



Pacific Region Poultry Report



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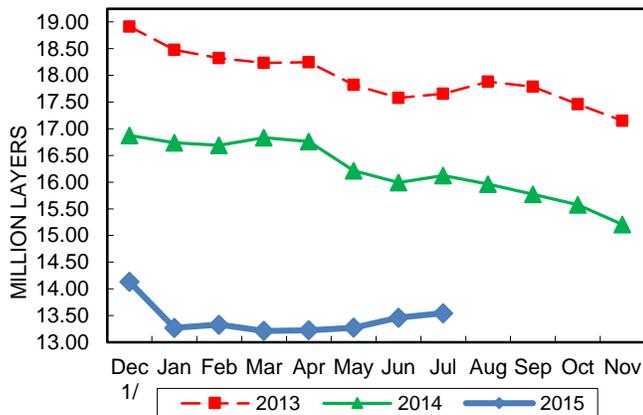
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CALIFORNIA EGG PRODUCTION

California's egg production during July totaled 310 million, up 5 million from June's production and down 74 million from July 2014. The average number of layers during the month totaled 13.5 million, up 85 thousand from last month, but down 15 percent from July 2014. Eggs per 100 layers during the month were 2,289, compared to 2,266 a month earlier, and 2,400 in July 2014.

NUMBER OF LAYERS, CALIFORNIA
DECEMBER 1/ THROUGH NOVEMBER, 2013-2015



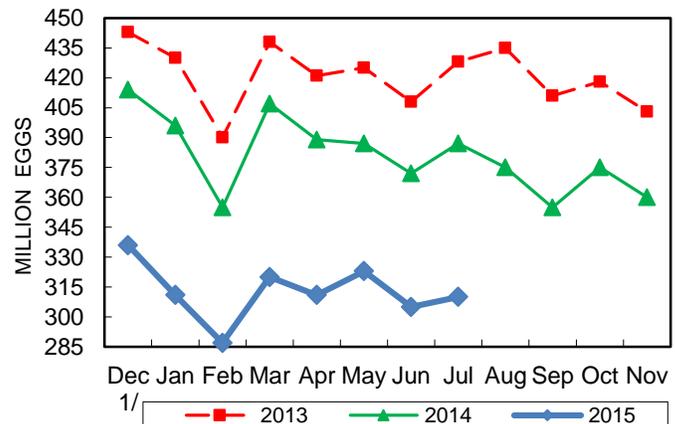
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U.S. JULY EGG PRODUCTION

United States egg production totaled 7.67 billion during July 2015, down 10 percent from last year. Production included 6.53 billion table eggs, and 1.14 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.06 billion were broiler-type and 83 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during July 2015 averaged 329 million, down 9 percent from last year. July egg production per 100 layers was 2,333 eggs, down 1 percent from July 2014.

All layers in the United States on August 1, 2015 totaled 329 million, down 9 percent from last year. The 329 million layers consisted of 271 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 54.6 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.30 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on August 1, 2015, averaged 75.0 eggs per 100 layers, down 1 percent from August 1, 2014.

EGG PRODUCTION, CALIFORNIA
DECEMBER 1/ THROUGH NOVEMBER, 2013-2015



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LAYER NUMBERS AND EGG PRODUCTION DURING JULY, FORCED MOLTING AS OF AUGUST 1

State	Average Number of Layers on Hand		Eggs Per 100 Layers		Total Egg Production		Layers Being Molted		Layers With Molt Completed 1\	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	Thousands	Thousands	Number	Number	Millions	Millions	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Alabama	9,309	9,551	2,009	1,989	187	190	1.0	0.5	6.0	8.0
Arkansas	12,271	12,906	2,086	2,069	256	267	1.5	2.0	12.5	15.0
California	15,997	13,545	2,400	2,289	384	310	6.0	5.0	30.5	31.0
Georgia	18,159	18,429	2,159	2,187	392	403	4.0	3.0	16.5	13.5
Indiana	27,467	26,884	2,403	2,425	660	652	3.5	0.5	24.5	27.5
Iowa	58,787	33,593	2,375	2,307	1,396	775	5.0	4.5	23.5	28.0
North Carolina	13,728	14,745	2,120	2,089	291	308	2.0	-	13.5	17.0
Ohio	31,145	31,778	2,459	2,410	766	766	3.0	3.0	25.0	24.0
Pennsylvania	25,146	25,683	2,513	2,507	632	644	1.0	1.5	5.5	4.5
Texas	18,901	19,424	2,312	2,265	437	440	3.0	5.5	28.0	39.5
United States	360,787	328,731	2,357	2,333	8,503	7,669	3.3	2.6	18.0	19.4

