



# BROILERS

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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011

State	Week Ending					
	November 26, 2011	December 3, 2011	December 10, 2011	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011
Alabama.....	27,726	27,771	28,093	27,892	27,533	27,549
Arkansas.....	19,987	20,074	20,174	20,038	20,121	20,287
Delaware.....	3,095	3,127	3,127	3,124	3,126	3,232
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,346</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>
Georgia.....	31,647	31,993	31,595	31,779	31,679	31,839
Kentucky.....	7,226	7,542	7,609	7,601	7,499	7,444
Louisiana.....	3,379	3,364	3,364	3,409	3,364	3,348
Maryland.....	7,632	7,275	7,322	7,121	7,483	7,447
Mississippi.....	17,775	18,229	18,100	18,337	18,266	17,763
Missouri.....	8,036	8,052	7,931	7,941	7,945	7,433
North Carolina.....	19,958	20,019	19,768	19,629	19,767	19,927
Oklahoma.....	6,576	6,401	6,721	6,802	6,710	6,268
Pennsylvania.....	3,794	3,854	3,756	3,927	3,769	3,812
South Carolina.....	5,352	5,048	5,200	5,509	5,362	5,164
Texas.....	14,459	14,225	14,317	14,365	13,723	13,898
Virginia.....	5,962	5,660	6,045	5,813	6,041	5,909
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,273	10,922	11,292	10,321	11,445	11,432
19 State Total.....	195,228	194,902	195,766	194,959	195,182	194,099
Prev. Year Total.....	207,175	203,973	205,282	205,187	205,240	203,224

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011

State	Week Ending					
	November 26, 2011	December 3, 2011	December 10, 2011	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011
Alabama.....	17,578	19,231	20,541	19,985	20,588	20,811
Arkansas.....	19,647	20,749	19,633	19,201	19,333	20,378
Delaware.....	4,428	4,303	3,501	4,439	3,355	4,385
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>1,299</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1,160</b>
Georgia.....	25,440	25,259	26,653	27,411	27,617	26,832
Kentucky.....	6,217	5,972	6,610	5,558	6,015	6,381
Louisiana.....	2,995	2,920	2,992	2,955	2,972	2,943
Maryland.....	5,317	6,729	6,825	6,261	6,667	5,968
Mississippi.....	15,320	14,971	15,595	15,133	15,590	15,407
Missouri.....	4,983	5,183	5,628	5,895	5,734	5,004
North Carolina.....	16,099	16,108	15,557	15,239	15,729	15,697
Oklahoma.....	3,686	3,286	4,068	4,172	4,264	3,746
Pennsylvania.....	2,858	3,096	3,113	3,114	3,196	3,072
South Carolina.....	5,026	4,660	4,323	4,565	4,087	4,115
Texas.....	11,897	11,931	12,062	12,128	11,657	11,838
Virginia.....	4,778	4,281	4,699	4,571	4,624	4,710
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,575	11,558	10,527	10,967	10,823	10,536
19 State Total.....	157,822	161,536	163,379	162,667	163,215	162,983
Prev. Year Total.....	164,970	168,395	169,211	170,078	168,134	168,813

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.16 million broiler chicks with producers during the week ending December 31, 2011. Placements were 20 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending February 11, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.53 million birds compared to 7.34 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending December 31, 2011, slightly below placements of the previous week and three percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 972 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2010 & 2011	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
November 26 .....	1,339	978	164,970	157,822	96	January 7
December 3 .....	1,219	1,299	168,395	161,536	96	January 14
December 10 .....	1,207	1,052	169,211	163,379	97	January 21
December 17 .....	1,183	1,073	170,078	162,667	96	January 28
December 24 .....	1,253	964	168,134	163,215	97	February 4
December 31 .....	1,135	1,160	168,813	162,983	97	February 11
Six-week total .....	7,336	6,526	1,009,601	971,602	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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January 12, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011

State	Week Ending					
	December 3, 2011	December 10, 2011	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012
Alabama.....	27,771	28,093	27,904	27,533	27,549	27,126
Arkansas.....	20,074	20,174	20,038	20,121	20,287	20,082
Delaware.....	3,127	3,127	3,124	3,126	3,232	3,265
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,346</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	31,993	31,595	31,846	31,679	31,839	31,430
Kentucky.....	7,542	7,593	7,715	7,499	7,550	7,635
Louisiana.....	3,364	3,364	3,409	3,364	3,348	3,364
Maryland.....	7,275	7,322	7,121	7,483	7,447	7,364
Mississippi.....	18,229	18,100	18,337	18,266	17,763	17,573
Missouri.....	8,052	7,931	7,941	7,945	7,433	7,853
North Carolina.....	20,019	19,768	19,707	19,767	19,927	19,772
Oklahoma.....	6,401	6,721	6,802	6,710	6,268	6,585
Pennsylvania.....	3,854	3,756	3,927	3,769	3,812	3,818
South Carolina.....	5,048	5,200	5,509	5,362	5,164	5,250
Texas.....	14,237	14,330	14,353	13,711	13,887	14,089
Virginia.....	5,660	6,045	5,813	6,041	5,909	5,694
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,673	10,939	10,190	11,126	10,709	10,619
19 State Total.....	194,665	195,410	195,087	194,851	193,471	192,870
Prev. Year Total.....	203,973	205,282	205,187	205,240	203,224	205,419

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011

State	Week Ending					
	December 3, 2011	December 10, 2011	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012
Alabama.....	19,231	20,541	19,985	20,588	20,811	20,143
Arkansas.....	20,749	19,633	19,201	19,333	20,378	19,296
Delaware.....	4,303	3,501	4,439	3,355	4,385	3,952
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,299</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>
Georgia.....	25,259	26,653	27,411	27,617	26,832	27,027
Kentucky.....	5,972	6,610	5,558	6,015	6,378	6,098
Louisiana.....	2,920	2,992	2,955	2,972	2,943	2,987
Maryland.....	6,729	6,825	6,261	6,667	5,968	5,474
Mississippi.....	14,971	15,595	15,133	15,590	15,407	15,527
Missouri.....	5,183	5,628	5,895	5,734	5,004	5,554
North Carolina.....	16,108	15,557	15,239	15,729	15,697	15,496
Oklahoma.....	3,286	4,068	4,172	4,264	3,746	4,042
Pennsylvania.....	3,096	3,113	3,114	3,196	3,134	3,275
South Carolina.....	4,660	4,323	4,565	4,183	4,115	4,828
Texas.....	11,931	12,072	12,138	11,667	11,848	11,941
Virginia.....	4,281	4,699	4,571	4,624	4,710	5,698
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,509	10,428	10,821	10,689	10,339	9,569
19 State Total.....	161,487	163,290	162,531	163,187	162,855	162,067
Prev. Year Total.....	168,395	169,211	170,078	168,134	168,813	168,417

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.16 million broiler chicks with producers during the week ending January 7, 2012. Placements were the same as the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending February 18, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.71 million birds compared to 7.38 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 162 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending January 7, 2012, slightly below placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 975 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2010 & 2011	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
December 3 .....	1,219	1,299	168,395	161,487	96	January 14
December 10 .....	1,207	1,052	169,211	163,290	97	January 21
December 17 .....	1,183	1,073	170,078	162,531	96	January 28
December 24 .....	1,253	964	168,134	163,187	97	February 4
December 31 .....	1,135	1,160	168,813	162,855	96	February 11
January 7 .....	1,387	1,160	168,417	162,067	96	February 18
Six-week total .....	7,384	6,708	1,013,048	975,417	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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January 19, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011

State	Week Ending					
	December 10, 2011	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012
Alabama.....	28,093	27,904	27,704	27,549	27,127	26,905
Arkansas.....	20,174	20,038	20,121	20,287	20,082	20,085
Delaware.....	3,127	3,124	3,126	3,232	3,265	3,257
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	31,595	31,846	31,679	31,839	31,430	31,350
Kentucky.....	7,556	7,716	7,568	7,550	7,635	7,571
Louisiana.....	3,364	3,409	3,333	3,348	3,364	3,379
Maryland.....	7,322	7,121	7,483	7,447	7,364	7,098
Mississippi.....	18,100	18,337	18,266	17,763	17,573	17,475
Missouri.....	7,931	7,941	7,945	7,433	7,853	7,623
North Carolina.....	19,768	19,707	20,094	19,927	19,772	20,010
Oklahoma.....	6,721	6,802	6,710	6,268	6,585	6,787
Pennsylvania.....	3,756	3,927	3,769	3,812	3,662	3,785
South Carolina.....	5,200	5,509	5,362	5,164	5,250	5,348
Texas.....	14,330	14,353	14,054	13,887	14,089	13,652
Virginia.....	6,045	5,813	6,041	5,909	5,694	5,939
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,939	10,190	11,126	10,709	10,619	10,814
19 State Total.....	195,373	195,088	195,730	193,471	192,715	192,429
Prev. Year Total.....	205,282	205,187	205,240	203,224	205,419	205,099

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011

State	Week Ending					
	December 10, 2011	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012
Alabama.....	20,541	19,985	20,588	20,811	20,132	19,899
Arkansas.....	19,633	19,201	19,333	20,378	19,296	18,017
Delaware.....	3,501	4,439	3,355	4,385	3,952	4,220
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,166</b>
Georgia.....	26,653	27,411	27,617	26,917	26,997	27,329
Kentucky.....	6,610	5,558	6,015	6,378	6,098	6,021
Louisiana.....	2,992	2,955	2,972	2,943	2,987	2,992
Maryland.....	6,825	6,261	6,667	5,968	5,474	5,213
Mississippi.....	15,595	15,133	15,590	15,407	15,542	15,610
Missouri.....	5,628	5,895	5,734	5,004	5,554	6,087
North Carolina.....	15,557	15,239	15,729	15,635	15,439	15,812
Oklahoma.....	4,068	4,172	4,264	3,746	4,042	4,693
Pennsylvania.....	3,113	3,114	3,196	3,134	3,196	3,290
South Carolina.....	4,323	4,565	4,183	4,115	4,828	4,435
Texas.....	12,072	12,138	11,667	11,848	11,941	11,772
Virginia.....	4,699	4,571	4,624	4,710	5,698	4,693
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,428	10,821	10,689	10,339	9,569	10,872
19 State Total.....	163,290	162,531	163,187	162,878	161,905	162,121
Prev. Year Total.....	169,211	170,078	168,134	168,813	168,417	168,220

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.17 million broiler chicks with producers during the week ending January 14, 2012. Placements were one percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending February 25, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.58 million birds compared to 7.43 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 162 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending January 14, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week but four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 976 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2010 & 2011	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
December 10.....	1,207	1,052	169,211	163,290	97	January 21
December 17.....	1,183	1,073	170,078	162,531	96	January 28
December 24.....	1,253	964	168,134	163,187	97	February 4
December 31.....	1,135	1,160	168,813	162,878	96	February 11
January 7.....	1,387	1,160	168,417	161,905	96	February 18
January 14.....	1,269	1,166	168,220	162,121	96	February 25
Six-week total.....	7,434	6,575	1,012,873	975,912	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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January 26, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011 and 2012

State	Week Ending					
	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012
Alabama.....	27,904	27,704	27,562	27,127	26,905	27,092
Arkansas.....	20,038	20,121	20,187	20,082	20,085	20,073
Delaware.....	3,124	3,126	3,232	3,265	3,261	3,262
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,846	31,736	31,839	31,430	31,386	31,148
Kentucky.....	7,716	7,648	7,619	7,635	7,571	7,643
Louisiana.....	3,409	3,333	3,348	3,364	3,379	3,440
Maryland.....	7,121	7,483	7,447	7,364	7,098	7,628
Mississippi.....	18,337	18,266	17,763	17,573	17,475	18,111
Missouri.....	7,941	7,945	7,433	7,853	7,623	7,677
North Carolina.....	19,707	20,094	19,927	19,772	20,010	19,988
Oklahoma.....	6,802	6,710	6,268	6,585	6,787	6,721
Pennsylvania.....	3,927	3,769	3,812	3,662	3,875	3,877
South Carolina.....	5,509	5,362	5,164	5,250	5,348	5,363
Texas.....	14,353	14,054	13,887	14,089	13,652	14,249
Virginia.....	5,813	6,041	5,909	5,694	5,939	6,231
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,190	11,126	10,709	10,208	10,454	9,659
19 State Total.....	195,088	195,867	193,453	192,304	192,199	193,515
Prev. Year Total.....	205,187	205,240	203,224	205,419	205,099	204,116

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011 and 2012

State	Week Ending					
	December 17, 2011	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012
Alabama.....	19,985	20,588	20,811	20,132	19,898	20,269
Arkansas.....	19,201	19,333	20,378	19,296	18,012	18,621
Delaware.....	4,439	3,355	4,385	3,952	4,547	4,027
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>953</b>
Georgia.....	27,411	27,617	26,917	26,997	27,346	26,950
Kentucky.....	5,558	6,015	6,378	6,098	6,021	5,990
Louisiana.....	2,955	2,972	2,943	2,987	2,992	2,995
Maryland.....	6,261	6,667	5,968	5,474	6,060	6,277
Mississippi.....	15,133	15,590	15,407	15,542	15,594	15,060
Missouri.....	5,895	5,734	5,004	5,554	6,087	4,913
North Carolina.....	15,239	15,729	15,635	15,439	15,738	15,694
Oklahoma.....	4,172	4,264	3,746	4,042	4,693	4,599
Pennsylvania.....	3,114	3,196	3,134	3,196	3,136	3,183
South Carolina.....	4,565	4,183	4,115	4,828	4,435	4,221
Texas.....	12,138	11,667	11,848	11,941	11,772	11,553
Virginia.....	4,571	4,624	4,710	5,698	4,693	4,844
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,821	10,689	10,339	9,589	10,881	10,619
19 State Total.....	162,531	163,187	162,878	161,925	163,065	160,768
Prev. Year Total.....	170,078	168,134	168,813	168,417	168,220	167,507

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 953,000 broilers chicks with producers during the week ending January 21, 2012. Placements were 18 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending March 3, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.47 million birds compared to 7.46 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 161 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending January 14, 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 974 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2010 & 2011	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
December 17 .....	1,183	1,073	170,078	162,531	96	January 28
December 24 .....	1,253	964	168,134	163,187	97	February 4
December 31 .....	1,135	1,160	168,813	162,878	96	February 11
January 7 .....	1,387	1,160	168,417	161,925	96	February 18
January 14 .....	1,269	1,160	168,220	163,065	97	February 25
January 21 .....	1,230	953	167,507	160,768	96	March 3
Six-week total .....	7,457	6,470	1,011,169	974,354	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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February 2, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011 and 2012

