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## CALIFORNIA EGG PRODUCTION

California's egg production during September totaled 327 million, down 21 million from August's production, but up 15 million from September 2020. The all layers during the month totaled 13.8 million, down 1 percent from last month, and up 3 percent from September 2020. Eggs per 100 layers during the month were 2,367, compared to 2,491 a month earlier, and 2,321 in September 2020.

## U.S. SEPTEMBER EGG PRODUCTION

United States egg production totaled 9.18 billion during September 2021, up 1 percent from last year. Production included 7.94 billion table eggs, and 1.24 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.17 billion were broiler-type and 71.2 million were egg-type. The average number of layers during September 2021 totaled 386 million, up slightly from last year. September egg production per 100 layers was 2,379 eggs, up 1 percent from September 2020.

Total layers in the United States on October 1, 2021 totaled 387 million, up slightly from last year. The 387 million layers consisted of 322 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 61.9 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 2.89 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on October 1, 2021, averaged 79.5 eggs per 100 layers, up 1 percent from October 1, 2020.

## U.S. EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

Egg-type chicks hatched during September 2021 totaled 49.2 million, down 2 percent from September 2020. Eggs in incubators totaled 46.2 million on October 1, 2021, down 1 percent from a year ago.

Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 289 thousand during September 2021, up 44 percent from September 2020.

## U.S. BROILER-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

Broiler-type chicks hatched during September 2021 totaled 802 million, down 1 percent from September 2020. Eggs in incubators totaled 695 million on October 1, 2021, up 4 percent from a year ago.

Leading breeders placed 9.62 million broiler-type pullet chicks for future domestic hatchery supply flocks during September 2021, down 1 percent from September 2020.

## U.S. TURKEY HATCHERY PRODUCTION

Turkey eggs in incubators on October 1, 2021 in the United States totaled 27.1 million, down 1 percent from October 1, 2020. Eggs in incubators were up 6 percent from the September 1, 2021 total of 25.6 million eggs.

Turkey poults hatched during September 2021 in the United States totaled 21.2 million, down 3 percent from September 2020. Poults hatched were down 7 percent from the August 2021 total of 22.9 million poults.

The 19.3 million net poults placed during September 2021 in the United States were up 1 percent from the number placed during the same month a year earlier. Net poult placements were down 11 percent from the August 2021 total of 21.8 million.

**Layer on Hand & Egg Production During September, Molted as Percent of All Layers as of October 1 – States & United States**

| State               | All layers       |                  | Eggs per 100 layers |               | Total egg production |                 | Layers being molted |                | Layers with molt completed |                |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------------------|----------------|
|                     | 2020             | 2021             | 2020                | 2021          | 2020                 | 2021            | 2020                | 2021           | 2020                       | 2021           |
|                     | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Number</i>       | <i>Number</i> | <i>Millions</i>      | <i>Millions</i> | <i>Percent</i>      | <i>Percent</i> | <i>Percent</i>             | <i>Percent</i> |
| Alabama.....        | 10,634           | 10,868           | 1,885               | 1,893         | 200.4                | 205.7           | 0.5                 | -              | 5.0                        | 4.0            |
| Arkansas.....       | 16,185           | 16,502           | 2,049               | 2,128         | 331.6                | 351.2           | 2.0                 | 1.0            | 13.0                       | 12.0           |
| California.....     | 13,449           | 13,801           | 2,321               | 2,367         | 312.1                | 326.7           | 1.0                 | -              | 8.0                        | 8.0            |
| Georgia.....        | 20,107           | 19,416           | 2,136               | 2,079         | 429.5                | 403.7           | 2.5                 | 0.5            | 9.5                        | 12.5           |
| Indiana.....        | 34,430           | 36,150           | 2,445               | 2,453         | 841.7                | 886.7           | 1.0                 | 2.5            | 13.5                       | 12.0           |
| Iowa.....           | 47,438           | 48,612           | 2,526               | 2,531         | 1,198.5              | 1,230.6         | 1.5                 | 1.5            | 14.0                       | 11.5           |
| North Carolina..... | 15,272           | 14,925           | 2,182               | 2,165         | 333.2                | 323.2           | 1.0                 | 0.5            | 10.0                       | 12.0           |
| Ohio.....           | 33,987           | 35,426           | 2,380               | 2,456         | 808.9                | 870.2           | 3.0                 | 1.5            | 20.0                       | 15.0           |
| Pennsylvania.....   | 29,571           | 30,506           | 2,520               | 2,563         | 745.1                | 782.0           | 4.5                 | 2.5            | 1.5                        | 2.5            |
| Texas.....          | 23,081           | 22,702           | 2,225               | 2,292         | 513.6                | 520.4           | 6.5                 | 7.5            | 49.0                       | 57.5           |
| United States.....  | 384,655          | 385,831          | 2,355               | 2,379         | 9,057.2              | 9,180.0         | 2.3                 | 1.8            | 14.7                       | 13.9           |

- Represents zero.