1\ Molted Layers is the same data series as the previously published Forced Molt Layers. Nomenclature changed as of January 2015.

U.S. BROILER-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

Broiler-type chicks hatched during July 2015 totaled 805 million, up 2 percent from July 2014. Eggs in incubators totaled 646 million on August 1, 2015, up slightly from a year ago.

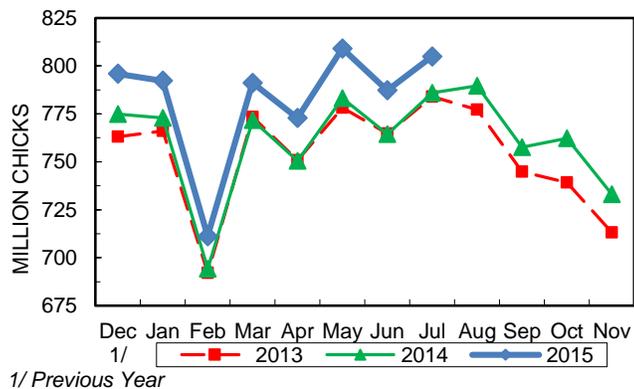
Leading breeders placed 7.43 million broiler-type pullet chicks for future domestic hatchery supply flocks during July 2015, up 20 percent from July 2014.

BROILER-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED, JULY

State	2014	2015	<u>2015</u> 2014
	Thousands		Percent
Alabama	105,993	109,515	103
Arkansas	78,083	78,834	101
Delaware	16,356	17,539	107
Florida	4,634	4,596	99
Georgia	125,030	125,674	101
Kentucky	28,525	29,345	103
Louisiana	14,390	14,211	99
Maryland	27,695	29,243	106
Mississippi	64,970	67,273	104
Missouri	31,008	30,496	98
North Carolina	77,039	79,995	104
Oklahoma	24,308	24,712	102
Pennsylvania	16,197	17,227	106
South Carolina	18,144	19,698	109
Texas	54,695	57,228	105
Virginia	25,070	24,042	96
California, Missouri, Tennessee and West Virginia	44,265	45,433	103
Other States 1/	29,494	29,805	101
UNITED STATES	785,896	804,866	102

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

**BROILER CHICKS HATCHED, UNITED STATES
DECEMBER 1/ THROUGH NOVEMBER, 2013-2015**



U.S. EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED

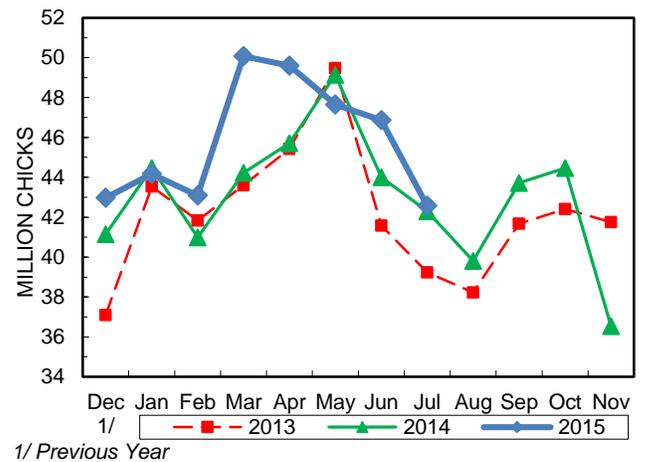
Egg-type chicks hatched during July 2015 totaled 42.6 million, up 1 percent from July 2014. Eggs in incubators totaled 44.4 million on August 1, 2015, up 12 percent from a year ago.

Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 267 thousand during July 2015, down 3 percent from July 2014.

EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED, BY MONTH, UNITED STATES

State	2014	2015	<u>2015</u> 2014
	Thousands		Percent
Jan	44,458	44,174	99
Feb	40,986	43,091	105
Mar	44,233	50,077	113
Apr	45,703	49,595	109
May	49,146	47,652	97
Jun	44,006	46,868	107
Jul	42,297	42,582	101
Aug	39,803		
Sep	43,722		
Oct	44,468		
Nov	36,544		
Dec	42,980		

**EGG-TYPE CHICKS HATCHED, UNITED STATES
DECEMBER 1/ THROUGH NOVEMBER, 2013-2015**



1/ Previous Year

EGGS IN INCUBATORS, AUGUST 1

Geographic Division	Broiler-Type			Egg-Type		
	2014	2015	<u>2015</u> 2014	2014	2015	<u>2015</u> 2014
	Thousands		Percent	Thousands		Percent
North Atlantic	14,209	13,562	95	5,472	7,401	135
East No. Central	14,131	13,874	98	6,616	7,187	109
West No. Central	30,875	30,937	100	11,514	12,847	112
South Atlantic	249,524	249,366	100	4,272	5,076	119
South Central	311,636	314,409	101	5,818	5,706	98
West	23,164	23,458	101	6,090	6,217	102
UNITED STATES	643,539	645,606	100	39,782	44,434	112

U.S. POULTRY AND EGG PRICES

Nationally, the June market egg price, at \$1.93 per dozen, increased 32.0 cents from May and is \$1.06 above June 2014. The June broiler price, at 62.0 cents per pound, is down 3.0 cents from May and 8.0 cents below a year earlier. At 81.2 cents per pound, the June turkey price is up 5.3 cents from the previous month and up 8.4 cents from 2014.

POULTRY AND EGG AVERAGE PRICES RECEIVED 1/

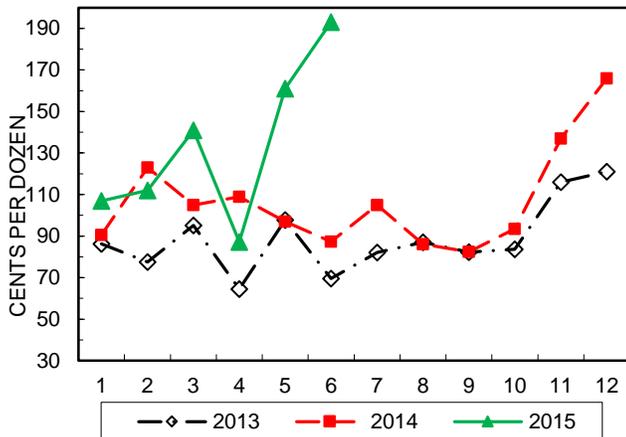
Commodity	Unit	June	May	June
		2014	2015	2015
<i>Cents</i>				
UNITED STATES				
Chickens-Broilers	Lbs.	70.0	65.0	62.0
Market Eggs 2/ 3/	Doz.	87.4	161.0	193.0
Turkeys	Lbs.	72.8	75.9	81.2

1/ The estimated prices shown in the table represent composite average prices received by producers. They are averages for all grades, classes and methods of sale of each commodity for the State and U.S. as a whole.

2/ Mid-month prices.

3/ Also referred to as table eggs.

**MARKET EGG PRICE, UNITED STATES
JANUARY THROUGH DECEMBER, 2013-2015**



U.S. TURKEY HATCHERY PRODUCTION

Turkey eggs in incubators on August 1, 2015, in the United States totaled 26.9 million, down 3 percent from August 1, 2014. Eggs in incubators were down 2 percent from the July 1, 2015 total of 27.4 million eggs.