State	Week Ending					
	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012
Alabama.....	27,704	27,562	28,078	27,839	28,025	27,963
Arkansas.....	20,121	20,187	20,082	20,085	20,073	20,235
Delaware.....	3,126	3,232	3,265	3,261	3,262	3,262
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia.....	31,736	31,839	31,430	31,386	31,148	31,630
Kentucky.....	7,648	7,634	7,626	7,571	7,643	7,389
Louisiana.....	3,333	3,348	3,364	3,379	3,440	3,424
Maryland.....	7,483	7,447	7,364	7,098	7,669	7,216
Mississippi.....	18,266	17,763	17,573	17,475	18,111	18,185
Missouri.....	7,945	7,433	7,853	7,623	7,677	7,668
North Carolina.....	20,094	19,927	19,760	20,010	19,988	19,952
Oklahoma.....	6,710	6,268	6,585	6,787	6,721	6,609
Pennsylvania.....	3,769	3,812	3,662	3,875	3,849	3,785
South Carolina.....	5,362	5,164	5,250	5,348	5,363	5,156
Texas.....	14,054	13,887	14,316	13,652	14,249	14,322
Virginia.....	6,041	5,909	5,694	5,939	6,231	5,698
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,126	10,709	10,208	10,454	9,659	10,694
19 State Total.....	195,867	193,468	193,461	193,133	194,461	194,540
Prev. Year Total.....	205,240	203,224	205,419	205,099	204,116	203,933

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011 and 2012

State	Week Ending					
	December 24, 2011	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012
Alabama.....	20,588	20,811	20,132	19,898	20,265	20,287
Arkansas.....	19,333	20,378	19,296	18,012	18,621	19,924
Delaware.....	3,355	4,385	3,952	4,547	3,901	4,607
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>1,136</b>
Georgia.....	27,617	26,917	26,997	27,346	26,950	26,830
Kentucky.....	6,015	6,378	6,098	6,021	5,990	6,540
Louisiana.....	2,972	2,943	2,987	2,992	2,995	3,010
Maryland.....	6,667	5,968	5,474	6,060	6,386	5,337
Mississippi.....	15,590	15,407	15,542	15,594	15,053	15,216
Missouri.....	5,734	5,004	5,554	6,087	4,913	5,036
North Carolina.....	15,729	15,635	15,439	15,738	15,698	16,007
Oklahoma.....	4,264	3,746	4,042	4,693	4,691	3,928
Pennsylvania.....	3,196	3,134	3,196	3,136	3,179	3,059
South Carolina.....	4,183	4,115	4,828	4,435	4,221	4,124
Texas.....	11,667	11,848	11,941	11,772	11,748	11,786
Virginia.....	4,624	4,710	5,698	4,693	4,844	4,785
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,689	10,339	9,589	10,881	10,619	9,693
19 State Total.....	163,187	162,878	161,925	163,065	161,027	161,305
Prev. Year Total.....	168,134	168,813	168,417	168,220	167,507	168,493

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.14 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending January 28, 2012. Placements were 19 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending March 10, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.53 million birds compared to 7.50 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 161 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending January 28, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 973 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2010 & 2011	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
December 24 .....	1,253	964	168,134	163,187	97	February 4
December 31 .....	1,135	1,160	168,813	162,878	96	February 11
January 7 .....	1,387	1,160	168,417	161,925	96	February 18
January 14 .....	1,269	1,160	168,220	163,065	97	February 25
January 21 .....	1,230	953	167,507	161,027	96	March 3
January 28 .....	1,224	1,136	168,493	161,305	96	March 10
Six-week total .....	7,498	6,533	1,009,584	973,387	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011 and 2012

State	Week Ending					
	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012
Alabama.....	27,562	28,078	27,840	28,025	27,962	26,916
Arkansas.....	20,187	20,082	20,085	20,073	20,235	19,931
Delaware.....	3,232	3,265	3,261	3,262	3,258	3,265
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia.....	31,839	31,430	31,386	31,148	31,630	30,927
Kentucky.....	7,634	7,545	7,664	7,643	7,389	7,655
Louisiana.....	3,348	3,364	3,379	3,440	3,424	3,440
Maryland.....	7,447	7,364	7,098	7,669	7,216	6,867
Mississippi.....	17,763	17,573	17,626	18,111	18,185	18,147
Missouri.....	7,433	7,853	7,623	7,677	7,668	7,784
North Carolina.....	19,927	19,760	19,790	19,988	19,952	20,206
Oklahoma.....	6,268	6,585	6,787	6,721	6,609	6,841
Pennsylvania.....	3,812	3,662	3,875	3,849	3,831	3,711
South Carolina.....	5,164	5,250	5,348	5,363	5,156	5,318
Texas.....	13,915	14,343	14,053	14,272	14,345	14,441
Virginia.....	5,909	5,694	5,939	6,231	5,698	5,985
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,577	10,010	10,479	9,376	10,478	10,247
19 State Total.....	193,364	193,209	193,584	194,201	194,388	193,033
Prev. Year Total.....	203,224	205,419	205,099	204,116	203,933	205,787

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2011 and 2012

State	Week Ending					
	December 31, 2011	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012
Alabama.....	20,811	20,132	19,898	20,265	20,298	19,730
Arkansas.....	20,378	19,296	18,012	18,621	19,924	20,438
Delaware.....	4,385	3,952	4,547	3,901	4,431	4,082
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>1,149</b>
Georgia.....	26,917	26,997	27,346	26,950	27,019	26,053
Kentucky.....	6,378	6,098	6,021	6,219	6,646	5,839
Louisiana.....	2,943	2,987	2,992	2,995	3,010	3,023
Maryland.....	5,968	5,474	6,060	6,386	5,518	5,790
Mississippi.....	15,407	15,542	15,594	15,053	15,037	15,122
Missouri.....	5,004	5,554	6,087	4,913	5,036	4,932
North Carolina.....	15,635	15,439	15,738	15,698	15,780	15,699
Oklahoma.....	3,746	4,042	4,693	4,691	3,943	3,220
Pennsylvania.....	3,134	3,196	3,136	3,179	3,065	3,229
South Carolina.....	4,115	4,828	4,435	4,221	4,124	4,956
Texas.....	11,848	11,964	11,794	11,770	11,809	11,575
Virginia.....	4,710	5,698	4,693	4,844	4,785	5,164
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,364	9,509	10,772	10,296	9,565	10,319
19 State Total.....	162,903	161,868	162,978	160,955	161,126	160,320
Prev. Year Total.....	168,813	168,417	168,220	167,507	168,493	168,151

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.15 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending February 4, 2012. Placements were one percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending March 17, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.72 million birds compared to 7.47 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 160 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending February 4, 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week and five percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 970 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2010 & 2011	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	2011 & 2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
December 31 .....	1,135	1,160	168,813	162,903	96	February 11
January 7.....	1,387	1,160	168,417	161,868	96	February 18
January 14.....	1,269	1,160	168,220	162,978	97	February 25
January 21.....	1,230	953	167,507	160,955	96	March 3
January 28 .....	1,224	1,136	168,493	161,126	96	March 10
February 4.....	1,229	1,149	168,151	160,320	95	March 17
Six-week total .....	7,474	6,718	1,009,601	970,150	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012
Alabama.....	28,078	27,840	28,094	27,962	26,917	27,060
Arkansas.....	20,082	20,085	20,146	20,235	19,931	20,091
Delaware.....	3,265	3,261	3,262	3,258	3,265	3,188
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia.....	31,430	31,386	31,148	31,630	30,927	31,983
Kentucky.....	7,545	7,668	7,652	7,389	7,665	7,645
Louisiana.....	3,364	3,379	3,440	3,424	3,440	3,440
Maryland.....	7,364	7,098	7,669	7,216	6,874	7,484
Mississippi.....	17,573	17,626	18,111	18,185	18,147	18,356
Missouri.....	7,853	7,623	7,677	7,668	7,784	7,817
North Carolina.....	19,760	19,790	19,988	19,952	20,206	20,361
Oklahoma.....	6,585	6,787	6,721	6,609	6,841	6,923
Pennsylvania.....	3,662	3,875	3,849	3,831	3,649	3,763
South Carolina.....	5,250	5,348	5,363	5,156	5,318	5,282
Texas.....	14,343	14,053	14,272	14,345	14,410	14,805
Virginia.....	5,694	5,939	6,231	5,698	5,985	6,200
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,021	10,494	9,387	10,488	10,258	10,087
19 State Total.....	193,220	193,603	194,363	194,398	192,969	195,837
Prev. Year Total.....	205,419	205,099	204,116	203,933	205,787	204,337

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 7, 2012	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012
Alabama.....	20,132	19,898	20,265	20,298	19,733	19,445
Arkansas.....	19,296	18,012	18,621	19,924	20,438	18,219
Delaware.....	3,952	4,547	3,901	4,431	4,016	4,433
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>1,048</b>
Georgia.....	26,997	27,346	26,950	27,019	26,053	27,384
Kentucky.....	6,098	6,021	6,219	6,646	6,181	6,452
Louisiana.....	2,987	2,992	2,995	3,010	3,023	3,062
Maryland.....	5,474	6,060	6,386	5,518	5,849	6,406
Mississippi.....	15,542	15,594	15,053	15,037	15,155	15,606
Missouri.....	5,554	6,087	4,910	5,034	4,934	5,755
North Carolina.....	15,439	15,738	15,698	15,780	15,699	15,648
Oklahoma.....	4,042	4,693	4,691	3,943	3,220	4,755
Pennsylvania.....	3,196	3,136	3,179	3,065	3,211	3,100
South Carolina.....	4,828	4,435	4,221	4,124	4,956	4,798
Texas.....	11,964	11,794	11,770	11,809	11,568	12,111
Virginia.....	5,698	4,693	4,844	4,785	5,164	4,607
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,509	10,778	10,300	9,573	10,330	9,444
19 State Total.....	161,868	162,984	160,956	161,132	160,679	162,273
Prev. Year Total.....	168,417	168,220	167,507	168,493	168,151	167,953

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.05 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending February 11, 2012. Placements were nine percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending March 24, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.61 million birds compared to 7.54 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 162 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending February 11, 2012, one percent above placements of the previous week but one percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 970 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
January 7.....	1,387	1,160	168,417	161,868	96	February 18
January 14.....	1,269	1,160	168,220	162,984	97	February 25
January 21.....	1,230	953	167,507	160,956	96	March 3
January 28.....	1,224	1,136	168,493	161,132	96	March 10
February 4.....	1,229	1,149	168,151	160,679	96	March 17
February 11.....	1,202	1,048	164,631	162,273	99	March 24
Six-week total.....	7,541	6,606	1,005,419	969,892	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012
Alabama.....	27,840	28,094	28,029	26,917	27,060	27,638
Arkansas.....	20,085	20,146	20,235	19,931	20,091	19,499
Delaware.....	3,261	3,262	3,258	3,265	3,188	3,229
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,243</b>
Georgia.....	31,386	31,148	31,630	30,859	31,983	32,221
Kentucky.....	7,668	7,722	7,582	7,665	7,666	7,546
Louisiana.....	3,379	3,440	3,424	3,440	3,440	3,424
Maryland.....	7,098	7,669	7,216	6,874	7,484	7,067
Mississippi.....	17,102	17,587	17,662	17,623	17,832	17,663
Missouri.....	7,623	7,677	7,668	7,784	7,817	7,807
North Carolina.....	19,790	19,988	19,741	20,206	20,310	20,143
Oklahoma.....	6,787	6,721	6,609	6,841	6,923	6,768
Pennsylvania.....	3,875	3,849	3,831	3,649	3,539	3,748
South Carolina.....	5,348	5,363	5,156	5,318	5,282	5,404
Texas.....	14,053	14,272	14,345	14,410	14,805	14,904
Virginia.....	5,939	6,231	5,698	5,985	6,200	5,963
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,494	9,387	10,488	10,258	10,087	10,273
19 State Total.....	193,079	193,909	193,924	192,377	195,059	194,540
Prev. Year Total.....	205,099	204,116	203,933	205,787	204,337	207,150

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 14, 2012	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012
Alabama.....	19,898	20,265	20,298	19,733	19,445	21,845
Arkansas.....	18,012	18,621	19,924	20,438	18,219	19,111
Delaware.....	4,547	3,901	4,431	4,016	4,433	4,363
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>1,062</b>
Georgia.....	27,346	26,950	27,019	26,053	27,384	25,271
Kentucky.....	6,021	6,219	6,646	6,181	6,544	6,008
Louisiana.....	2,992	2,995	3,010	3,023	3,062	3,068
Maryland.....	6,060	6,386	5,518	5,849	6,406	5,968
Mississippi.....	15,160	14,619	14,603	14,721	15,172	15,227
Missouri.....	6,087	4,910	5,034	4,934	5,755	5,674
North Carolina.....	15,738	15,698	15,780	15,699	15,648	15,418
Oklahoma.....	4,693	4,691	3,943	3,220	4,755	4,003
Pennsylvania.....	3,136	3,179	3,065	3,211	3,107	3,208
South Carolina.....	4,435	4,221	4,124	4,956	4,798	4,971
Texas.....	11,794	11,770	11,809	11,568	12,111	11,941
Virginia.....	4,693	4,844	4,785	5,164	4,607	4,096
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,778	10,300	9,573	10,330	9,444	10,073
19 State Total.....	162,550	160,522	160,698	160,245	161,938	161,307
Prev. Year Total.....	168,220	167,507	168,493	168,151	167,953	167,473

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.06 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending February 18, 2012. Placements were one percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending March 31, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.51 million birds compared to 7.36 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 161 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending February 18, 2012, slightly below placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 967 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
January 14.....	1,269	1,160	168,220	162,550	97	February 25
January 21.....	1,230	953	167,507	160,522	96	March 3
January 28.....	1,224	1,136	168,493	160,698	95	March 10
February 4.....	1,229	1,149	168,151	160,245	95	March 17
February 11.....	1,202	1,048	167,953	161,938	96	March 24
February 18.....	1,201	1,062	167,473	161,307	96	March 31
Six-week total.....	7,355	6,508	1,007,797	967,260	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012
Alabama.....	28,094	28,029	26,946	27,060	27,638	28,000
Arkansas.....	20,146	20,235	19,931	20,091	19,499	20,142
Delaware.....	3,262	3,258	3,265	3,188	3,191	3,190
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,148	31,630	31,616	31,983	32,222	32,143
Kentucky.....	7,722	7,582	7,416	7,666	7,546	6,478
Louisiana.....	3,440	3,424	3,440	3,440	3,424	3,379
Maryland.....	7,669	7,216	6,874	7,484	7,067	7,204
Mississippi.....	17,587	17,662	17,623	17,832	17,663	17,814
Missouri.....	7,677	7,668	7,784	7,817	7,807	7,672
North Carolina.....	19,988	19,741	20,207	20,310	20,143	20,325
Oklahoma.....	6,721	6,609	6,841	6,923	6,768	6,688
Pennsylvania.....	3,849	3,831	3,649	3,539	3,497	3,688
South Carolina.....	5,363	5,156	5,318	5,282	5,404	5,296
Texas.....	14,272	14,345	14,410	14,805	14,904	14,572
Virginia.....	6,231	5,698	5,985	6,200	5,963	6,168
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,387	10,488	10,486	10,121	10,387	11,113
19 State Total.....	193,909	193,924	193,143	195,093	194,366	195,225
Prev. Year Total.....	204,116	203,933	205,787	204,337	207,150	206,633

