



# Arkansas Weekly Broiler Report

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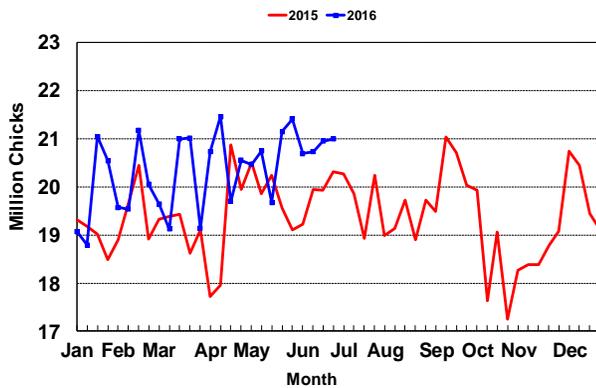
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## Arkansas Chick Placements Up 3 Percent from Last Year

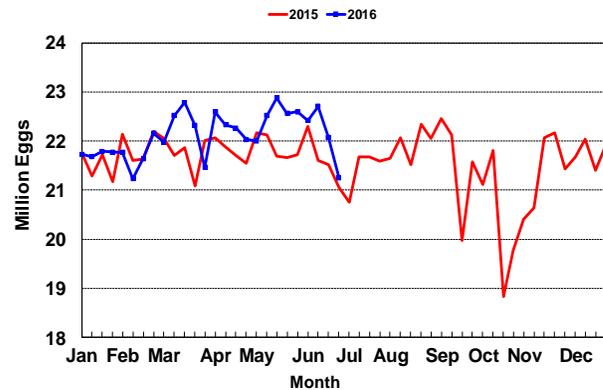
Broiler-type chicks placed for meat production in Arkansas were 21.0 million during the week ending June 25, 2016. Placements were up 3 percent from the comparable week in 2015 and up slightly from the previous week.

Arkansas hatcheries set 21.3 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending June 25, 2016, up 1 percent from the same period last year but down 4 percent from the previous week.

Chicks Placed In Arkansas, 2015-2016



Eggs Set In Arkansas, 2015-2016



Broiler Eggs Set and Chicks Placed in 19 Major States by Week, May 28, 2016 - June 25, 2016

State	Eggs Set					Chicks Placed				
	Week Ending					Week Ending				
	28-May	4-Jun	11-Jun	18-Jun	25-Jun	28-May	4-Jun	11-Jun	18-Jun	25-Jun
	<i>1,000 eggs</i>					<i>1,000 chicks</i>				
Alabama	28,582	28,178	28,048	28,095	28,116	20,934	22,322	21,516	21,295	21,066
Arkansas	22,596	22,419	22,706	22,068	21,255	21,407	20,687	20,726	20,948	20,994
Delaware	5,058	5,225	5,078	5,104	5,078	6,076	5,267	5,879	4,777	5,010
Florida	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,221	1,145	1,052	1,071	1,369	1,215	1,211
Georgia	34,732	34,723	34,923	34,754	35,097	27,507	27,373	27,212	28,205	28,049
Kentucky	7,934	7,776	7,911	7,927	7,637	6,956	5,703	5,754	6,294	6,265
Louisiana	3,651	3,651	3,651	3,651	3,591	3,311	3,252	3,243	3,202	3,252
Maryland	8,138	8,067	8,131	8,135	8,134	5,835	6,673	5,439	6,570	6,473
Mississippi	18,272	18,138	18,422	17,635	17,600	15,315	15,314	15,320	15,266	15,100
Missouri	8,059	7,810	7,811	7,809	7,841	5,461	5,942	5,718	6,049	5,820
N. Carolina	21,458	21,080	20,853	20,913	20,663	17,451	17,109	17,409	17,456	16,751
Oklahoma	6,582	6,541	7,216	6,972	7,025	3,528	4,359	4,123	4,370	4,095
Pennsylvania	4,710	4,523	4,513	4,636	4,624	3,546	3,652	3,633	3,869	3,554
S. Carolina	5,581	5,354	5,402	5,529	5,460	4,543	3,890	5,456	5,203	5,106
Texas	16,031	16,020	16,064	15,162	15,321	12,764	12,883	13,128	13,007	12,960
Virginia	6,570	6,577	6,549	6,554	6,529	5,640	5,485	5,601	5,717	5,870
CA, TN & WV	11,896	12,375	12,029	12,256	11,758	11,753	11,068	11,850	10,922	11,006
<b>19 State Total</b>	<b>211,075</b>	<b>209,682</b>	<b>210,532</b>	<b>208,421</b>	<b>206,874</b>	<b>173,079</b>	<b>172,050</b>	<b>173,376</b>	<b>174,365</b>	<b>172,582</b>
% of Prev. Year	100	99	100	99	99	100	99	100	100	99
Other States	8,614	8,367	8,314	8,483	8,662	6,535	6,873	7,125	6,854	6,978
<b>U.S. Total</b>	<b>219,689</b>	<b>218,049</b>	<b>218,846</b>	<b>216,904</b>	<b>215,536</b>	<b>179,614</b>	<b>178,923</b>	<b>180,501</b>	<b>181,219</b>	<b>179,560</b>

Revisions made to the previous four-week's data during the current week are published in this report.

## Broiler-Type Eggs Set in the United States Down 1 Percent

Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 216 million eggs in incubators during the week ending June 25, 2016, down 1 percent from a year ago. Hatcheries in the 19 State weekly program set 207 million eggs in incubators during the week ending June 25, 2016, down 1 percent from the year earlier. Average hatchability for chicks hatched during the week in the United States was 84 percent. Average hatchability is calculated by dividing chicks hatched during the week by eggs set three weeks earlier.

## Broiler-Type Chicks Placed in the United States Down 1 Percent

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 180 million chicks for meat production during the week ending June 25, 2016, down 1 percent from a year ago. Broiler growers in the 19 State weekly program placed 173 million chicks for meat production during the week ending June 25, 2016, down 1 percent from the year earlier. Cumulative placements from the week ending January 9, 2016 through June 25, 2016 for the United States were 4.45 billion. Cumulative placements were up 1 percent from the same period a year earlier.