**Egg-Type Chicks Hatched by Month – United States: 2020-2021**

[Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

| Month          | 2020             |        | 2021             |                | Percent of previous year |
|----------------|------------------|--------|------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
|                | <i>Thousands</i> |        | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i> |                          |
| January.....   |                  | 52,727 |                  | 50,882         | 97                       |
| February.....  |                  | 48,148 |                  | 52,273         | 109                      |
| March.....     |                  | 56,212 |                  | 62,319         | 111                      |
| April.....     |                  | 61,015 |                  | 59,877         | 98                       |
| May.....       |                  | 52,790 |                  | 57,332         | 109                      |
| June.....      |                  | 55,537 |                  | 53,799         | 97                       |
| July.....      |                  | 46,140 |                  | 50,284         | 109                      |
| August.....    |                  | 50,007 |                  | 49,005         | 98                       |
| September..... |                  | 49,989 |                  | 49,236         | 98                       |
| October.....   |                  | 50,597 |                  |                |                          |
| November.....  |                  | 48,042 |                  |                |                          |
| December.....  |                  | 51,765 |                  |                |                          |

**Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched – States and United States: September 2020 and 2021**

| State  | 2020             |         | 2021             |                | Percent of previous year |
|--|------------------|---------|------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
|  | <i>Thousands</i> |         | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i> |                          |
| Alabama.....                                     |                  | 114,937 |                  | 115,519        | 101                      |
| Arkansas.....                                    |                  | 82,921  |                  | 80,908         | 98                       |
| Delaware.....                                    |                  | 15,891  |                  | 14,039         | 88                       |
| Florida.....                                     |                  | 4,088   |                  | 3,983          | 97                       |
| Georgia.....                                     |                  | 117,356 |                  | 116,329        | 99                       |
| Kentucky.....                                    |                  | 26,253  |                  | 24,458         | 93                       |
| Louisiana.....                                   |                  | 11,676  |                  | 10,875         | 93                       |
| Maryland.....                                    |                  | 28,290  |                  | 27,519         | 97                       |
| Mississippi.....                                 |                  | 60,408  |                  | 59,368         | 98                       |
| Missouri.....                                    |                  | 32,182  |                  | 32,995         | 103                      |
| North Carolina.....                              |                  | 82,914  |                  | 82,849         | 100                      |
| Oklahoma.....                                    |                  | 24,952  |                  | 21,978         | 88                       |
| Pennsylvania.....                                |                  | 22,787  |                  | 23,250         | 102                      |
| South Carolina.....                              |                  | 19,543  |                  | 18,309         | 94                       |
| Texas.....                                       |                  | 60,831  |                  | 61,030         | 100                      |
| Virginia.....                                    |                  | 22,190  |                  | 23,281         | 105                      |
| California, Tennessee,<br>and West Virginia..... |                  | 42,832  |                  | 42,417         | 99                       |
| Other States <sup>1</sup> .....                  |                  | 39,512  |                  | 42,628         | 108                      |
| United States.....                               |                  | 809,563 |                  | 801,735        | 99                       |

<sup>1</sup> Not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

### Turkey Eggs in Incubators and Poults Hatched by Month – United States: 2020 - 2022

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| Month           | Eggs in incubators first of month |                  | Percent of previous year | Poults hatched entire month |                  | Percent of previous year |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|                 | 2020-2021                         | 2021-2022        |                          | 2020-2021                   | 2021-2022        |                          |
|                 | <i>Thousands</i>                  | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           | <i>Thousands</i>            | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           |
| September ..... | 25,989                            | 25,639           | 99                       | 21,840                      | 21,187           | 97                       |
| October.....    | 27,293                            | 27,058           | 99                       | 23,290                      |                  |                          |
| November .....  | 26,764                            |                  |                          | 22,230                      |                  |                          |
| December .....  | 26,982                            |                  |                          | 23,090                      |                  |                          |
| January.....    | 24,635                            |                  |                          | 21,502                      |                  |                          |
| February .....  | 26,153                            |                  |                          | 20,705                      |                  |                          |
| March .....     | 26,150                            |                  |                          | 23,269                      |                  |                          |
| April .....     | 27,547                            |                  |                          | 22,599                      |                  |                          |
| May .....       | 25,403                            |                  |                          | 20,903                      |                  |                          |
| June .....      | 25,958                            |                  |                          | 21,714                      |                  |                          |
| July.....       | 26,396                            |                  |                          | 22,561                      |                  |                          |
| August .....    | 26,973                            |                  |                          | 22,892                      |                  |                          |

### Net Poults Placements by Month – United States: 2020-2021

[Includes imports and excludes exports. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

| Month           | Total all breeds |                  | Percent of previous year | Cumulative total |                  | Percent of previous year |
|-----------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|                 | 2020-2021        | 2021-2022        |                          | 2020-2021        | 2021-2022        |                          |
|                 | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Thousands</i> | <i>Percent</i>           |
| September ..... | 19,141           | 19,327           | 101                      | 19,141           | 19,327           | 101                      |
| October.....    | 20,114           |                  |                          | 39,255           |                  |                          |
| November .....  | 20,070           |                  |                          | 59,325           |                  |                          |
| December .....  | 20,569           |                  |                          | 79,894           |                  |                          |
| January.....    | 19,751           |                  |                          | 99,645           |                  |                          |
| February .....  | 18,995           |                  |                          | 118,640          |                  |                          |
| March .....     | 21,982           |                  |                          | 140,622          |                  |                          |
| April .....     | 21,620           |                  |                          | 162,242          |                  |                          |
| May .....       | 19,584           |                  |                          | 181,826          |                  |                          |
| June .....      | 20,926           |                  |                          | 202,752          |                  |                          |
| July.....       | 22,127           |                  |                          | 224,879          |                  |                          |
| August .....    | 21,751           |                  |                          | 246,630          |                  |                          |