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 21, 2012	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012
Alabama.....	20,265	20,298	19,955	19,445	21,845	18,833
Arkansas.....	18,621	19,924	20,438	18,219	19,111	19,144
Delaware.....	3,901	4,431	4,016	4,433	4,404	3,358
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>1,073</b>
Georgia.....	26,950	27,019	26,053	27,384	25,271	27,868
Kentucky.....	6,219	6,646	6,181	6,544	6,008	5,504
Louisiana.....	2,995	3,010	3,023	3,062	3,068	3,092
Maryland.....	6,386	5,518	5,849	6,406	5,959	6,833
Mississippi.....	14,619	14,603	14,721	15,172	15,227	15,192
Missouri.....	4,910	5,034	4,934	5,755	5,674	4,613
North Carolina.....	15,698	15,780	15,699	15,648	15,418	15,820
Oklahoma.....	4,691	3,943	3,220	4,755	4,003	5,026
Pennsylvania.....	3,179	3,065	3,211	3,107	3,159	3,060
South Carolina.....	4,221	4,124	4,956	4,798	4,971	4,197
Texas.....	11,770	11,809	11,568	12,111	11,941	11,971
Virginia.....	4,844	4,785	5,164	4,607	4,096	4,547
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,300	9,573	10,632	9,451	10,094	10,176
19 State Total.....	160,522	160,698	160,769	161,945	161,311	160,307
Prev. Year Total.....	167,507	168,493	168,151	167,953	167,473	168,805

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.07 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending February 25, 2012. Placements were one percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending April 7, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.42 million birds compared to 7.44 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 160 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending February 25, 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week and five percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 966 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
January 21.....	1,230	953	167,507	160,522	96	March 3
January 28.....	1,224	1,136	168,493	160,698	95	March 10
February 4.....	1,229	1,149	168,151	160,769	96	March 17
February 11.....	1,202	1,048	167,953	161,945	96	March 24
February 18.....	1,201	1,062	167,473	161,311	96	March 31
February 25.....	1,349	1,073	168,805	160,307	95	April 7
Six-week total.....	7,435	6,421	1,008,382	965,552	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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March 8, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012
Alabama.....	28,029	26,946	27,085	27,638	28,000	27,580
Arkansas.....	20,235	19,931	20,091	19,499	20,142	20,493
Delaware.....	3,258	3,265	3,188	3,191	3,190	3,191
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,350</b>
Georgia.....	31,630	31,616	31,983	32,222	32,143	32,150
Kentucky.....	7,582	7,478	7,720	7,546	6,483	7,855
Louisiana.....	3,424	3,440	3,470	3,424	3,379	3,470
Maryland.....	7,216	6,874	7,484	7,067	7,204	7,212
Mississippi.....	17,662	17,623	17,832	17,663	17,814	17,799
Missouri.....	7,668	7,784	7,817	7,807	7,672	7,840
North Carolina.....	19,741	20,207	20,310	20,143	20,325	20,397
Oklahoma.....	6,609	6,841	6,923	6,768	6,688	6,930
Pennsylvania.....	3,831	3,649	3,539	3,497	3,714	3,719
South Carolina.....	5,156	5,318	5,282	5,404	5,296	5,291
Texas.....	14,345	14,410	15,025	14,904	14,693	14,720
Virginia.....	5,698	5,985	6,199	5,963	6,168	6,118
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,488	10,486	10,135	10,387	11,113	11,043
19 State Total.....	193,924	193,205	195,435	194,366	195,377	197,158
Prev. Year Total.....	203,933	205,787	204,337	207,150	206,633	208,530

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	January 28, 2012	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012
Alabama.....	20,298	19,955	19,445	21,845	18,833	18,747
Arkansas.....	19,924	20,438	18,219	19,111	19,144	19,498
Delaware.....	4,431	4,016	4,433	4,404	3,440	4,117
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>1,212</b>
Georgia.....	27,019	26,053	27,384	25,271	27,868	27,441
Kentucky.....	6,646	6,181	6,544	6,008	5,662	6,628
Louisiana.....	3,010	3,023	3,062	3,068	3,092	3,091
Maryland.....	5,518	5,849	6,490	5,959	6,751	5,778
Mississippi.....	14,603	14,721	15,172	15,227	15,317	15,596
Missouri.....	5,034	4,934	5,755	5,674	4,613	5,566
North Carolina.....	15,780	15,699	15,648	15,418	15,820	15,856
Oklahoma.....	3,943	3,220	4,755	4,003	5,026	4,125
Pennsylvania.....	3,065	3,211	3,107	3,159	3,045	2,948
South Carolina.....	4,124	4,956	4,798	4,971	4,197	4,523
Texas.....	11,809	11,568	12,111	11,941	11,963	12,458
Virginia.....	4,785	5,164	4,607	4,096	4,547	5,368
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,573	10,632	9,451	10,063	10,176	10,184
19 State Total.....	160,698	160,769	162,029	161,280	160,567	163,136
Prev. Year Total.....	168,493	168,151	167,953	167,473	168,805	167,792

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.21 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending March 3, 2012. Placements were 13 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending April 14, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.68 million birds compared to 7.43 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending March 3, 2012, two percent above placements of the previous week but three percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 968 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
January 28.....	1,224	1,136	168,493	160,698	95	March 10
February 4.....	1,229	1,149	168,151	160,769	96	March 17
February 11.....	1,202	1,048	167,953	162,029	96	March 24
February 18.....	1,201	1,062	167,473	161,280	96	March 31
February 25.....	1,349	1,073	168,805	160,567	95	April 7
March 3.....	1,225	1,212	167,792	163,136	97	April 14
Six-week total.....	7,430	6,680	1,008,667	968,479	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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March 15, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012
Alabama.....	26,946	27,085	27,624	28,000	27,581	27,476
Arkansas.....	19,931	20,091	19,499	20,142	20,493	20,665
Delaware.....	3,265	3,188	3,191	3,190	3,191	3,303
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,350</b>
Georgia.....	31,616	31,983	32,222	32,143	32,150	32,374
Kentucky.....	7,483	7,751	7,571	6,483	7,855	7,841
Louisiana.....	3,440	3,470	3,424	3,379	3,470	3,440
Maryland.....	6,874	7,484	7,067	7,204	7,212	7,674
Mississippi.....	17,623	17,832	17,663	17,814	17,799	17,682
Missouri.....	7,784	7,817	7,807	7,672	7,840	7,648
North Carolina.....	20,207	20,310	20,336	20,325	20,397	20,342
Oklahoma.....	6,841	6,923	6,768	6,688	6,930	6,930
Pennsylvania.....	3,649	3,539	3,497	3,714	3,763	3,639
South Carolina.....	5,318	5,282	5,404	5,296	5,291	5,472
Texas.....	14,420	15,035	15,011	14,705	14,732	14,994
Virginia.....	5,985	6,199	5,963	6,168	6,118	6,207
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,428	10,140	10,373	11,100	11,030	10,992
19 State Total.....	193,162	195,481	194,663	195,376	197,202	198,029
Prev. Year Total.....	205,787	204,337	207,150	206,633	208,530	207,787

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	February 4, 2012	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012
Alabama.....	19,955	19,445	21,845	18,833	18,749	19,390
Arkansas.....	20,438	18,219	19,111	19,144	19,498	18,611
Delaware.....	4,016	4,433	4,404	3,440	4,117	3,910
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>1,174</b>
Georgia.....	26,053	27,384	25,271	27,877	27,520	28,332
Kentucky.....	6,181	6,544	6,008	5,662	6,562	6,595
Louisiana.....	3,023	3,062	3,068	3,092	3,091	3,022
Maryland.....	5,849	6,490	5,959	6,751	5,778	6,441
Mississippi.....	14,721	15,172	15,227	15,317	15,599	15,428
Missouri.....	4,934	5,755	5,674	4,613	5,566	6,020
North Carolina.....	15,699	15,648	15,418	15,820	15,856	15,816
Oklahoma.....	3,220	4,755	4,003	5,026	4,125	4,014
Pennsylvania.....	3,211	3,107	3,159	3,045	2,894	2,917
South Carolina.....	4,956	4,798	4,971	4,197	4,523	4,230
Texas.....	11,576	12,119	11,949	11,972	12,466	12,321
Virginia.....	5,164	4,607	4,096	4,547	5,368	4,581
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,622	9,442	10,057	10,137	10,165	9,900
19 State Total.....	160,767	162,028	161,282	160,546	163,331	162,702
Prev. Year Total.....	168,151	167,953	167,473	168,805	167,792	170,434

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.17 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending March 10, 2012. Placements were 19 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending April 21 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.96 million birds compared to 7.50 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending March 10, 2012, slightly below placements of the previous week and five percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 971 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
February 4.....	1,229	1,149	168,151	160,767	96	March 17
February 11.....	1,202	1,048	167,953	162,028	96	March 24
February 18.....	1,201	1,062	167,473	161,282	96	March 31
February 25.....	1,349	1,073	168,805	160,546	95	April 7
March 3.....	1,225	1,454	167,792	163,331	97	April 14
March 10.....	1,290	1,174	170,434	162,702	95	April 21
Six-week total.....	7,496	6,960	1,010,608	970,656	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012
Alabama.....	27,085	27,624	27,970	27,581	27,476	28,260
Arkansas.....	20,091	19,499	20,142	20,493	20,665	19,658
Delaware.....	3,188	3,191	3,190	3,191	3,303	3,415
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	31,983	32,222	32,143	32,150	32,374	32,236
Kentucky.....	7,751	7,571	6,399	7,855	7,841	7,805
Louisiana.....	3,470	3,424	3,379	3,470	3,440	3,470
Maryland.....	7,484	7,067	7,204	7,212	7,674	7,678
Mississippi.....	17,832	17,663	17,814	17,799	17,682	17,784
Missouri.....	7,817	7,807	7,654	7,840	7,648	7,482
North Carolina.....	20,310	20,336	20,313	20,397	20,342	19,957
Oklahoma.....	6,923	6,768	6,688	6,930	6,930	6,365
Pennsylvania.....	3,539	3,497	3,714	3,763	3,838	3,692
South Carolina.....	5,282	5,404	5,296	5,291	5,472	5,118
Texas.....	15,035	15,011	14,868	14,732	14,994	15,084
Virginia.....	6,199	5,963	6,168	6,118	6,207	6,273
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,140	10,373	10,998	10,909	11,010	11,299
19 State Total.....	195,481	194,663	195,293	197,081	198,246	196,927
Prev. Year Total.....	204,337	207,150	206,633	208,530	207,787	208,563

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	February 11, 2012	February 18, 2012	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012
Alabama.....	19,365	21,845	18,833	18,749	19,382	20,062
Arkansas.....	18,219	19,111	19,144	19,498	18,611	19,004
Delaware.....	4,433	4,404	3,440	4,117	3,910	3,901
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>1,407</b>
Georgia.....	27,384	25,271	27,877	27,520	28,332	27,769
Kentucky.....	6,544	6,008	5,662	6,562	6,595	5,014
Louisiana.....	3,062	3,068	3,092	3,091	3,022	2,983
Maryland.....	6,490	5,959	6,751	5,778	6,441	6,110
Mississippi.....	15,172	15,227	15,317	15,599	15,328	15,440
Missouri.....	5,755	5,674	4,612	5,566	6,020	5,325
North Carolina.....	15,648	15,418	15,820	15,856	15,816	16,753
Oklahoma.....	4,755	4,003	5,026	4,125	4,014	4,605
Pennsylvania.....	3,107	3,159	3,045	2,894	2,870	2,970
South Carolina.....	4,798	4,971	4,197	4,523	4,230	3,646
Texas.....	12,119	11,949	11,972	12,466	12,321	12,205
Virginia.....	4,607	4,096	4,547	5,368	4,739	4,784
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,442	10,057	10,137	10,181	9,900	10,824
19 State Total.....	161,948	161,282	160,545	163,347	162,705	162,802
Prev. Year Total.....	167,953	167,473	168,805	167,792	170,434	170,587

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.41 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending March 17, 2012. Placements were 20 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending April 28, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.22 million birds compared to 7.54 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending March 17, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and five percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 973 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
February 11 .....	1,202	1,048	167,953	161,948	96	March 24
February 18 .....	1,201	1,062	167,473	161,282	96	March 31
February 25 .....	1,349	1,073	168,805	160,545	95	April 7
March 3 .....	1,225	1,454	167,792	163,347	97	April 14
March 10.....	1,290	1,174	170,434	162,705	95	April 21
March 17.....	1,270	1,407	170,587	162,802	95	April 28
Six-week total .....	7,537	7,218	1,013,044	972,629	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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April 5, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012
Alabama.....	27,970	27,989	27,476	28,259	28,251	27,319
Arkansas.....	20,142	20,977	21,148	20,142	20,771	21,178
Delaware.....	3,190	3,191	3,303	3,415	3,388	3,517
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>1,350</b>
Georgia.....	32,143	32,150	32,374	32,236	31,890	32,796
Kentucky.....	6,361	7,733	7,794	7,805	7,538	7,683
Louisiana.....	3,379	3,470	3,440	3,470	3,440	3,500
Maryland.....	7,204	7,212	7,674	7,678	7,192	7,000
Mississippi.....	17,814	17,799	17,682	17,784	17,907	17,907
Missouri.....	7,654	7,840	7,648	7,482	7,657	7,464
North Carolina.....	20,313	20,397	20,342	19,957	20,031	20,077
Oklahoma.....	6,688	6,930	6,930	6,365	6,728	6,930
Pennsylvania.....	3,714	3,763	3,838	3,859	3,771	3,696
South Carolina.....	5,296	5,291	5,472	5,118	5,448	5,385
Texas.....	14,868	14,732	14,994	15,077	14,943	14,933
Virginia.....	6,168	5,947	6,207	6,273	6,047	6,311
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,002	10,913	11,016	11,303	10,648	10,771
19 State Total.....	195,259	197,684	198,688	197,574	196,998	197,817
Prev. Year Total.....	206,633	208,530	207,787	208,563	209,382	208,037

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	February 25, 2012	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012
Alabama.....	18,833	18,749	19,382	20,106	19,610	20,335
Arkansas.....	19,144	19,498	18,611	19,004	20,043	20,359
Delaware.....	3,440	4,117	3,910	3,901	3,943	3,724
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>1,016</b>
Georgia.....	27,877	27,520	28,332	27,862	27,284	27,233
Kentucky.....	5,662	6,562	6,595	4,894	6,594	6,214
Louisiana.....	3,092	3,091	3,022	2,983	3,032	3,025
Maryland.....	6,751	5,778	6,441	6,110	5,927	7,020
Mississippi.....	15,317	15,599	15,328	15,447	15,207	15,136
Missouri.....	4,612	5,566	6,020	5,325	5,245	5,548
North Carolina.....	15,820	15,856	15,816	16,753	16,294	16,080
Oklahoma.....	5,026	4,125	4,014	4,605	4,533	3,813
Pennsylvania.....	3,045	2,894	2,870	3,117	3,113	3,230
South Carolina.....	4,197	4,523	4,230	3,646	4,696	4,218
Texas.....	11,972	12,466	12,321	12,197	12,117	12,501
Virginia.....	4,547	5,368	4,739	4,784	5,365	4,735
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,139	10,181	9,900	10,826	10,257	10,658
19 State Total.....	160,547	163,347	162,705	162,967	164,477	164,845
Prev. Year Total.....	168,805	167,792	170,434	170,587	173,852	172,812

