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To avoid disclosing individual operations, poults hatched and eggs set for the week ending September 27, 1980 are not available.

NINE STATES

The nine states in the weekly program reported a total of 1,689,000 poults hatched, 10 percent above last year and 5 percent above a week ago. Eggs set during the week at 2,522,000 were up 3 percent from last year and 1 percent above last week.

TURKEYS : EGGS SET AND POULTS HATCHED IN 9 STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)						POULTS HATCHED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					CURR WK AS % OF YEAR AGO	WEEK ENDING					CURR WK AS % OF YR AGO
	AUG 30	SEP 6	SEP 13	SEP 20	SEP 27		AUG 30	SEP 6	SEP 13	SEP 20	SEP 27	
CALIF	268	346	345	249	301	115	345	188	194	220	180	98
IOWA	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
MO	291	279	262	232	230	70	180	140	227	141	196	165
N C	593	664	582	636	663	109	535	436	464	455	427	106
OHIO	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
TEX	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	114	2/	2/	2/
VA	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
MINN-WIS 1/	683	723	658*	732	585	126	545	398	351	350	417	130
CURRENT WK :												
TOTAL-1980 :	2,522	2,665	2,560*	2,503	2,522		1,984	1,615	1,681	1,614	1,689	
COMPARABLE :												
PREV YR :	2,305	2,168	2,259	2,552	2,448		1,877	1,557	1,633	1,529	1,530	
PERCENT OF :												
PREV YR :	109	123	113	98	103		106	104	103	106	110	

1/ MINN & WISC COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.
2/ CONFIDENTIAL.
* REVISED.

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Turkey Breeder Hens Intentions

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Texas turkey breeder hen producers indicated they expect to have 510,000 breeder hens in their flocks on December 1, 1980, according to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. This is 4 percent below a year ago.

TWENTY-SEVEN STATES

Turkey breeder hen intentions of 3.71 million for December 1, 1980 are expected to remain virtually unchanged from the previous year as indicated by flock owners in 27 selected States. Heavy breed flocks are expected to be at a level of 3.43 million hens, 2 percent above December 1, 1979. Light breed flocks, however, are expected to drop 19 percent to 277 thousand.

TURKEY BREEDER HENS: NUMBER ON HAND IN 27 SELECTED STATES, DECEMBER 1, 1978-79 AND INTENTIONS TO HOLD BREEDER HENS, DECEMBER 1, 1980

STATE	HEAVY BREEDS			LIGHT BREEDS			ALL BREEDS			AS % OF 1979
	1978	1979	1980 1/	1978	1979	1980 1/	1978	1979	1980 1/	
	1,000 HEAD									PERCENT
CALIF	530	2/	2/	20	2/	2/	550	553	537	97
GA	47	61	64				47	61	64	105
ILL	59						59	3/	3/	
IOWA	90	75	2/	8	1	2/	98	76	83	109
MICH	2/	44	44	2/			40	44	44	100
MINN	460	460	460	133	173	116	593	633	576	91
MO 2/							230	300	290	97
NEBR	2/			2/			16	3/	3/	
N C 2/							495	620	640	103
OHIO	2/	130	178	2/			120	130	178	137
OREG 2/							63	74	54	73
PA	47	2/	2/	1	2/	2/	48	61	60	98
TEX	475	2/	2/		2/	2/	475	533	510	96
VA 2/							168	168	156	93
W VA	11	2/	2/	4	2/	2/	15	14	14	100
OTH STS 3/							353	438	500	114
TOTAL	3,121	3,362	3,429	249	343	277	3,370	3,705	3,706	100

1/ INTENTIONS.

2/ BREAKDOWN BY BREEDS COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS IN MO, N C, OREG, VA, AND INDIVIDUAL YEARS(S) FOR SELECTED STATES.

3/ ARK; COLO; IND; KANS; N Y; N DAK; OKLA; S C; S DAK; UTAH; WASH; WIS AND INDIVIDUAL YEAR(S) FOR SELECTED STATES COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. WASH ESTIMATE DISCONTINUED JAN 1, 1979.

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