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# Virginia Broilers



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Week Ending: September 6, 2008

Number: 36

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## Virginia Placements Down 10 Percent From A Year Ago

Virginia placements are estimated at **4,720,000** chicks. This was **up 4 percent** from the previous week but **down 10 percent** from last year. There were **6,294,000** eggs set in Virginia hatcheries. This was **up 1 percent** from the previous week and **up 1 percent** from last year.

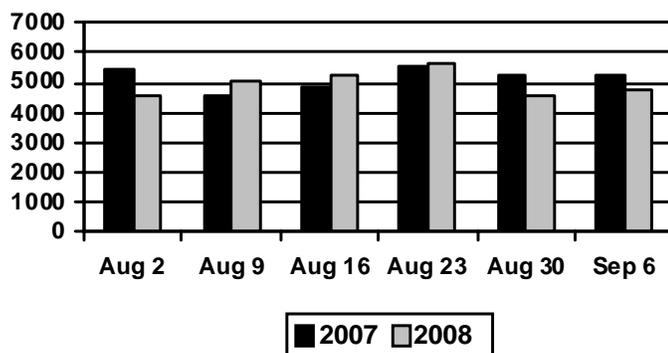
## 19 State Placements Down 3 Percent From Last Year

In the 19 states, **169,861,000** chicks were placed during the week. Placements were **down slightly** from the previous week and **down 3 percent** from last year. Eggs set during the week ending September 6 totaled **201,826,000**. This was **down 2 percent** from the previous week and **down 3 percent** from last year.

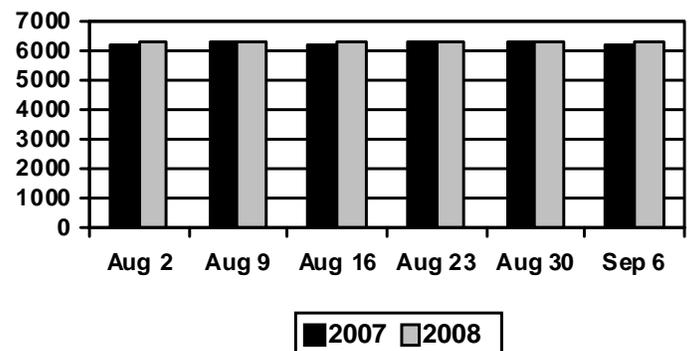
### Virginia Broiler Totals

		Chicks Placed					Eggs Set		
Week Ending		2007	2008	% of Yr. Earlier	Week Ending		2007	2008	% of Yr. Earlier
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August	2	5,412	4,557	84	August	2	6,242	6,250	100
	9	4,585	5,080	111		9	6,249	6,250	100
	16	4,825	5,283	109		16	6,245	6,325	101
	23	5,566	5,592	100		23	6,349	6,313	99
	30	5,269	4,525	86		30	6,290	6,249	99
September	6	5,272	4,720	90	September	6	6,211	6,294	101

### Chicks Placed



### Eggs Set



Broiler-Type Eggs Set, 19 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	Aug 2	Aug 9	Aug 16	Aug 23	Aug 30	Sep 6
	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008
	Thousand					
AL	29,539	29,855	*29,922	29,694	*29,951	29,747
AR	25,143	25,107	24,608	24,742	24,697	24,277
DE	3,657	3,644	3,631	*3,544	*3,494	3,479
FL	1,281	1,326	*1,346	1,306	1,326	1,326
GA	32,840	33,473	*32,822	32,794	*32,860	32,032
KY	*7,912	*7,683	*7,744	7,741	7,339	7,428
LA	3,470	3,470	3,470	3,501	*3,501	3,501
MD	8,900	8,811	8,871	8,738	8,696	7,578
MS	18,561	18,598	18,160	18,428	17,853	17,666
NC	18,810	18,890	*18,797	18,856	*19,011	18,546
OK	7,063	6,477	*7,168	7,076	*7,122	6,920
PA	4,339	4,028	4,002	3,850	*4,366	4,037
SC	5,528	5,309	5,645	5,735	5,844	5,208
TX	*14,633	*15,035	*15,486	*15,494	*14,932	15,290
VA	6,250	6,250	6,325	6,313	6,249	6,294
CA, MO, TN, & WV	19,198	18,951	18,904	*18,873	*17,991	18,497
19 State Total	*207,124	*206,907	*206,901	*206,685	*205,232	201,826
Previous Year Total	216,255	217,312	216,594	215,662	215,502	208,821
Pct. of Prev. Year	96	95	96	96	95	97

\* Revised

Broiler Chicks Placed, 19 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	Aug 2	Aug 9	Aug 16	Aug 23	Aug 30	Sep 6
	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008
	Thousand					
AL	21,021	21,452	21,432	20,609	*20,496	21,185
AR	23,314	21,884	23,301	22,221	*21,575	22,340
DE	4,497	4,959	5,213	*4,978	*5,131	4,977
FL	1,282	1,134	1,032	1,124	*1,278	1,051
GA	28,161	27,630	27,560	27,700	*27,317	26,821
KY	5,911	6,105	6,512	*6,219	*6,345	6,517
LA	3,359	3,757	3,269	3,659	*3,521	3,243
MD	6,316	5,555	5,933	*5,897	*5,950	5,519
MS	16,826	16,845	16,815	16,632	16,751	16,258
NC	15,021	15,566	15,741	15,620	*15,883	15,655
OK	3,910	5,154	3,618	4,539	*5,076	5,050
PA	3,328	3,390	3,414	3,207	*3,131	3,102
SC	4,819	4,789	4,676	4,333	4,624	5,130
TX	13,080	*13,114	*12,494	*12,319	*12,557	12,941
VA	4,557	5,080	5,283	5,592	4,525	4,720
CA, MO, TN, & WV	17,506	16,756	16,896	*16,181	*15,991	15,352
19 State Total	172,908	*173,170	*173,189	*170,830	*170,151	169,861
Previous Year Total	179,654	177,691	178,515	177,243	176,942	175,893
Pct. of Prev. Year	96	97	97	96	96	97

\* Revised