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.02 million broiler chicks with producers during the week ending March 31, 2012. Placements were 17 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending May 12, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.34 million birds compared to 7.68 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 165 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending March 31, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and five percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 979 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
February 25 .....	1,349	1,073	168,805	160,547	95	April 7
March 3 .....	1,225	1,454	167,792	163,347	97	April 14
March 10.....	1,290	1,174	170,434	162,705	95	April 21
March 17.....	1,270	1,407	170,587	162,967	96	April 28
March 24.....	1,249	1,217	173,852	164,477	95	May 5
March 31.....	1,296	1,016	172,812	164,845	95	May 12
Six-week total .....	7,679	7,341	1,024,282	978,888	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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April 12, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012
Alabama.....	27,989	27,476	28,269	28,251	27,319	27,989
Arkansas.....	20,977	21,148	20,142	20,771	21,178	21,240
Delaware.....	3,191	3,303	3,415	3,388	3,517	3,506
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,349</b>
Georgia.....	32,150	32,374	32,307	31,890	32,796	32,564
Kentucky.....	7,733	7,794	7,723	7,538	7,683	7,709
Louisiana.....	3,470	3,440	3,470	3,440	3,500	3,500
Maryland.....	7,212	7,674	7,678	7,192	7,000	7,128
Mississippi.....	17,799	17,682	17,784	17,907	17,907	17,878
Missouri.....	7,840	7,648	7,482	7,657	7,464	7,701
North Carolina.....	20,397	20,342	19,969	20,031	20,077	20,381
Oklahoma.....	6,930	6,930	6,365	6,728	6,930	6,910
Pennsylvania.....	3,763	3,838	3,859	3,771	3,576	3,785
South Carolina.....	5,291	5,472	5,118	5,448	5,385	5,488
Texas.....	14,764	15,026	15,075	14,941	14,933	14,972
Virginia.....	5,947	6,207	6,137	6,047	6,311	6,415
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,884	11,035	11,413	10,526	10,783	10,668
19 State Total.....	197,687	198,739	197,557	196,874	197,709	199,183
Prev. Year Total.....	208,530	207,787	208,563	209,382	208,037	208,503

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 3, 2012	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012
Alabama.....	18,749	19,382	20,106	19,610	20,335	20,595
Arkansas.....	19,498	18,611	19,004	20,043	20,359	18,964
Delaware.....	4,117	3,910	3,901	3,943	3,724	4,760
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>1,233</b>
Georgia.....	27,520	28,332	27,862	27,284	27,233	28,079
Kentucky.....	6,562	6,595	4,894	6,594	6,214	5,964
Louisiana.....	3,091	3,022	2,983	3,032	3,025	3,356
Maryland.....	5,778	6,441	6,110	5,927	7,020	5,488
Mississippi.....	15,599	15,328	15,447	15,207	15,136	15,282
Missouri.....	5,566	6,020	5,325	5,245	5,548	5,413
North Carolina.....	15,856	15,816	16,753	16,294	16,080	16,127
Oklahoma.....	4,125	4,014	4,605	4,533	3,813	4,123
Pennsylvania.....	2,894	2,870	3,117	3,113	3,144	3,244
South Carolina.....	4,523	4,230	3,646	4,696	4,218	4,096
Texas.....	12,466	12,347	12,223	12,143	12,524	12,235
Virginia.....	5,368	4,739	4,784	5,365	4,735	4,592
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,181	9,883	10,845	10,359	10,859	11,778
19 State Total.....	163,347	162,714	163,012	164,605	164,983	165,329
Prev. Year Total.....	167,792	170,434	170,587	173,852	172,812	172,733

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.23 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending April 7, 2012. Placements were 21 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending May 19, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.50 million birds compared to 7.57 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 165 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending April 7, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 984 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2012	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
March 3 .....	1,225	1,454	167,792	163,347	97	April 14
March 10.....	1,290	1,174	170,434	162,714	95	April 21
March 17.....	1,270	1,407	170,587	163,012	96	April 28
March 24.....	1,249	1,217	173,852	164,605	95	May 5
March 31.....	1,296	1,016	172,812	164,983	95	May 12
April 7 .....	1,243	1,233	172,733	165,329	96	May 19
Six-week total .....	7,573	7,501	1,028,210	983,990	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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April 19, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012
Alabama.....	27,476	28,269	28,083	27,319	27,989	27,854
Arkansas.....	21,148	20,142	20,771	21,178	21,240	21,233
Delaware.....	3,303	3,415	3,388	3,517	3,506	3,550
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia.....	32,374	32,249	31,890	32,796	32,564	32,536
Kentucky.....	7,794	7,723	7,429	7,675	7,709	7,626
Louisiana.....	3,440	3,470	3,440	3,500	3,500	3,500
Maryland.....	7,674	7,678	7,192	7,000	7,128	7,393
Mississippi.....	17,682	17,784	17,907	17,907	17,878	17,717
Missouri.....	7,648	7,482	7,657	7,464	7,701	7,686
North Carolina.....	20,342	19,969	20,031	20,077	20,381	20,556
Oklahoma.....	6,930	6,365	6,728	6,930	6,910	6,688
Pennsylvania.....	3,838	3,859	3,771	3,576	3,754	3,586
South Carolina.....	5,472	5,118	5,448	5,385	5,488	5,364
Texas.....	15,026	15,075	14,941	14,933	14,972	14,816
Virginia.....	6,207	6,137	5,950	6,311	6,415	6,166
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,035	11,413	10,526	10,783	10,668	11,450
19 State Total.....	198,739	197,499	196,500	197,701	199,152	199,073
Prev. Year Total.....	207,931	208,714	209,434	207,520	207,969	208,968

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 10, 2012	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012
Alabama.....	19,382	20,106	19,610	20,335	20,595	20,546
Arkansas.....	18,611	19,004	20,043	20,359	18,964	19,564
Delaware.....	3,910	3,901	4,043	3,724	4,760	4,647
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>1,289</b>
Georgia.....	28,332	27,862	27,284	27,233	28,079	26,180
Kentucky.....	6,595	4,894	6,594	6,214	5,964	6,185
Louisiana.....	3,022	2,983	3,032	3,025	3,356	3,059
Maryland.....	6,441	6,110	5,927	7,020	5,488	5,915
Mississippi.....	15,328	15,447	15,207	15,136	15,282	15,444
Missouri.....	6,020	5,325	5,245	5,548	5,413	5,972
North Carolina.....	15,816	16,753	16,294	16,870	16,127	16,163
Oklahoma.....	4,014	4,605	4,533	3,813	4,123	3,662
Pennsylvania.....	2,870	3,117	3,113	3,144	3,103	2,957
South Carolina.....	4,230	3,646	4,696	4,218	4,096	4,919
Texas.....	12,347	12,223	12,143	12,524	12,235	12,723
Virginia.....	4,739	4,784	5,365	4,735	4,592	4,824
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,883	10,845	10,359	10,859	11,778	10,176
19 State Total.....	162,714	163,012	164,705	165,773	165,188	164,225
Prev. Year Total.....	170,304	170,422	172,880	171,899	172,098	173,110

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.29 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending April 14, 2012. Placements were five percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending May 26, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.34 million birds compared to 7.59 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 164 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending April 14, 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week and five percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 986 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
March 10.....	1,291	1,174	170,304	162,714	96	April 21
March 17.....	1,249	1,407	170,422	163,012	96	April 28
March 24.....	1,270	1,217	172,880	164,705	95	May 5
March 31.....	1,297	1,016	171,899	165,773	96	May 12
April 7.....	1,243	1,233	172,098	165,188	96	May 19
April 14.....	1,243	1,289	173,110	164,225	95	May 26
Six-week total.....	7,593	7,336	1,030,713	985,617	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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April 26, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012
Alabama.....	28,269	28,083	27,426	27,989	27,854	28,393
Arkansas.....	20,142	20,771	21,178	21,240	21,233	21,168
Delaware.....	3,415	3,388	3,517	3,506	3,550	3,622
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,347</b>
Georgia.....	32,249	31,890	32,796	32,564	32,536	32,274
Kentucky.....	7,775	7,417	7,683	7,709	7,641	7,360
Louisiana.....	3,470	3,440	3,500	3,500	3,530	3,530
Maryland.....	7,678	7,192	7,000	7,128	7,393	7,570
Mississippi.....	17,784	17,907	17,907	17,878	17,717	18,068
Missouri.....	7,482	7,657	7,464	7,701	7,686	7,711
North Carolina.....	19,969	20,031	20,223	20,381	20,556	20,434
Oklahoma.....	6,365	6,728	6,930	6,910	6,688	6,849
Pennsylvania.....	3,859	3,771	3,576	3,754	3,753	3,793
South Carolina.....	5,118	5,448	5,385	5,488	5,364	5,483
Texas.....	15,075	14,941	14,933	14,972	14,816	14,821
Virginia.....	6,137	5,950	6,311	6,415	6,166	6,399
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,413	10,526	10,783	10,668	11,554	11,262
19 State Total.....	197,551	196,488	197,962	199,152	199,389	200,084
Prev. Year Total.....	208,714	209,434	207,520	207,969	208,968	209,132

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 17, 2012	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012
Alabama.....	20,106	19,610	20,335	20,595	20,546	19,932
Arkansas.....	19,004	20,043	20,144	18,964	19,564	20,389
Delaware.....	3,901	4,043	3,724	4,760	4,647	4,733
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>1,202</b>
Georgia.....	27,862	27,284	27,051	27,899	25,950	27,448
Kentucky.....	4,894	6,594	6,214	5,964	6,012	6,391
Louisiana.....	2,983	3,032	3,025	3,356	3,040	3,095
Maryland.....	6,110	5,927	7,020	5,488	5,915	6,244
Mississippi.....	15,447	15,207	15,136	15,282	15,444	15,418
Missouri.....	5,325	5,245	5,548	5,413	5,972	4,892
North Carolina.....	16,753	16,294	17,064	16,334	16,403	16,561
Oklahoma.....	4,605	4,533	3,959	4,123	3,662	4,238
Pennsylvania.....	3,117	3,113	3,144	3,103	2,927	3,010
South Carolina.....	3,646	4,696	4,218	4,096	4,919	4,754
Texas.....	12,223	12,143	12,524	12,235	12,723	12,612
Virginia.....	4,784	5,365	4,735	4,592	4,824	4,457
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,845	10,359	10,859	11,778	10,857	11,146
19 State Total.....	163,012	164,705	165,716	165,215	164,694	166,522
Prev. Year Total.....	170,422	172,880	171,899	172,098	173,110	172,008

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.20 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending April 21, 2012. Placements were seven percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending June 2, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.36 million birds compared to 7.55 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 167 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending April 21, 2012, one percent above placements of the previous week and three percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 990 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
March 17.....	1,249	1,407	170,422	163,012	96	April 28
March 24.....	1,270	1,217	172,880	164,705	95	May 5
March 31.....	1,297	1,016	171,899	165,716	96	May 12
April 7.....	1,243	1,233	172,098	165,215	96	May 19
April 14.....	1,243	1,289	173,110	164,694	95	May 26
April 21.....	1,252	1,202	172,008	166,522	97	June 2
Six-week total.....	7,554	7,364	1,032,417	989,864	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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May 3, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012
Alabama.....	28,083	27,426	27,990	27,854	28,393	27,188
Arkansas.....	20,771	21,178	21,240	21,233	21,168	21,246
Delaware.....	3,388	3,517	3,506	3,550	3,622	3,470
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,890	32,796	32,564	32,536	32,274	32,356
Kentucky.....	7,417	7,822	7,759	7,641	7,358	7,394
Louisiana.....	3,440	3,500	3,500	3,530	3,530	3,440
Maryland.....	7,192	7,000	7,128	7,393	7,570	7,628
Mississippi.....	17,907	17,907	17,878	17,717	18,068	17,689
Missouri.....	7,657	7,464	7,701	7,686	7,711	7,473
North Carolina.....	20,031	20,223	20,381	20,556	20,434	20,142
Oklahoma.....	6,728	6,930	6,910	6,688	6,849	6,970
Pennsylvania.....	3,771	3,576	3,754	3,753	3,795	3,673
South Carolina.....	5,448	5,385	5,488	5,364	5,483	5,437
Texas.....	14,941	14,933	14,972	14,816	14,821	14,560
Virginia.....	5,950	6,311	6,415	6,166	6,399	6,294
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,526	10,783	10,668	11,554	11,262	10,593
19 State Total.....	196,488	198,101	199,203	199,389	200,084	196,906
Prev. Year Total.....	209,434	207,520	207,969	208,968	209,132	207,087

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 24, 2012	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012
Alabama.....	19,610	20,335	20,595	20,546	19,877	20,220
Arkansas.....	20,043	20,144	18,964	19,564	20,389	19,093
Delaware.....	4,043	3,724	4,760	4,647	4,733	4,190
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>1,202</b>	<b>1,250</b>
Georgia.....	27,284	27,051	27,899	25,950	27,592	27,377
Kentucky.....	6,594	6,214	5,964	6,097	6,222	6,390
Louisiana.....	3,032	3,025	3,356	3,040	3,095	3,084
Maryland.....	5,927	7,020	5,488	5,915	6,244	6,677
Mississippi.....	15,207	15,136	15,282	15,444	15,418	15,362
Missouri.....	5,245	5,548	5,413	5,972	4,892	5,921
North Carolina.....	16,294	17,064	16,334	16,403	16,421	16,157
Oklahoma.....	4,533	3,959	4,123	3,662	4,238	4,887
Pennsylvania.....	3,113	3,144	3,103	2,927	2,892	3,134
South Carolina.....	4,696	4,218	4,096	4,919	4,754	5,350
Texas.....	12,143	12,524	12,235	12,723	12,612	12,414
Virginia.....	5,365	4,735	4,592	4,824	4,457	4,906
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,359	10,859	11,778	10,857	11,146	10,559
19 State Total.....	164,705	165,716	165,215	164,779	166,184	166,971
Prev. Year Total.....	172,880	171,899	172,098	173,110	172,008	172,624

