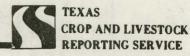
A900.6 T847 79/12/29 TEXAS TURKEY POULTS



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Eggs set for the week ending December 29, 1979, was 320,000, according to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. This was 7 percent below the same week last year but 6 percent above last week.

Poults hatched totaled 156,000 during the week ending December 29. This was 1 percent above a year ago, but 32 percent below the previous week.

Thus far this season, 2,528,000 poults have been hatched, 29 percent above the same period last year.

NINE STATES

The nine states in the weekly program reported a total of 3,870,000 eggs set, 8 percent above last year and 2 percent above a week ago.

Poults hatched during the week totaled 1,862,000, 1 percent below last year, and 24 percent below last week.

Thus far this season, 31,837,000 poults have been hatched, 26 percent above the corresponding period last year.

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	:	EGGS SET (000)							POULTS HATCHED (000)						
	:								WEEK ENDING					: CURR WK	
				DEC 15 :											
CALIF	:	626	599	667	727	637	110	:	353	381	377	492	432	106	
IOWA	:	2.1	51	51	2.1	51	51	:	51	51	51	5.1	51	21	
40	:	275	135	412	356	240	55	:	223	236	234	222	182	68	
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TEX	:	217*	303	366	301	320	93	:	163	178	209	229	156	101	
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TOTAL-1979		2,676*	2,913	3,730	3,803	3,870		:	2,083	2,183	2,196	2,460	1,862		
COMPARABLE	*						~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~	:							
PREV YR	:	2,668	3,030	3,328	3,554	3,598		:	1,719	1,754	1,900	1,896	1,878		
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PREV YR			96	112	107	108		:	121	124	116	130	99		
SEPT 1,1979								:							
TO DATE	:							:							
				42,847*				:	23,136	25,319	27,515	29,975	31,837		
COMPARABLE								:					- 687 159 159 659 659 689 659 659 659 6		
PREV YR			32,593		39,475	43,073		:	17,792	19,546	21,446	23,342	25,220		
PERCENT OF								:							
PREV YR		122	120	119	118	117		:	130	130	128	128	126		

TURKEYS : EGGS SET AND POULTS HATCHED IN 9 STATES

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