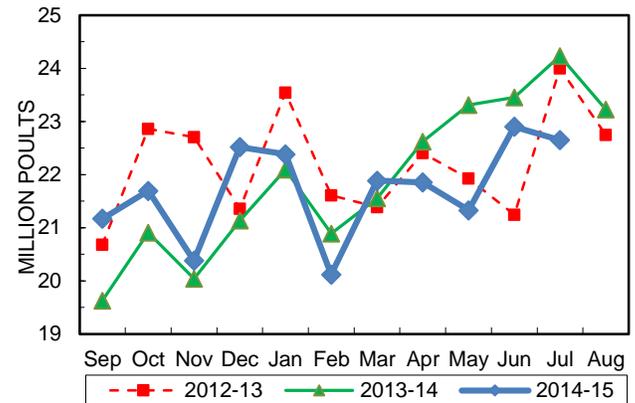
Turkey poults hatched during July 2015, in the United States totaled 22.9 million, down 6 percent from July 2014. Poults hatched were down 1 percent from the June 2015 total of 23.1 million poults.

The 22.7 million net poults placed during July 2015 in the United States were down 7 percent from the number placed during the same month a year earlier. Net placements were down 2 percent from the June 2015 total of 23.0 million.

U.S. TURKEY EGGS IN INCUBATORS AND POULTS HATCHED BY MONTH

Month	Eggs in incubators first of month		2014-15		Poults hatched entire month		2014-15
	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14	2013-14	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14
	Thousands		Percent		Thousands		Percent
Sept.	25,524	27,388	107	107	20,974	22,844	109
Oct.	26,466	27,842	105	105	22,928	23,744	104
Nov.	26,379	28,004	106	106	21,308	21,936	103
Dec.	26,478	28,964	109	109	22,074	24,660	112
Jan.	27,278	29,281	107	107	23,430	24,023	103
Feb.	26,909	27,144	101	101	21,486	21,721	101
Mar.	26,035	28,250	109	109	22,380	24,179	108
Apr.	27,195	28,799	106	106	22,800	23,261	102
May	29,017	26,845	93	93	24,189	22,161	92
June	28,918	27,232	94	94	23,647	23,129	98
July	28,627	27,357	96	96	24,405	22,898	94
Aug.	27,759	26,941	97	97	23,500		

**NET U.S. TURKEY POULT PLACEMENTS
SEPTEMBER THROUGH AUGUST, 2012-2015**



NET U.S. TURKEY POULT PLACEMENTS 1/

Month	Total All Breeds		2014-15		Cumulative Total		2014-15
	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14	2013-14	2013-14	2014-15	2013-14
	Thousands		Percent		Thousands		Percent
Sept.	19,624	21,169	108	108	19,624	21,169	108
Oct.	20,908	21,695	104	104	40,532	42,864	106
Nov.	20,042	20,379	102	102	60,574	63,243	104
Dec.	21,138	22,516	107	107	81,712	85,759	105
Jan.	22,096	22,383	101	101	103,808	108,142	104
Feb.	20,889	20,119	96	96	124,697	128,261	103
Mar.	21,557	21,885	102	102	146,254	150,146	103
Apr.	22,621	21,851	97	97	168,875	171,997	102
May	23,310	21,329	92	92	192,185	193,326	101
June	23,452	23,014	98	98	215,637	216,340	100
July	24,234	22,650	93	93	239,871	238,990	100
Aug.	23,224				263,095		

1/ Excludes exported poults.

PACIFIC COAST AND UNITED STATES COLD STORAGE

Commodity	Unit	July 31, 2014	June 30, 2015	July 31, 2015	<u>Jul. 2015</u>	<u>Jul. 2015</u>
		<i>Thousands</i>			<i>Percent</i>	
		Jul. 2014	Jun. 2015		Jul. 2014	Jun. 2015
PACIFIC COAST						
Turkeys	Lbs.	23,176	20,366	23,578	102	116
Chickens	Lbs.	45,323	65,603	71,869	159	110
Ducks	Lbs.	672	1,737	1,722	256	99
Total Frozen Poultry Supplies	Lbs.	69,171	87,706	97,169	140	111
UNITED STATES						
Turkeys	Lbs.	489,758	462,020	494,035	101	107
Chickens	Lbs.	628,749	724,415	767,907	122	106
Ducks	Lbs.	1,853	10,818	7,884	425	73
Total Frozen Poultry Supplies	Lbs.	1,120,360	1,197,253	1,269,826	113	106
Eggs, Frozen	Lbs.	31,453	26,890	27,407	87	102