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.25 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending April 28, 2012. Placements were four percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending June 9, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.21 million birds compared to 7.55 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 167 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending April 28, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and three percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 994 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
March 24.....	1,270	1,217	172,880	164,705	95	May 5
March 31.....	1,297	1,016	171,899	165,716	96	May 12
April 7.....	1,243	1,233	172,098	165,215	96	May 19
April 14.....	1,243	1,289	173,110	164,779	95	May 26
April 21.....	1,252	1,202	172,008	166,184	97	June 2
April 28.....	1,245	1,250	172,624	166,971	97	June 9
Six-week total.....	7,550	7,207	1,034,619	993,570	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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May 10, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012
Alabama.....	27,426	27,990	27,904	28,393	27,188	28,109
Arkansas.....	21,178	21,240	21,233	21,168	21,246	21,684
Delaware.....	3,517	3,506	3,550	3,622	3,470	3,620
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia.....	32,796	32,564	32,536	32,274	32,356	32,743
Kentucky.....	7,822	7,825	7,687	7,358	7,394	7,659
Louisiana.....	3,500	3,500	3,530	3,530	3,440	3,359
Maryland.....	7,000	7,128	7,393	7,570	7,628	7,449
Mississippi.....	17,907	17,878	17,717	18,068	17,689	17,731
Missouri.....	7,464	7,701	7,686	7,711	7,473	7,481
North Carolina.....	20,223	20,381	20,557	20,434	20,142	20,416
Oklahoma.....	6,930	6,910	6,688	6,849	6,970	6,712
Pennsylvania.....	3,576	3,754	3,934	3,795	3,597	3,678
South Carolina.....	5,385	5,488	5,364	5,483	5,437	5,376
Texas.....	14,933	14,972	14,816	14,821	14,560	14,595
Virginia.....	6,311	6,415	6,166	6,399	6,294	6,290
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,782	10,711	11,562	11,267	10,597	10,914
19 State Total.....	198,100	199,312	199,675	200,089	196,834	199,168
Prev. Year Total.....	207,520	207,969	208,968	209,132	207,087	207,982

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	March 31, 2012	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012
Alabama.....	20,335	20,595	20,546	19,877	20,201	20,237
Arkansas.....	20,144	18,964	19,564	20,389	19,093	19,044
Delaware.....	3,724	4,760	4,647	4,733	4,190	4,350
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>1,202</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>1,083</b>
Georgia.....	27,051	27,899	25,950	27,592	27,300	28,268
Kentucky.....	6,214	5,964	6,097	6,222	6,390	6,035
Louisiana.....	3,025	3,356	3,040	3,095	3,084	3,124
Maryland.....	7,020	5,488	5,915	6,244	6,677	6,380
Mississippi.....	15,136	15,282	15,444	15,418	15,353	14,867
Missouri.....	5,548	5,413	5,972	4,892	5,921	5,767
North Carolina.....	17,064	16,334	16,403	16,421	16,189	16,390
Oklahoma.....	3,959	4,123	3,662	4,238	4,887	4,791
Pennsylvania.....	3,144	3,103	2,927	2,892	3,101	3,142
South Carolina.....	4,218	4,096	4,919	4,754	5,350	4,520
Texas.....	12,524	12,235	12,723	12,612	12,414	12,238
Virginia.....	4,735	4,592	4,824	4,457	4,906	4,604
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,859	11,770	10,860	11,158	10,597	11,207
19 State Total.....	165,716	165,207	164,782	166,196	166,903	166,047
Prev. Year Total.....	171,899	172,098	173,110	172,008	172,624	172,506

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.08 million broiler chicks with producers during the week ending May 5, 2012. Placements were 13 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending June 16, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.07 million birds compared to 7.52 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 166 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending May 5, 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 995 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
March 31.....	1,297	1,016	171,899	165,716	96	May 12
April 7.....	1,243	1,233	172,098	165,207	96	May 19
April 14.....	1,243	1,289	173,110	164,782	95	May 26
April 21.....	1,252	1,202	172,008	166,196	97	June 2
April 28.....	1,245	1,250	172,624	166,903	97	June 9
May 5.....	1,239	1,083	172,506	166,047	96	June 16
Six-week total.....	7,519	7,073	1,034,245	994,851	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012
Alabama.....	27,990	27,904	28,211	27,188	28,120	27,795
Arkansas.....	21,240	21,233	21,168	21,246	21,684	21,793
Delaware.....	3,506	3,550	3,622	3,470	3,620	3,622
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	32,564	32,536	32,220	32,356	32,743	32,771
Kentucky.....	7,825	7,668	7,433	7,394	7,659	7,762
Louisiana.....	3,500	3,530	3,530	3,440	3,359	3,470
Maryland.....	7,128	7,393	7,570	7,628	7,449	7,087
Mississippi.....	17,878	17,717	18,068	17,689	17,731	18,185
Missouri.....	7,701	7,686	7,711	7,473	7,481	7,687
North Carolina.....	20,381	20,557	20,434	20,142	20,416	20,389
Oklahoma.....	6,910	6,688	6,849	6,970	6,712	6,926
Pennsylvania.....	3,754	3,934	3,795	3,597	3,610	3,675
South Carolina.....	5,488	5,364	5,483	5,437	5,376	5,482
Texas.....	14,984	14,808	14,782	14,551	14,696	14,627
Virginia.....	6,415	6,166	6,399	6,294	6,290	6,281
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,711	11,562	11,267	10,597	10,914	11,021
19 State Total.....	199,324	199,648	199,889	196,825	199,212	199,926
Prev. Year Total.....	207,969	208,968	209,132	207,087	207,982	206,342

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 7, 2012	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012
Alabama.....	20,595	20,546	19,877	20,201	20,231	19,758
Arkansas.....	18,964	19,564	20,389	19,093	18,848	19,920
Delaware.....	4,760	4,647	4,733	4,190	4,350	3,956
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>1,202</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>1,328</b>
Georgia.....	27,899	25,950	27,592	27,300	28,245	27,618
Kentucky.....	5,964	6,097	6,222	6,390	6,035	6,490
Louisiana.....	3,356	3,040	3,095	3,084	3,124	3,130
Maryland.....	5,488	5,915	6,244	6,677	6,380	6,860
Mississippi.....	15,282	15,444	15,418	15,353	14,874	15,477
Missouri.....	5,413	5,972	4,894	5,924	5,767	5,113
North Carolina.....	16,334	16,403	16,421	16,189	16,434	16,651
Oklahoma.....	4,123	3,662	4,238	4,887	5,067	4,772
Pennsylvania.....	3,103	2,927	2,892	3,101	3,138	3,175
South Carolina.....	4,096	4,919	4,754	5,350	4,520	4,819
Texas.....	12,245	12,733	12,622	12,424	12,242	12,343
Virginia.....	4,592	4,824	4,457	4,906	4,604	4,935
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,770	10,860	11,158	10,597	11,207	10,608
19 State Total.....	165,217	164,792	166,208	166,916	166,149	166,953
Prev. Year Total.....	172,098	173,110	172,008	172,624	172,506	174,014

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.33 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending May 12, 2012. Placements were 23 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending June 23, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.39 million birds compared to 7.40 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 167 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending May 12, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 996 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
April 7 .....	1,243	1,233	172,098	165,217	96	May 19
April 14 .....	1,243	1,289	173,110	164,792	95	May 26
April 21 .....	1,252	1,202	172,008	166,208	97	June 2
April 28 .....	1,245	1,250	172,624	166,916	97	June 9
May 5 .....	1,239	1,083	172,506	166,149	96	June 16
May 12 .....	1,182	1,328	174,014	166,953	96	June 23
Six-week total .....	7,404	7,385	1,036,360	996,235	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012
Alabama.....	27,904	28,211	28,238	28,120	27,795	28,381
Arkansas.....	21,233	21,168	21,246	21,684	21,793	21,765
Delaware.....	3,550	3,622	3,470	3,620	3,622	3,696
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	32,536	32,220	32,356	32,743	32,771	32,619
Kentucky.....	7,668	7,451	7,421	7,659	7,728	7,735
Louisiana.....	3,530	3,530	3,440	3,359	3,470	3,455
Maryland.....	7,393	7,570	7,628	7,449	7,087	7,200
Mississippi.....	17,717	18,068	17,404	17,731	18,185	17,810
Missouri.....	7,686	7,711	7,473	7,481	7,687	7,726
North Carolina.....	20,557	20,434	20,139	20,416	20,389	20,426
Oklahoma.....	6,688	6,849	6,970	6,712	6,926	6,843
Pennsylvania.....	3,934	3,795	3,597	3,610	3,636	3,795
South Carolina.....	5,364	5,771	5,437	5,376	5,481	5,462
Texas.....	14,808	14,782	14,551	14,696	14,627	14,769
Virginia.....	6,166	6,399	6,294	6,290	6,281	6,279
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,562	11,267	10,972	10,914	11,021	10,731
19 State Total.....	199,648	200,195	197,989	199,212	199,852	200,045
Prev. Year Total.....	208,968	209,132	207,087	207,982	206,342	206,792

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 14, 2012	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012
Alabama.....	20,546	19,877	20,201	20,231	19,775	20,741
Arkansas.....	19,564	20,389	19,093	18,848	20,132	19,908
Delaware.....	4,647	4,733	4,190	4,350	3,956	4,361
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>1,202</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>1,509</b>
Georgia.....	25,950	27,592	27,300	28,245	27,482	26,779
Kentucky.....	6,097	6,222	6,390	6,035	6,666	5,876
Louisiana.....	3,040	3,095	3,084	3,124	3,130	3,075
Maryland.....	5,915	6,244	6,677	6,380	6,860	6,377
Mississippi.....	15,444	15,418	15,353	14,874	15,477	15,047
Missouri.....	5,972	4,894	5,924	5,767	5,113	5,491
North Carolina.....	16,403	16,421	16,189	16,434	16,649	16,278
Oklahoma.....	3,662	4,238	4,887	5,067	4,573	4,237
Pennsylvania.....	2,927	2,892	3,101	3,138	3,151	3,015
South Carolina.....	4,919	4,754	5,350	4,520	4,819	3,779
Texas.....	12,733	12,622	12,424	12,242	12,343	12,106
Virginia.....	4,824	4,457	4,906	4,604	4,935	5,187
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,860	11,158	10,597	11,207	10,591	11,493
19 State Total.....	164,792	166,208	166,916	166,149	166,980	165,259
Prev. Year Total.....	April 14,	April 21,	April 28,	May 5,	May 12,	May 19,

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.51 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending May 19, 2012. Placements were 14 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending June 30, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.66 million birds compared to 7.38 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 165 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending May 19, 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 996 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
April 14 .....	1,243	1,289	173,110	164,792	95	May 26
April 21 .....	1,252	1,202	172,008	166,208	97	June 2
April 28 .....	1,245	1,250	172,624	166,916	97	June 9
May 5 .....	1,239	1,083	172,506	166,149	96	June 16
May 12 .....	1,182	1,328	174,014	166,980	96	June 23
May 19 .....	1,217	1,509	172,512	165,259	96	June 30
Six-week total .....	7,378	7,661	1,036,774	996,304	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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May 31, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012
Alabama.....	28,211	28,238	28,305	27,795	28,384	28,328
Arkansas.....	21,168	21,246	21,684	21,793	21,765	21,747
Delaware.....	3,622	3,470	3,620	3,622	3,696	3,699
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	32,220	32,356	32,743	32,771	32,619	32,705
Kentucky.....	7,451	7,421	7,750	7,728	7,735	7,618
Louisiana.....	3,530	3,440	3,485	3,470	3,455	3,409
Maryland.....	7,570	7,628	7,449	7,087	7,200	7,388
Mississippi.....	18,068	17,404	18,003	18,185	17,810	18,079
Missouri.....	7,711	7,473	7,481	7,687	7,726	7,719
North Carolina.....	20,434	20,139	20,583	20,389	20,426	20,173
Oklahoma.....	6,849	6,970	6,712	6,926	6,843	7,126
Pennsylvania.....	3,795	3,597	3,610	3,636	3,721	3,672
South Carolina.....	5,771	5,437	5,376	5,481	5,462	5,277
Texas.....	14,782	14,551	14,696	14,627	14,769	14,776
Virginia.....	6,399	6,294	6,290	6,281	6,279	6,353
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,267	11,145	10,718	10,901	11,115	11,284
19 State Total.....	200,195	198,162	199,857	199,732	200,358	200,706
Prev. Year Total.....	209,132	207,087	207,982	206,342	206,792	205,932

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 21, 2012	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012
Alabama.....	19,877	20,201	20,231	19,775	20,746	20,230
Arkansas.....	20,389	19,093	18,848	20,132	19,908	20,026
Delaware.....	4,733	4,190	4,350	3,956	4,361	3,733
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,202</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>1,509</b>	<b>1,333</b>
Georgia.....	27,592	27,300	28,245	27,482	26,779	28,149
Kentucky.....	6,222	6,453	6,119	6,666	5,876	5,809
Louisiana.....	3,095	3,084	3,124	3,130	3,075	3,111
Maryland.....	6,244	6,677	6,380	6,860	6,377	6,497
Mississippi.....	15,418	15,353	14,874	15,477	15,042	15,432
Missouri.....	4,894	5,924	5,767	5,113	5,491	5,414
North Carolina.....	16,421	16,189	16,434	16,649	16,278	16,709
Oklahoma.....	4,238	4,887	5,067	4,573	4,237	4,326
Pennsylvania.....	2,892	3,101	3,138	3,151	3,009	3,021
South Carolina.....	4,754	5,350	4,520	4,819	3,779	3,766
Texas.....	12,622	12,424	12,242	12,343	12,106	12,351
Virginia.....	4,457	4,906	4,604	4,935	5,187	5,056
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,158	10,290	11,207	10,680	11,626	11,103
19 State Total.....	166,208	166,672	166,233	167,069	165,386	166,066
Prev. Year Total.....	172,008	172,624	172,506	174,014	172,512	172,753

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.33 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending May 26, 2012. Placements were 12 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending July 7, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.71 million birds compared to 7.50 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 166 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending May 26, 2012, 0.4 percent above placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 998 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
April 21 .....	1,252	1,202	172,008	166,208	97	June 2
April 28 .....	1,245	1,250	172,624	166,672	97	June 9
May 5 .....	1,239	1,083	172,506	166,233	96	June 16
May 12 .....	1,182	1,328	174,014	167,069	96	June 23
May 19 .....	1,217	1,509	172,512	165,386	96	June 30
May 26 .....	1,365	1,333	172,753	166,066	96	July 7
Six-week total .....	7,500	7,705	1,036,417	997,634	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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June 7, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012
Alabama.....	28,238	28,305	27,976	28,384	28,329	28,305
Arkansas.....	21,246	21,684	21,793	21,765	21,401	21,578
Delaware.....	3,470	3,620	3,622	3,696	3,699	3,710
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia.....	32,356	32,768	32,771	32,634	32,656	33,032
Kentucky.....	7,421	7,750	7,853	7,735	7,731	7,728
Louisiana.....	3,440	3,485	3,470	3,455	3,409	3,500
Maryland.....	7,628	7,449	7,087	7,200	7,388	7,672
Mississippi.....	17,404	18,003	18,185	17,810	18,078	18,065
Missouri.....	7,473	7,481	7,687	7,726	7,788	7,788
North Carolina.....	20,139	20,583	20,044	20,426	20,126	19,992
Oklahoma.....	6,970	6,712	6,926	6,843	7,133	6,801
Pennsylvania.....	3,597	3,610	3,636	3,650	3,838	3,719
South Carolina.....	5,437	5,376	5,481	5,462	5,277	5,091
Texas.....	14,551	14,696	14,627	14,769	15,061	14,967
Virginia.....	6,294	6,290	6,281	6,279	6,353	6,425
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,145	10,718	10,901	11,115	11,244	10,739
19 State Total.....	198,162	199,882	199,693	200,302	200,864	200,464
Prev. Year Total.....	207,087	207,982	206,342	206,792	205,932	205,234

