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This report contains the results from the **Weekly Broiler Hatchery Report**. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ar> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set Down 1 Percent from Last Year

Arkansas hatcheries set 23.7 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending December 12, 2020, down 1 percent from the comparable week in 2019 and down 2 percent from the previous week.

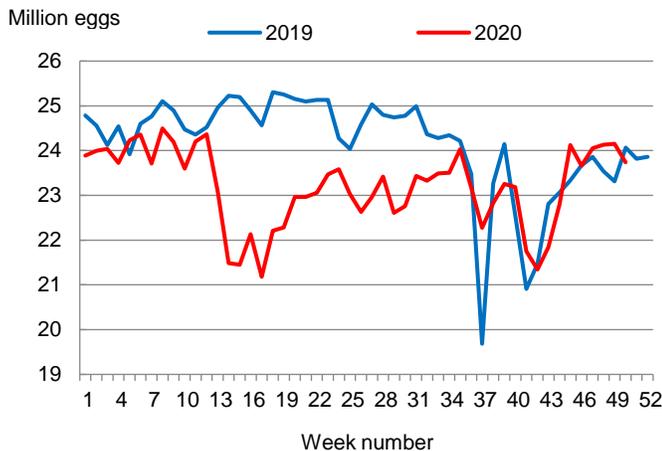
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 235 million eggs in incubators during the week ending December 12, 2020, down 1 percent from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Up 1 Percent

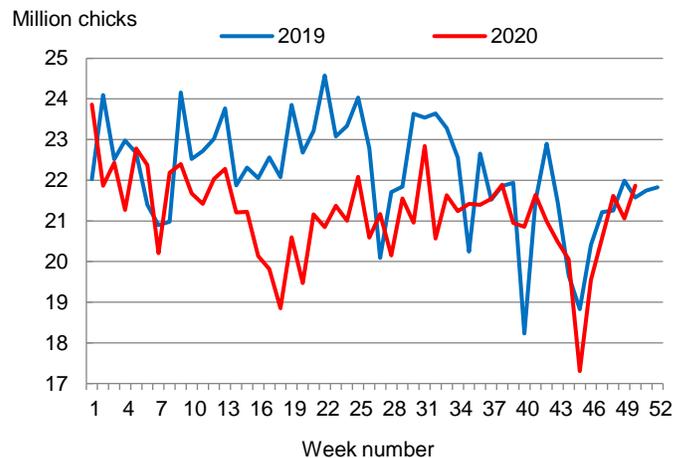
Arkansas broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 21.9 million chicks during the week ending December 12, 2020, up 1 percent from the comparable week in 2019 and up 4 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 189 million chicks for meat production during the week ending December 12, 2020, down slightly from a year ago.

**Broiler-Type Eggs Set
Arkansas: 2019 and 2020**



**Broiler-Type Chicks Placed
Arkansas: 2019 and 2020**



Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2020

State	Week ending					
	November 7, 2020	November 14, 2020	November 21, 2020	November 28, 2020	December 5, 2020	December 12, 2020
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
Alabama	30,702	32,740	33,054	32,296	32,647	32,864
Arkansas	24,120	23,661	24,051	24,133	24,150	23,739
Delaware	4,762	4,669	4,669	4,546	4,546	4,669
Florida	1,209	1,209	1,209	1,212	1,209	1,209
Georgia	32,588	34,020	34,443	34,159	32,149	34,548
Kentucky	6,854	7,808	7,798	7,800	7,083	7,794
Louisiana	3,138	3,304	3,364	3,319	3,122	3,485
Maryland	7,605	7,409	7,636	7,638	7,544	7,631
Mississippi	17,180	17,513	17,784	17,149	17,330	17,701
Missouri	8,345	9,215	9,199	9,168	9,125	9,183
North Carolina	23,577	24,432	24,560	23,397	23,907	24,280
Oklahoma	6,600	6,923	7,083	6,949	6,507	6,878
Pennsylvania	6,322	6,295	6,293	6,292	6,290	6,319
South Carolina	5,640	5,765	5,449	5,631	5,580	5,573
Texas	16,476	17,733	18,235	18,238	17,493	18,343
Virginia	5,951	6,445	6,460	6,567	6,136	6,535
CA, TN, and WV	11,910	12,944	13,299	13,110	11,328	12,642
Other States	11,185	12,636	11,834	11,717	11,237	11,929
United States	224,164	234,721	236,420	233,321	227,383	235,322
Percent of previous year	98	99	100	98	97	99

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed - Selected States and United States: 2020

State	Week ending					
	November 7, 2020	November 14, 2020	November 21, 2020	November 28, 2020	December 5, 2020	December 12, 2020
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama	23,102	23,484	21,491	22,469	23,719	24,086
Arkansas	17,306	19,547	20,586	21,617	21,058	21,867
Delaware	3,844	4,771	4,333	4,501	4,889	4,579
Florida	1,340	1,341	1,339	1,335	1,328	1,258
Georgia	25,580	26,258	24,356	25,140	26,236	26,881
Kentucky	4,909	6,267	6,190	6,013	6,262	6,442
Louisiana	2,496	2,956	2,892	2,696	2,907	2,941
Maryland	5,323	5,118	6,268	5,348	5,718	5,489
Mississippi	13,278	14,249	13,885	14,693	14,829	14,848
Missouri	5,345	6,091	5,750	5,295	6,074	5,686
North Carolina	18,474	19,811	19,599	19,548	20,055	19,840
Oklahoma	5,588	3,625	3,264	4,261	4,402	4,299
Pennsylvania	4,775	4,597	4,712	4,777	4,768	4,768
South Carolina	4,584	4,672	4,738	4,633	5,480	4,754
Texas	13,443	13,684	14,793	13,656	14,373	14,698
Virginia	6,286	5,594	4,301	5,625	5,027	6,125
CA, TN, and WV	10,152	10,667	10,190	10,214	11,320	11,113
Other States	9,243	7,465	7,543	8,535	9,490	9,139
United States	175,068	180,197	176,230	180,356	187,935	188,813
Percent of previous year	97	98	98	98	99	100