



Arkansas Chickens and Eggs

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This report contains the results from the **Monthly Chicken and Egg 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.

November Egg Production Down 2 Percent from Last Year

Egg production in Arkansas totaled 294 million eggs during November 2019, down 2 percent from the previous month and down 2 percent from November 2018. The number of layers during November 2019 averaged 14.7 million, up 2 percent from the previous month and up 1 percent from this time last year. Egg production per 100 layers averaged 1,997 eggs, down 3 percent from the previous month and down 2 percent from a year ago.

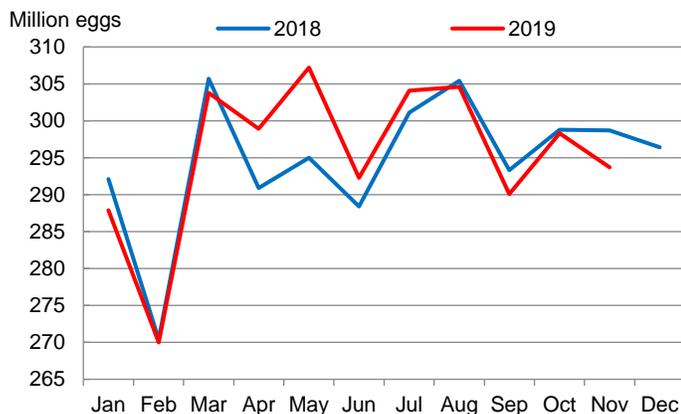
United States egg production totaled 9.50 billion during November 2019, up 4 percent from last year. The average number of layers during November 2019 totaled 402 million, up 2 percent from last year. November egg production per 100 layers was 2,364 eggs, up 2 percent from November 2018.

Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched Down 2 Percent

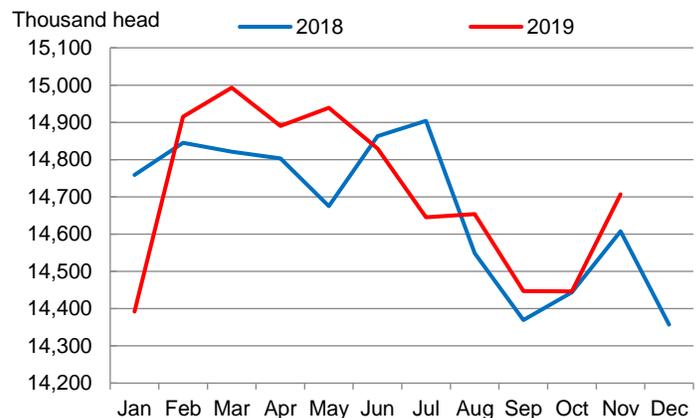
Broiler-type chicks hatched in Arkansas during November 2019 totaled 79.5 million, down 2 percent from November 2018.

Broiler-type chicks hatched in United States during November 2019 totaled 795 million, up 4 percent from November 2018.

Monthly Egg Production
Arkansas: 2018 and 2019



Average Layers During the Month
Arkansas: 2018 and 2019



Layers on Hand and Eggs Produced - Arkansas, Surrounding States, and United States: During November 2018 and 2019

State	All layers		Eggs per 100 for all layers		Total egg production		Total egg production by dozen	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(eggs)	(eggs)	(million eggs)	million eggs)	(1,000 dozen eggs)	(1,000 dozen eggs)
Alabama	9,688	9,963	1,853	1,888	179.5	188.1	14,958.4	15,675.0
Arkansas	14,608	14,707	2,045	1,997	298.7	293.7	24,891.6	24,475.0
Mississippi	5,572	5,626	2,120	2,121	118.1	119.3	9,841.6	9,941.6
Missouri	12,475	12,467	2,438	2,491	304.1	310.5	25,341.7	25,875.0
Oklahoma ¹	(NA)	2,889	(NA)	1,925	(NA)	55.6	(NA)	4,633.4
Texas	22,463	22,264	2,338	2,241	525.2	498.9	43,766.7	41,575.0
United States	394,987	401,657	2,322	2,364	9,170.9	9,495.7	764,242.0	791,307.8

(NA) Not available.

¹ Included in Other States in 2018.

Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched - Arkansas, Surrounding States, and United States: November 2018 and 2019

State	During November		
	2018	2019	Percent of previous year
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(percent)
Alabama	104,986	109,725	105
Arkansas	81,202	79,544	98
Louisiana	13,118	12,582	96
Mississippi	64,134	63,565	99
Missouri	27,992	29,224	104
Oklahoma	25,399	24,937	98
Texas	55,865	59,403	106
United States	767,008	795,078	104