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	April 28, 2012	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012
Alabama.....	20,201	20,231	19,775	20,746	20,482	20,117
Arkansas.....	19,093	18,848	20,132	19,908	20,303	20,800
Delaware.....	4,190	4,350	3,956	4,361	3,733	4,235
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>1,509</b>	<b>1,333</b>	<b>1,285</b>
Georgia.....	27,300	28,245	27,482	26,806	28,477	27,602
Kentucky.....	6,453	6,119	6,666	5,876	6,768	6,305
Louisiana.....	3,084	3,124	3,130	3,075	3,111	3,084
Maryland.....	6,677	6,380	6,860	6,377	6,367	6,528
Mississippi.....	15,353	14,874	15,477	15,042	15,401	15,686
Missouri.....	5,924	5,767	5,113	5,491	5,384	5,186
North Carolina.....	16,189	16,434	16,649	16,278	16,817	16,294
Oklahoma.....	4,887	5,067	4,573	4,237	4,156	4,315
Pennsylvania.....	3,101	3,138	3,151	2,954	2,993	3,044
South Carolina.....	5,350	4,520	4,819	3,779	3,766	4,623
Texas.....	12,424	12,242	12,343	12,106	12,338	12,165
Virginia.....	4,906	4,604	4,935	5,187	5,009	5,021
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,290	11,207	10,680	11,626	10,561	10,290
19 State Total.....	166,672	166,233	167,069	165,358	166,999	166,580
Prev. Year Total.....	172,624	172,506	174,014	172,512	172,753	171,318

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.29 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending June 2, 2012. Placements were four percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending July 14, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.79 million birds compared to 7.64 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 167 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending June 2 2012, slightly below placements of the previous week and three percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 998 million, four percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
April 28.....	1,245	1,250	172,624	166,672	97	June 9
May 8.....	1,239	1,083	172,506	166,672	97	June 16
May 12.....	1,182	1,328	174,014	166,233	96	June 23
May 19.....	1,217	1,509	172,512	165,358	96	June 30
May 26.....	1,365	1,333	172,753	166,999	97	July 7
June 2.....	1,391	1,285	171,318	166,580	97	July 14
Six-week total.....	7,639	7,788	1,035,727	998,514	96	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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June 14, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012
Alabama.....	28,305	27,976	28,424	28,329	28,305	28,277
Arkansas.....	21,684	21,793	21,826	21,401	21,578	21,492
Delaware.....	3,620	3,622	3,696	3,699	3,710	3,547
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,350</b>
Georgia.....	32,768	32,771	32,634	32,656	33,032	32,466
Kentucky.....	7,823	7,817	7,826	7,731	7,728	7,647
Louisiana.....	3,485	3,470	3,455	3,409	3,500	3,439
Maryland.....	7,449	7,087	7,200	7,388	7,672	7,194
Mississippi.....	18,003	18,185	17,810	18,078	18,065	18,000
Missouri.....	7,481	7,687	7,726	7,988	7,988	8,023
North Carolina.....	20,583	20,044	20,428	20,126	19,992	19,843
Oklahoma.....	6,712	6,926	6,843	7,133	6,801	7,024
Pennsylvania.....	3,610	3,636	3,650	3,838	3,840	3,724
South Carolina.....	5,376	5,481	5,462	5,277	5,091	5,558
Texas.....	14,705	14,636	14,589	15,070	15,039	14,790
Virginia.....	6,290	6,281	6,279	6,353	6,425	6,325
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,718	10,901	11,115	11,244	10,739	10,573
19 State Total.....	199,964	199,666	200,316	201,073	200,857	199,272
Prev. Year Total.....	207,982	206,342	206,792	205,932	205,234	204,659

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 5, 2012	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012
Alabama.....	20,231	19,775	20,746	20,482	20,128	20,710
Arkansas.....	18,848	20,132	19,908	20,303	20,800	20,656
Delaware.....	4,350	3,956	4,361	3,733	4,235	4,333
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>1,509</b>	<b>1,333</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>1,175</b>
Georgia.....	28,245	27,482	26,806	28,532	27,656	27,731
Kentucky.....	6,119	6,666	5,950	6,768	6,305	6,126
Louisiana.....	3,124	3,130	3,075	3,111	3,084	3,077
Maryland.....	6,380	6,860	6,377	6,367	6,528	5,864
Mississippi.....	14,874	15,477	15,042	15,401	15,672	15,201
Missouri.....	5,767	5,113	5,494	5,387	5,186	5,408
North Carolina.....	16,434	16,649	16,338	16,820	16,227	16,376
Oklahoma.....	5,067	4,573	4,237	4,156	4,315	4,430
Pennsylvania.....	3,138	3,151	2,954	2,993	3,007	2,997
South Carolina.....	4,520	4,819	3,779	3,766	4,623	4,937
Texas.....	12,250	12,350	12,113	12,345	12,171	12,083
Virginia.....	4,604	4,935	5,187	5,009	5,021	5,264
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,207	10,680	11,626	10,561	10,290	10,841
19 State Total.....	166,241	167,076	165,502	167,067	166,533	167,209
Prev. Year Total.....	172,506	174,014	172,512	172,753	171,318	169,855

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.18 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending June 9, 2012. Placements were nine percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending July 21 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.71 million birds compared to 7.70 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 167 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending June 9, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and two percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 1.00 billion, three percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
May 5.....	1,239	1,083	172,506	166,241	96	June 16
May 12.....	1,182	1,328	174,014	167,076	96	June 23
May 19.....	1,217	1,509	172,512	165,502	96	June 30
May 26.....	1,365	1,333	172,753	167,067	97	July 7
June 2.....	1,391	1,285	171,318	166,533	97	July 14
June 9.....	1,307	1,175	169,855	167,209	98	July 21
Six-week total .....	7,701	7,713	1,032,958	999,628	97	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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June 21, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012
Alabama.....	27,976	28,424	28,321	28,305	28,277	27,813
Arkansas.....	21,793	21,826	21,553	21,578	21,492	21,556
Delaware.....	3,622	3,696	3,699	3,710	3,547	3,519
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	32,771	32,634	32,656	33,032	32,466	32,501
Kentucky.....	7,817	7,871	7,838	7,728	7,647	7,676
Louisiana.....	3,470	3,455	3,409	3,500	3,439	3,409
Maryland.....	7,087	7,200	7,388	7,672	7,194	7,483
Mississippi.....	18,185	18,095	18,078	18,065	18,000	17,404
Missouri.....	7,687	7,726	7,989	7,988	8,023	7,635
North Carolina.....	20,044	20,428	19,953	19,992	19,843	19,508
Oklahoma.....	6,926	6,843	7,133	6,801	7,024	6,600
Pennsylvania.....	3,703	3,715	3,838	3,840	3,789	3,713
South Carolina.....	5,481	5,462	5,277	5,091	5,558	5,066
Texas.....	14,636	14,589	15,070	15,039	14,790	14,550
Virginia.....	6,281	6,279	6,353	6,425	6,325	6,252
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,958	11,129	11,060	10,756	10,589	10,736
19 State Total.....	199,790	200,725	200,968	200,874	199,353	196,772
Prev. Year Total.....	206,342	206,792	205,932	205,234	204,659	199,826

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 12, 2012	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012
Alabama.....	19,775	20,746	20,482	20,128	20,710	20,278
Arkansas.....	20,132	19,908	20,303	20,800	20,656	20,410
Delaware.....	3,956	4,361	3,733	4,235	4,333	4,764
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>1,509</b>	<b>1,333</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>1,260</b>
Georgia.....	27,482	26,806	28,532	27,656	27,682	28,160
Kentucky.....	6,666	5,950	6,768	6,305	6,213	6,497
Louisiana.....	3,130	3,075	3,111	3,084	3,077	3,240
Maryland.....	6,860	6,377	6,367	6,528	5,864	5,801
Mississippi.....	15,477	15,042	15,401	15,672	15,201	15,582
Missouri.....	5,113	5,494	5,387	5,186	5,408	6,084
North Carolina.....	16,649	16,338	16,820	16,227	16,345	16,236
Oklahoma.....	4,573	4,237	4,156	4,315	4,430	3,636
Pennsylvania.....	3,151	2,954	2,993	3,007	3,023	2,867
South Carolina.....	4,819	3,779	3,766	4,623	4,937	4,683
Texas.....	12,350	12,113	12,345	12,171	12,083	12,325
Virginia.....	4,935	5,187	5,009	5,021	5,264	4,922
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,676	11,676	10,618	10,341	10,856	10,514
19 State Total.....	167,072	165,552	167,124	166,584	167,257	167,259
Prev. Year Total.....	174,014	172,512	172,753	171,318	169,855	168,765

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.26 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending June 16, 2012. Placements were seven percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending July 28, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.89 million birds compared to 7.84 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 167 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending June 16, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week and one percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 1.00 billion, three percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
May 12.....	1,182	1,328	174,014	167,072	96	June 23
May 19.....	1,217	1,509	172,512	165,552	96	June 30
May 26.....	1,365	1,333	172,753	167,124	97	July 7
June 2.....	1,391	1,285	171,318	166,584	97	July 14
June 9.....	1,307	1,175	169,855	167,257	98	July 21
June 16.....	1,376	1,260	168,765	167,259	99	July 28
Six-week total .....	7,838	7,890	1,029,217	1,000,848	97	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012
Alabama .....	28,424	28,321	28,329	28,277	27,872	27,279
Arkansas .....	21,826	21,553	21,790	21,492	21,354	20,870
Delaware .....	3,696	3,699	3,710	3,547	3,519	3,557
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia .....	32,634	32,656	33,032	32,466	32,496	31,982
Kentucky .....	7,871	7,893	7,759	7,647	7,676	7,434
Louisiana.....	3,455	3,409	3,500	3,439	3,409	3,303
Maryland .....	7,200	7,388	7,672	7,194	7,483	7,456
Mississippi.....	18,095	18,078	18,065	18,000	17,404	17,938
Missouri.....	7,726	7,989	7,988	8,023	7,635	7,196
North Carolina .....	20,428	19,953	20,166	19,843	19,508	19,494
Oklahoma.....	6,843	7,133	6,801	7,024	6,600	6,473
Pennsylvania.....	3,710	3,838	3,840	3,789	3,781	3,685
South Carolina.....	5,462	5,277	5,091	5,558	5,066	5,299
Texas .....	14,589	15,070	15,039	14,790	14,550	14,563
Virginia .....	6,279	6,353	6,425	6,325	6,252	6,219
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	11,129	11,060	10,756	10,589	10,736	10,860
19 State Total.....	200,720	201,023	201,315	199,353	196,692	194,961
Prev. Year Total .....	206,792	205,932	205,234	204,659	199,826	198,340

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 19, 2012	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012
Alabama .....	20,746	20,482	20,128	20,717	20,257	20,364
Arkansas .....	19,908	20,303	20,800	20,656	20,394	19,950
Delaware .....	4,361	3,733	4,235	4,333	4,764	5,003
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,509</b>	<b>1,333</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>1,260</b>	<b>1,058</b>
Georgia .....	26,806	28,532	27,656	27,682	28,166	28,213
Kentucky .....	5,950	6,768	6,305	6,213	6,571	6,378
Louisiana.....	3,075	3,111	3,084	3,077	3,240	3,327
Maryland .....	6,377	6,367	6,528	5,864	5,801	6,164
Mississippi.....	15,042	15,401	15,672	15,208	15,594	15,435
Missouri.....	5,494	5,387	5,186	5,408	6,084	5,727
North Carolina .....	16,338	16,820	16,227	16,345	16,154	16,308
Oklahoma.....	4,237	4,156	4,315	4,430	3,636	4,749
Pennsylvania.....	2,954	2,993	3,007	3,023	3,054	3,177
South Carolina.....	3,779	3,766	4,623	4,937	4,676	4,803
Texas .....	12,113	12,345	12,171	12,083	12,325	12,145
Virginia .....	5,187	5,009	5,021	5,264	4,922	4,526
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	11,676	10,618	10,341	10,856	10,514	10,502
19 State Total.....	165,552	167,124	166,584	167,271	167,412	167,829
Prev. Year Total .....	172,512	172,753	171,318	169,855	168,765	168,554

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.06 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending June 23, 2012. Placements were 16 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending August 4, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.62 million birds compared to 8.01 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 168 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending June 23, 2012, slightly above placements of the previous week but slightly below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 1.00 billion, two percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
May 19.....	1,217	1,509	172,512	165,552	96	June 30
May 26.....	1,365	1,333	172,753	167,124	97	July 7
June 2.....	1,391	1,285	171,318	166,584	97	July 14
June 9.....	1,307	1,175	169,855	167,271	98	July 21
June 16.....	1,376	1,260	168,765	167,412	99	July 28
June 23	1,352	1,058	168,554	167,829	100	August 4
Six-week total .....	8,008	7,620	1,023,757	1,001,772	98	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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July 06, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012
Alabama .....	28,321	28,329	28,292	27,872	27,279	27,938
Arkansas .....	21,553	21,790	21,492	21,354	20,870	20,765
Delaware .....	3,699	3,710	3,547	3,519	3,557	3,570
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia .....	32,656	33,032	32,466	32,496	31,982	31,697
Kentucky .....	7,893	7,875	7,714	7,676	7,442	7,418
Louisiana.....	3,409	3,500	3,439	3,409	3,303	3,440
Maryland .....	7,388	7,672	7,194	7,483	7,456	7,401
Mississippi.....	18,078	18,065	18,181	17,404	17,938	17,823
Missouri.....	7,989	7,988	8,023	7,635	7,196	7,774
North Carolina .....	19,953	20,166	19,844	19,508	19,494	19,559
Oklahoma.....	7,133	6,801	7,024	6,600	6,473	6,550
Pennsylvania.....	3,838	3,840	3,789	3,781	3,651	3,667
South Carolina.....	5,277	5,091	5,558	5,066	5,299	5,559
Texas .....	15,070	15,039	14,790	14,550	14,563	14,270
Virginia .....	6,353	6,425	6,325	6,252	6,219	6,340
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	11,060	10,756	10,589	10,736	10,947	11,091
19 State Total.....	201,023	201,431	199,617	196,692	195,022	196,214
Prev. Year Total .....	205,932	205,234	204,659	199,826	198,340	197,158

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	May 26, 2012	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012
Alabama .....	20,482	20,128	20,717	20,257	20,419	20,806
Arkansas .....	20,303	20,800	20,656	20,394	19,950	19,902
Delaware .....	3,733	4,235	4,333	4,764	5,003	3,787
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,333</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>1,260</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,079</b>
Georgia .....	28,532	27,656	27,682	28,166	28,024	27,179
Kentucky .....	6,768	6,305	6,213	6,571	6,269	6,536
Louisiana.....	3,111	3,084	3,077	3,240	3,327	3,066
Maryland .....	6,367	6,528	5,864	5,801	6,164	6,947
Mississippi.....	15,401	15,672	15,208	15,594	15,432	15,520
Missouri.....	5,387	5,186	5,408	6,084	5,727	5,954
North Carolina .....	16,820	16,227	16,345	16,154	16,322	15,485
Oklahoma.....	4,156	4,315	4,430	3,636	4,749	4,527
Pennsylvania.....	2,993	3,007	3,023	3,054	3,092	3,149
South Carolina.....	3,766	4,623	4,937	4,676	4,803	5,077
Texas .....	12,345	12,171	12,083	12,322	12,145	12,303
Virginia .....	5,009	5,021	5,264	4,922	4,526	4,900
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,618	10,341	10,856	10,514	10,683	9,487
19 State Total.....	167,124	166,584	167,271	167,409	167,693	165,704
Prev. Year Total .....	172,753	171,318	169,855	168,765	168,554	168,718

