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# Virginia Broilers

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Week Ending: February 18, 2006

Number: 7

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## Virginia Placements Up 2 Percent

Virginia placements are estimated at **4,996,000** chicks. This was *up 2 percent* from the previous week but *down 4 percent* from last year. There were **6,296,000** eggs set in Virginia hatcheries. This was *down 1 percent* from the previous week and *down 2 percent* from last year.

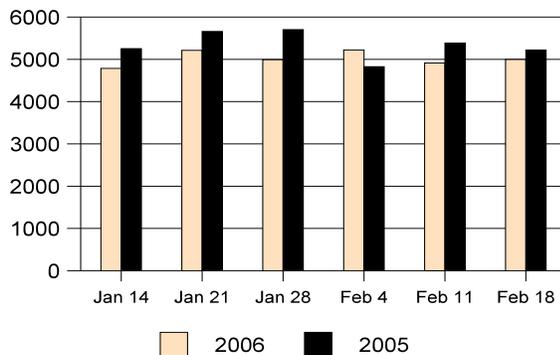
## 19 State Placements Down 1 Percent

In the 19 states, **174,372,000** chicks were placed during the week. Placements were *down 1 percent* from the previous week and *down 1 percent* from last year. Eggs set during the week ending February 18 totaled **215,334,000**. This was *up 1 percent* from the previous week and *up 1 percent* from last year.

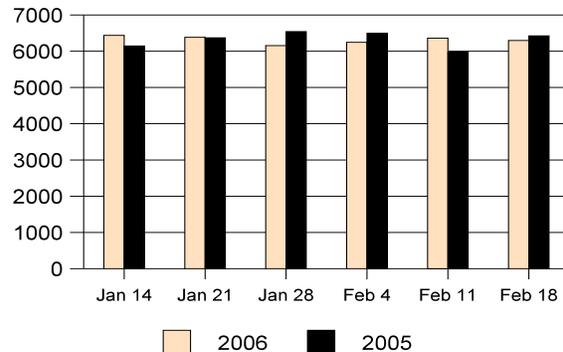
## Virginia Broiler Totals

Chicks Placed					Eggs Set				
Week Ending		2005	2006	% of Yr. Earlier	Week Ending		2005	2006	% of Yr. Earlier
		- Thousands -					- Thousands -		
January	14	5,252	4,785	91	January	14	6,146	6,437	105
	21	5,660	5,213	92		21	6,370	6,385	100
	28	5,703	4,990	87		28	6,542	6,156	94
February	4	4,826	5,222	108	February	4	6,496	6,246	96
	11	5,387	4,913	91		11	5,980	6,360	106
	18	5,220	4,996	96		18	6,424	6,296	98

Chicks Placed



Eggs Set



Broiler-Type Eggs Set, 19 Selected States

State	:Week Ending					
	: Jan 14	: Jan 21	: Jan 28	: Feb 4	: Feb 11	: Feb 18
	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006
	:Thousand:					
AL	: 31,689	31,411	*31,025	31,605	31,668	31,713
AR	: 31,150	31,473	31,327	31,442	30,728	31,127
DE	: 3,970	3,781	3,981	3,700	3,700	3,987
FL	: 1,343	1,369	*1,359	1,344	1,343	1,354
GA	: *33,848	35,051	34,382	33,575	*33,661	34,154
KY	: 7,262	*7,467	7,358	7,154	7,440	7,210
LA	: 4,136	4,135	4,136	4,136	4,136	4,166
MD	: 8,933	8,942	8,912	8,888	*8,622	8,901
MS	: 18,583	18,704	18,447	18,188	18,082	18,108
NC	: 18,442	18,272	*18,351	18,640	*19,063	19,438
OK	: 6,565	6,690	6,760	6,566	*6,665	6,799
PA	: 3,915	3,983	3,971	*3,721	*4,145	3,711
SC	: 5,202	5,250	5,367	5,194	5,345	5,369
TX	: 15,166	15,048	15,237	14,632	15,121	15,147
VA	: 6,437	6,385	6,156	6,246	6,360	6,296
CA, MO, TN, & WV	: 17,048	17,444	17,239	18,074	*17,464	17,854
19 State Total	:*213,689	*215,405	*214,008	*213,105	*213,543	215,334
Previous Year Total	: 209,544	211,673	212,630	213,234	213,830	213,897
Pct. of Prev. Year	: 102	102	101	100	100	101

\* Revised

Broiler Chicks Placed, 19 Selected States

State	:Week Ending					
	: Jan 14	: Jan 21	: Jan 28	: Feb 4	: Feb 11	: Feb 18
	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006	: 2006
	:Thousand:					
AL	: 20,782	20,890	21,340	21,631	21,412	20,803
AR	: 24,910	24,773	24,597	25,961	*25,383	23,786
DE	: 5,909	5,365	5,908	5,088	*5,268	5,874
FL	: 1,526	1,429	1,631	1,641	1,843	1,496
GA	: *27,320	27,998	27,061	27,312	*27,662	28,117
KY	: 5,754	5,620	5,815	6,147	*6,354	6,037
LA	: 3,733	3,843	3,937	3,977	3,950	4,229
MD	: 5,354	5,632	5,267	5,667	*6,021	4,960
MS	: 16,645	16,502	16,511	16,617	16,244	16,547
NC	: 14,915	15,715	15,465	14,630	*14,471	14,951
OK	: 4,784	5,262	5,447	*4,467	*4,781	5,948
PA	: 2,873	2,958	2,949	*2,921	*2,858	2,997
SC	: 4,752	4,001	4,390	4,570	*5,239	4,562
TX	: 12,829	12,804	12,936	13,067	13,002	13,151
VA	: 4,785	5,213	4,990	5,222	4,913	4,996
CA, MO, TN, & WV	: 16,049	16,205	16,490	15,498	*16,496	15,918
19 State Total	:*172,920	174,210	174,734	*174,416	*175,897	174,372
Previous Year Total	: 173,733	172,679	171,340	172,928	175,504	175,869
Pct. of Prev. Year	: 100	101	102	101	100	99

\* Revised