YR	104	106	107	105	103	107

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