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.08 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending June 30, 2012. Placements were two percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending August 11, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.19 million birds compared to 8.08 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 166 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending June 30, 2012, 1.0 percent below placements of the previous week and two percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 1.00 billion, two percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
May 26.....	1,365	1,333	172,753	167,124	97	July 7
June 2.....	1,391	1,285	171,318	166,584	97	July 14
June 9.....	1,307	1,175	169,855	167,271	98	July 21
June 16.....	1,376	1,260	168,765	167,409	99	July 28
June 23.....	1,352	1,058	168,554	167,693	100	August 4
June 30.....	1,289	1,079	168,718	165,704	98	August 11
Six-week total .....	8,080	7,190	1,019,963	1,001,785	98	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012
Alabama .....	28,329	28,292	27,724	28,279	27,846	27,265
Arkansas .....	21,790	21,703	21,354	20,870	20,976	20,334
Delaware .....	3,710	3,547	3,519	3,557	3,570	3,371
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia .....	33,032	32,466	32,496	31,982	31,697	32,539
Kentucky .....	7,875	7,714	7,661	7,442	7,418	7,450
Louisiana.....	3,500	3,439	3,254	3,303	3,440	3,134
Maryland .....	7,672	7,194	7,483	7,456	7,401	7,045
Mississippi.....	18,065	18,181	17,404	17,938	17,823	17,504
Missouri.....	7,988	8,023	7,635	7,196	7,774	7,388
North Carolina .....	20,166	19,844	19,509	19,494	19,559	19,825
Oklahoma.....	6,801	7,024	6,600	6,473	6,550	6,798
Pennsylvania.....	3,840	3,789	3,781	3,651	3,600	3,826
South Carolina.....	5,091	5,558	5,066	5,299	5,559	5,306
Texas .....	15,039	14,790	14,550	14,563	14,270	14,156
Virginia .....	6,425	6,325	6,252	6,219	6,340	6,101
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,826	10,614	10,764	10,974	11,118	10,715
19 State Total.....	201,501	199,853	196,403	196,049	196,293	194,110
Prev. Year Total .....	205,234	204,659	199,826	198,340	197,158	194,961

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 2, 2012	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012
Alabama .....	20,128	20,717	20,257	20,419	20,806	19,941
Arkansas .....	20,800	20,656	20,394	19,950	19,778	19,918
Delaware .....	4,235	4,333	4,764	5,003	3,787	4,720
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>1,260</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,234</b>
Georgia .....	27,656	27,682	28,166	28,024	27,185	26,632
Kentucky .....	6,305	6,213	6,571	6,269	6,536	5,851
Louisiana.....	3,084	3,077	3,240	3,327	3,066	2,913
Maryland .....	6,528	5,864	5,801	6,164	6,947	5,716
Mississippi.....	15,672	15,208	15,594	15,432	15,520	14,915
Missouri.....	5,186	5,408	6,084	5,727	5,954	5,111
North Carolina .....	16,227	16,345	16,154	16,322	15,485	15,839
Oklahoma.....	4,315	4,430	3,636	4,749	4,776	4,111
Pennsylvania.....	3,007	3,023	3,054	3,092	3,014	3,158
South Carolina.....	4,623	4,937	4,676	4,803	5,077	4,831
Texas .....	12,171	12,083	12,322	12,145	12,303	12,142
Virginia .....	5,021	5,264	4,922	4,526	4,900	4,294
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,341	10,899	10,540	10,735	9,519	11,849
19 State Total.....	166,584	167,314	167,435	167,745	165,732	163,175
Prev. Year Total .....	171,318	169,855	168,765	168,554	168,718	165,957

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.23 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending July 7, 2012. Placements were 14 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending August 18, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.09 million birds compared to 7.94 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending July 7, 2012, two percent below placements of the previous week and two percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 998 million, one percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
June 2.....	1,391	1,285	171,318	166,584	97	July 14
June 9.....	1,307	1,175	169,855	167,314	98	July 21
June 16.....	1,376	1,260	168,765	167,435	99	July 28
June 23.....	1,352	1,058	168,554	167,745	100	August 4
June 30.....	1,289	1,079	168,718	165,732	98	August 11
July 7.....	1,222	1,234	165,957	163,175	98	August 18
Six-week total .....	7,937	7,091	1,013,167	997,985	99	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012
Alabama .....	28,292	27,724	28,068	27,846	27,265	27,946
Arkansas .....	21,703	21,421	20,870	20,976	20,387	19,742
Delaware .....	3,547	3,519	3,557	3,570	3,371	3,295
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia .....	32,466	32,496	31,982	31,697	32,539	32,471
Kentucky .....	7,714	7,744	6,960	7,418	7,450	7,743
Louisiana.....	3,439	3,254	3,303	3,440	3,134	3,409
Maryland .....	7,194	7,483	7,456	7,401	7,045	7,351
Mississippi.....	18,181	17,404	17,938	17,823	17,504	18,063
Missouri.....	8,023	7,635	7,196	7,774	7,388	8,068
North Carolina .....	19,844	19,509	19,662	19,559	19,825	19,816
Oklahoma.....	7,024	6,600	6,473	6,550	6,798	6,465
Pennsylvania.....	3,789	3,781	3,651	3,600	3,616	3,731
South Carolina.....	5,558	5,066	5,299	5,559	5,306	5,298
Texas .....	14,801	14,533	14,546	14,253	14,139	14,587
Virginia .....	6,325	6,252	6,219	6,340	6,101	5,919
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,614	10,764	10,974	11,118	10,715	10,601
19 State Total.....	199,864	196,536	195,507	196,276	193,936	195,857
Prev. Year Total .....	204,659	199,826	198,340	197,158	194,961	196,576

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012
Alabama .....	20,717	20,257	20,419	20,806	19,941	20,304
Arkansas .....	20,656	20,394	19,950	19,778	20,381	19,209
Delaware .....	4,333	4,764	5,003	3,787	4,720	4,989
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>1,261</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>1,168</b>
Georgia .....	27,682	28,166	28,025	27,187	26,575	26,809
Kentucky .....	6,213	6,571	6,269	6,536	5,929	5,604
Louisiana.....	3,077	3,240	3,327	3,066	2,913	2,961
Maryland .....	5,864	5,801	6,164	6,947	5,716	5,582
Mississippi.....	15,208	15,594	15,432	15,520	14,915	15,487
Missouri.....	5,408	6,084	5,727	5,952	5,111	5,064
North Carolina .....	16,345	16,154	16,322	15,485	15,844	15,714
Oklahoma.....	4,430	3,636	4,749	4,776	4,248	4,343
Pennsylvania.....	3,023	3,054	3,092	3,014	3,020	3,028
South Carolina.....	4,937	4,676	4,803	5,077	4,831	4,524
Texas .....	12,093	12,331	12,155	12,312	12,129	12,155
Virginia .....	5,264	4,922	4,526	4,900	4,294	4,712
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,899	10,540	10,735	9,519	11,849	11,189
19 State Total.....	167,324	167,445	167,756	165,741	163,650	162,842
Prev. Year Total .....	169,855	168,765	168,554	168,718	165,957	164,445

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.17 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending July 14, 2012. Placements were five percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending August 25, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.97 million birds compared to 7.77 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending July 14, 2012, slight below placements of the previous week and one percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 995 million, one percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
June 9.....	1,307	1,175	169,855	167,324	99	July 21
June 16.....	1,376	1,261	168,765	167,445	99	July 28
June 23.....	1,352	1,058	168,554	167,756	100	August 4
June 30.....	1,289	1,079	168,718	165,741	98	August 11
July 7.....	1,222	1,234	165,957	163,650	98	August 18
July 14.....	1,223	1,168	164,445	162,842	99	August 25
Six-week total .....	7,769	6,974	1,006,294	994,758	99	-

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012
Alabama .....	28,292	27,724	28,068	27,846	27,265	27,946
Arkansas .....	21,703	21,421	20,870	20,976	20,387	19,742
Delaware .....	3,547	3,519	3,557	3,570	3,371	3,295
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia .....	32,466	32,496	31,982	31,697	32,539	32,471
Kentucky .....	7,714	7,744	6,960	7,418	7,450	7,743
Louisiana.....	3,439	3,254	3,303	3,440	3,134	3,409
Maryland .....	7,194	7,483	7,456	7,401	7,045	7,351
Mississippi.....	18,181	17,404	17,938	17,823	17,504	18,063
Missouri.....	8,023	7,635	7,196	7,774	7,388	8,068
North Carolina .....	19,844	19,509	19,662	19,559	19,825	19,816
Oklahoma.....	7,024	6,600	6,473	6,550	6,798	6,465
Pennsylvania.....	3,789	3,781	3,651	3,600	3,616	3,731
South Carolina.....	5,558	5,066	5,299	5,559	5,306	5,298
Texas .....	14,801	14,533	14,546	14,253	14,139	14,587
Virginia .....	6,325	6,252	6,219	6,340	6,101	5,919
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,614	10,764	10,974	11,118	10,715	10,601
19 State Total.....	199,864	196,536	195,507	196,276	193,936	195,857
Prev. Year Total .....	204,659	199,826	198,340	197,158	194,961	196,576

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 9, 2012	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012
Alabama .....	20,717	20,257	20,419	20,806	19,941	20,304
Arkansas .....	20,656	20,394	19,950	19,778	20,381	19,209
Delaware .....	4,333	4,764	5,003	3,787	4,720	4,989
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>1,261</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>1,168</b>
Georgia .....	27,682	28,166	28,025	27,187	26,575	26,809
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Louisiana.....	3,077	3,240	3,327	3,066	2,913	2,961
Maryland .....	5,864	5,801	6,164	6,947	5,716	5,582
Mississippi.....	15,208	15,594	15,432	15,520	14,915	15,487
Missouri.....	5,408	6,084	5,727	5,952	5,111	5,064
North Carolina .....	16,345	16,154	16,322	15,485	15,844	15,714
Oklahoma.....	4,430	3,636	4,749	4,776	4,248	4,343
Pennsylvania.....	3,023	3,054	3,092	3,014	3,020	3,028
South Carolina.....	4,937	4,676	4,803	5,077	4,831	4,524
Texas .....	12,093	12,331	12,155	12,312	12,129	12,155
Virginia .....	5,264	4,922	4,526	4,900	4,294	4,712
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,899	10,540	10,735	9,519	11,849	11,189
19 State Total.....	167,324	167,445	167,756	165,741	163,650	162,842
Prev. Year Total .....	169,855	168,765	168,554	168,718	165,957	164,445

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.17 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending July 14, 2012. Placements were five percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending August 25, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.97 million birds compared to 7.77 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 major broiler States during the week ending July 14, 2012, slight below placements of the previous week and one percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 995 million, one percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Major States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
June 9.....	1,307	1,175	169,855	167,324	99	July 21
June 16.....	1,376	1,261	168,765	167,445	99	July 28
June 23.....	1,352	1,058	168,554	167,756	100	August 4
June 30.....	1,289	1,079	168,718	165,741	98	August 11
July 7.....	1,222	1,234	165,957	163,650	98	August 18
July 14.....	1,223	1,168	164,445	162,842	99	August 25
Six-week total .....	7,769	6,974	1,006,294	994,758	99	-

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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July 26, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012
Alabama .....	27,724	28,068	27,719	27,265	27,946	27,813
Arkansas .....	21,421	20,870	20,976	20,387	19,742	19,931
Delaware .....	3,519	3,557	3,570	3,371	3,295	3,503
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,341</b>
Georgia .....	32,496	31,982	31,455	32,539	32,471	31,867
Kentucky .....	7,744	6,960	7,418	7,450	7,743	7,816
Louisiana.....	3,254	3,303	3,440	3,134	3,409	3,107
Maryland .....	7,483	7,456	7,401	7,045	7,351	7,220
Mississippi.....	17,404	17,938	17,823	17,504	18,063	17,691
Missouri.....	7,635	7,196	7,774	7,388	8,068	8,024
North Carolina .....	19,509	19,662	19,559	19,825	19,816	19,611
Oklahoma.....	6,600	6,473	6,550	6,798	6,465	6,696
Pennsylvania.....	3,781	3,651	3,600	3,616	3,662	3,661
South Carolina.....	5,066	5,299	5,559	5,306	5,298	5,319
Texas .....	14,533	14,546	14,253	14,139	14,612	14,500
Virginia .....	6,252	6,219	6,340	6,101	5,919	6,217
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,764	10,974	11,118	10,715	10,601	10,863
19 State Total.....	196,536	195,507	195,907	193,936	195,813	195,180
Prev. Year Total .....	199,826	198,340	197,158	194,961	196,576	195,141

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 16, 2012	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012
Alabama .....	20,257	20,419	20,806	19,941	20,301	20,525
Arkansas .....	20,394	19,950	19,778	20,381	19,209	20,486
Delaware .....	4,764	5,003	3,787	4,720	4,989	4,250
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,261</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>1,179</b>
Georgia .....	28,166	28,025	27,187	26,575	26,809	26,608
Kentucky .....	6,571	6,269	6,536	5,929	5,667	6,308
Louisiana.....	3,240	3,327	3,066	2,913	2,961	3,098
Maryland .....	5,801	6,164	6,947	5,716	5,582	7,131
Mississippi.....	15,594	15,432	15,520	14,915	15,485	15,216
Missouri.....	6,084	5,727	5,952	5,111	5,064	4,708
North Carolina .....	16,154	16,322	15,485	15,844	15,714	15,274
Oklahoma.....	3,636	4,749	4,776	4,248	4,343	4,266
Pennsylvania.....	3,054	3,092	3,014	3,020	3,003	2,995
South Carolina.....	4,676	4,803	5,077	4,831	4,524	4,149
Texas .....	12,331	12,155	12,312	12,129	12,158	11,931
Virginia .....	4,922	4,526	4,900	4,294	4,712	4,312
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,540	10,735	9,519	11,849	11,189	10,664
19 State Total.....	167,445	167,756	165,741	163,650	162,878	163,100
Prev. Year Total .....	169,855	168,765	168,554	168,718	165,957	164,445

