



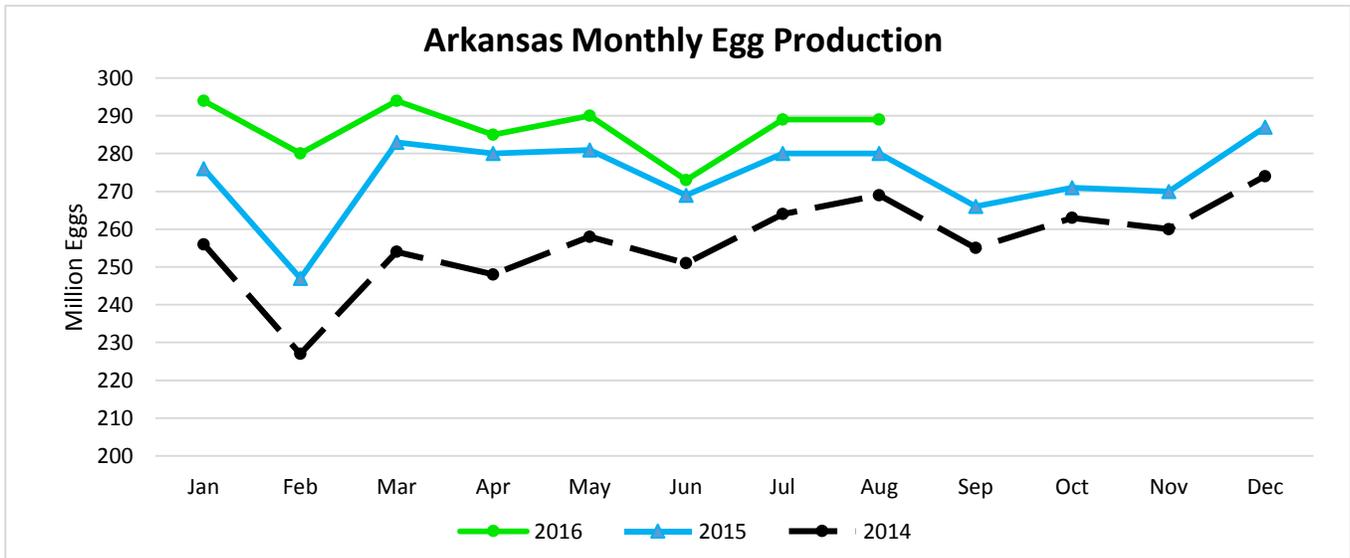
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Arkansas' egg production totaled 289 million eggs during August 2016, unchanged from the previous month, and up 3.2 percent from August 2015. Hatchery supply eggs contributed 189 million eggs to total production inventory.



The number of layers during August 2016 averaged 13.6 million, down slightly from last month but up slightly from this time last year. Egg production per 100 layers averaged 2,115 eggs, up slightly from last month and up 2.8 percent from a year ago.