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.18 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending July 21, 2012. Placements were one percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending September 1, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.98 million birds compared to 7.67 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending July 21, 2012, one percent above placements of the previous week and slightly above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 991 million, one percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
June 16.....	1,376	1,261	168,765	167,445	99	July 28
June 23.....	1,352	1,058	168,554	167,756	100	August 4
June 30.....	1,289	1,079	168,718	165,741	98	August 11
July 7.....	1,222	1,234	165,957	163,650	98	August 18
July 14.....	1,223	1,168	164,445	162,878	99	August 25
July 21.....	1,209	1,179	162,828	163,100	100	September 1
Six-week total .....	7,671	6,979	999,267	990,570	99	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012
Alabama .....	28,068	27,719	27,313	27,946	27,813	28,149
Arkansas .....	20,870	20,976	20,278	19,742	19,931	20,915
Delaware .....	3,557	3,570	3,371	3,295	3,503	3,501
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,341</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia .....	32,018	31,470	32,496	32,284	31,795	31,573
Kentucky .....	6,917	7,303	7,516	7,754	7,827	7,795
Louisiana.....	3,303	3,440	3,258	3,409	3,107	3,167
Maryland .....	7,456	7,401	7,045	7,351	7,220	7,600
Mississippi.....	17,938	17,823	17,655	18,063	17,691	17,838
Missouri.....	7,196	7,774	7,388	8,068	8,024	7,835
North Carolina .....	19,662	19,537	19,825	19,816	19,628	19,638
Oklahoma.....	6,473	6,550	6,798	6,465	6,696	6,714
Pennsylvania.....	3,651	3,600	3,616	3,662	3,535	3,622
South Carolina.....	5,299	5,559	5,306	5,298	5,319	5,603
Texas .....	14,546	14,253	14,139	14,612	14,500	14,255
Virginia .....	6,219	6,340	5,854	5,919	6,217	6,182
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,974	11,253	10,693	10,770	10,720	10,870
19 State Total.....	195,500	195,920	193,904	195,806	194,867	196,609
Prev. Year Total .....	198,340	197,158	194,961	196,576	195,141	194,434

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 23, 2012	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012
Alabama .....	20,419	20,806	19,941	20,301	20,525	19,417
Arkansas .....	19,950	19,778	20,381	19,209	20,502	19,313
Delaware .....	5,003	3,787	4,720	4,989	4,250	3,153
<b>Florida .....</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>1,211</b>
Georgia .....	28,029	27,213	26,599	26,917	26,641	28,246
Kentucky .....	6,269	6,536	5,929	5,673	6,322	5,813
Louisiana.....	3,327	3,066	2,913	2,961	3,098	2,935
Maryland .....	6,164	6,947	5,716	5,582	7,131	6,093
Mississippi.....	15,432	15,520	14,915	15,485	15,216	14,933
Missouri.....	5,727	5,952	5,111	5,064	4,708	5,159
North Carolina .....	16,322	15,485	15,844	15,714	16,227	15,898
Oklahoma.....	4,749	4,776	4,248	4,343	4,335	4,151
Pennsylvania.....	3,092	3,014	3,020	3,003	2,962	2,998
South Carolina.....	4,803	5,077	4,831	4,524	4,142	4,273
Texas .....	12,155	12,312	12,129	12,158	11,931	11,906
Virginia .....	4,526	4,900	4,294	4,712	4,312	5,383
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia .....	10,733	9,519	11,849	11,189	10,675	10,259
19 State Total.....	167,758	165,767	163,674	162,992	164,156	161,141
Prev. Year Total .....	168,554	168,718	165,957	164,445	162,828	162,898

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.21 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending July 28, 2012. Placements were three percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending September 8, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.93 million birds compared to 7.48 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 161 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending July 28, 2012, two percent below placements of the previous week and one percent from last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 985 million, one percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
June 23.....	1,352	1,058	168,554	167,758	100	August 4
June 30.....	1,289	1,079	168,718	165,767	98	August 11
July 7.....	1,222	1,234	165,957	163,674	98	August 18
July 14.....	1,223	1,168	164,445	162,992	99	August 25
July 21.....	1,209	1,179	162,828	164,156	100	September 1
July 28.....	1,184	1,211	162,898	161,141	99	September 8
Six-week total .....	7,479	6,929	993,400	985,488	99	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012
Alabama.....	27,719	27,313	27,908	27,813	28,149	27,630
Arkansas.....	20,976	20,278	19,621	19,931	20,915	21,130
Delaware.....	3,570	3,371	3,295	3,503	3,501	3,497
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,341</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,470	32,496	32,461	31,795	31,573	31,739
Kentucky.....	7,101	7,452	7,718	7,843	7,811	7,644
Louisiana.....	3,440	3,258	3,409	3,107	3,167	3,227
Maryland.....	7,401	7,045	7,351	7,220	7,600	7,595
Mississippi.....	17,823	17,655	18,063	17,691	17,838	17,667
Missouri.....	7,774	7,388	8,068	8,024	7,835	7,863
North Carolina.....	19,537	19,825	19,816	19,628	19,638	19,510
Oklahoma.....	6,550	6,798	6,465	6,696	6,714	6,476
Pennsylvania.....	3,600	3,616	3,767	3,535	3,535	3,463
South Carolina.....	5,559	5,306	5,298	5,319	5,603	5,313
Texas.....	14,252	14,138	14,612	14,500	14,254	14,394
Virginia.....	6,340	5,854	6,222	6,217	6,182	6,089
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,253	10,693	10,770	10,720	10,675	10,754
19 State Total.....	195,717	193,839	196,196	194,883	196,342	195,344
Prev. Year Total.....	197,158	194,961	196,576	195,141	194,434	195,036

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	June 30, 2012	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012
Alabama.....	20,806	19,941	20,301	20,525	19,417	19,765
Arkansas.....	19,778	20,381	19,209	20,502	19,313	17,406
Delaware.....	3,787	4,720	4,989	4,250	3,153	3,361
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>1,138</b>
Georgia.....	27,213	26,599	26,917	26,546	28,246	27,968
Kentucky.....	6,540	5,906	5,873	6,142	5,925	6,466
Louisiana.....	3,066	2,913	2,961	3,098	2,935	3,067
Maryland.....	6,947	5,716	5,582	7,131	6,093	6,452
Mississippi.....	15,520	14,915	15,485	15,216	14,933	15,326
Missouri.....	5,952	5,111	5,064	4,708	5,159	6,071
North Carolina.....	15,485	15,844	15,714	16,227	15,898	16,407
Oklahoma.....	4,776	4,248	4,343	4,335	4,151	4,914
Pennsylvania.....	3,014	3,020	3,003	2,962	3,006	3,168
South Carolina.....	5,077	4,831	4,524	4,142	4,273	4,033
Texas.....	12,312	12,127	12,156	11,930	11,905	12,169
Virginia.....	4,900	4,294	4,712	4,312	5,383	5,327
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,519	11,849	11,189	10,675	10,259	10,582
19 State Total.....	165,771	163,649	163,190	163,880	161,260	163,620
Prev. Year Total.....	168,554	168,718	165,957	164,445	162,828	162,898

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.14 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending August 4, 2012. Placements were six percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending September 15, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.01 million birds compared to 7.38 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 164 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending August 4, 2012, one percent above placements of the previous week and slightly above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 981 million, one percent below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
June 30.....	1,289	1,079	168,718	165,771	98	August 11
July 7.....	1,222	1,234	165,957	163,649	98	August 18
July 14.....	1,223	1,168	164,445	163,190	99	August 25
July 21.....	1,209	1,179	162,828	163,880	100	September 1
July 28.....	1,184	1,211	162,898	161,260	99	September 8
August 4.....	1,250	1,138	164,050	163,620	100	September 15
Six-week total.....	7,377	7,009	988,896	981,370	99	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012
Alabama.....	27,313	27,908	27,947	28,149	27,656	27,996
Arkansas.....	20,278	19,621	19,931	20,915	21,130	21,057
Delaware.....	3,371	3,295	3,503	3,501	3,497	3,279
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,341</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>
Georgia.....	32,496	32,461	31,849	31,573	31,739	31,738
Kentucky.....	7,452	7,659	7,790	7,811	7,659	7,673
Louisiana.....	3,258	3,409	3,107	3,167	3,227	3,211
Maryland.....	7,045	7,351	7,220	7,600	7,595	7,254
Mississippi.....	17,655	18,063	17,795	17,838	17,667	17,192
Missouri.....	7,388	8,068	8,024	7,835	7,863	8,036
North Carolina.....	19,825	19,816	19,628	19,638	19,510	19,222
Oklahoma.....	6,798	6,465	6,689	6,714	6,476	6,276
Pennsylvania.....	3,616	3,767	3,535	3,570	3,441	3,487
South Carolina.....	5,306	5,298	5,319	5,603	5,313	5,328
Texas.....	14,138	14,612	14,500	14,254	14,394	13,789
Virginia.....	5,854	6,222	6,217	6,182	6,089	6,074
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,619	10,744	10,722	10,683	10,763	10,460
19 State Total.....	193,765	196,111	195,117	196,385	195,372	193,424
Prev. Year Total.....	194,961	196,576	195,141	194,434	195,036	194,164

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 7, 2012	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012
Alabama.....	19,941	20,301	20,517	19,417	19,749	19,683
Arkansas.....	20,381	19,209	20,502	19,313	17,406	18,903
Delaware.....	4,720	4,989	4,250	3,153	3,361	4,085
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>1,010</b>
Georgia.....	26,599	26,917	26,546	28,246	28,124	28,437
Kentucky.....	5,906	5,873	6,142	5,925	6,483	6,447
Louisiana.....	2,913	2,961	3,098	2,935	3,067	2,794
Maryland.....	5,716	5,582	7,131	6,093	6,452	6,135
Mississippi.....	14,915	15,485	15,216	14,933	15,326	15,360
Missouri.....	5,111	5,064	4,708	5,159	6,071	5,711
North Carolina.....	15,844	15,714	16,227	15,898	16,407	15,496
Oklahoma.....	4,248	4,343	4,335	4,151	4,914	3,896
Pennsylvania.....	3,020	3,003	2,962	2,986	3,157	2,891
South Carolina.....	4,831	4,524	4,142	4,273	4,033	4,049
Texas.....	12,127	12,156	11,930	11,905	12,169	12,224
Virginia.....	4,294	4,712	4,312	5,383	5,327	5,224
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,859	11,203	10,696	10,201	10,544	10,258
19 State Total.....	163,659	163,204	163,893	161,182	163,728	162,603
Prev. Year Total.....	165,957	164,445	162,828	162,898	164,050	162,336

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.01 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending August 11, 2012. Placements were 11 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending September 22, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.94 million birds compared to 7.23 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending August 11, 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week but slightly above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 978 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
July 7.....	1,222	1,234	165,957	163,659	98	August 18
July 14.....	1,223	1,168	164,445	163,204	99	August 25
July 21.....	1,209	1,179	162,828	163,893	100	September 1
July 28.....	1,184	1,211	162,898	161,182	99	September 8
August 4.....	1,250	1,138	164,050	163,728	100	September 15
August 11.....	1,145	1,010	162,336	162,603	100	September 22
Six-week total.....	7,233	6,940	982,514	978,269	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012
Alabama.....	27,908	27,947	28,141	27,656	27,996	27,551
Arkansas.....	19,621	19,931	20,915	21,130	21,057	20,944
Delaware.....	3,295	3,503	3,501	3,497	3,279	3,176
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,341</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	32,461	31,849	31,573	31,739	31,773	31,810
Kentucky.....	7,659	7,790	7,728	7,659	7,673	7,587
Louisiana.....	3,409	3,107	3,167	3,227	3,211	3,135
Maryland.....	7,351	7,220	7,600	7,595	7,254	7,341
Mississippi.....	18,063	17,795	17,838	17,667	17,075	16,782
Missouri.....	8,068	8,024	7,835	7,863	8,036	8,022
North Carolina.....	19,816	19,628	19,638	19,510	19,222	19,474
Oklahoma.....	6,465	6,689	6,714	6,476	6,276	6,891
Pennsylvania.....	3,767	3,535	3,570	3,441	3,398	3,609
South Carolina.....	5,298	5,319	5,603	5,313	5,328	5,040
Texas.....	14,612	14,500	14,254	14,394	13,789	13,194
Virginia.....	6,222	6,217	6,182	6,089	6,074	6,043
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,744	10,722	10,683	10,763	10,460	10,005
19 State Total.....	196,111	195,117	196,294	195,372	193,253	191,957
Prev. Year Total.....	196,576	195,141	194,434	195,036	194,164	193,090

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 14, 2012	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012
Alabama.....	20,301	20,517	19,417	19,749	19,688	19,877
Arkansas.....	19,209	20,502	19,313	17,406	18,903	19,160
Delaware.....	4,989	4,250	3,153	3,361	4,085	4,394
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>1,304</b>
Georgia.....	26,917	26,546	28,246	28,124	28,416	26,860
Kentucky.....	5,873	6,142	5,925	6,483	6,447	5,922
Louisiana.....	2,961	3,098	2,935	3,067	2,794	2,796
Maryland.....	5,582	7,131	6,093	6,452	6,135	6,483
Mississippi.....	15,485	15,216	14,933	15,326	15,357	15,261
Missouri.....	5,064	4,708	5,159	6,071	5,711	5,029
North Carolina.....	15,714	16,227	15,898	16,407	15,503	15,323
Oklahoma.....	4,343	4,335	4,151	4,914	3,896	4,892
Pennsylvania.....	3,003	2,962	2,986	3,157	2,911	2,998
South Carolina.....	4,524	4,142	4,273	4,033	4,049	4,453
Texas.....	12,156	11,930	11,905	12,169	12,224	12,007
Virginia.....	4,712	4,312	5,383	5,327	5,224	4,721
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,203	10,696	10,201	10,544	9,913	10,999
19 State Total.....	163,204	163,893	161,182	163,728	162,266	162,479
Prev. Year Total.....	164,445	162,828	162,898	164,050	162,336	161,039

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.30 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending August 18, 2012. Placements were 29 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending September 29, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.01 million birds compared to 7.16 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 162 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending August 18, 2012, slightly above the placements of the previous week and one percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 977 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
July 14 .....	1,223	1,168	164,445	163,204	99	August 25
July 21 .....	1,209	1,179	162,828	163,893	100	September 1
July 28 .....	1,184	1,211	162,898	161,182	99	September 8
August 4 .....	1,250	1,138	164,050	163,728	100	September 15
August 11 .....	1,145	1,010	162,336	162,266	100	September 22
August 18 .....	1,150	1,304	161,039	162,479	101	September 29
Six-week total .....	7,161	7,010	977,596	976,752	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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August 30, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012
Alabama.....	27,947	28,141	27,360	27,996	27,551	27,927
Arkansas.....	19,931	20,915	21,130	21,057	20,944	20,651
Delaware.....	3,503	3,501	3,497	3,279	3,176	3,286
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,341</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,349</b>
Georgia.....	31,849	31,573	31,739	31,773	31,810	30,825
Kentucky.....	7,742	7,728	7,631	7,673	7,639	7,641
Louisiana.....	3,107	3,167	3,165	3,211	3,135	3,167
Maryland.....	7,220	7,600	7,595	7,254	7,341	7,346
Mississippi.....	17,795	17,838	17,667	17,075	16,782	16,226
Missouri.....	8,024	7,835	7,863	8,036	8,022	8,032
North Carolina.....	19,628	19,638	19,600	19,222	19,474	19,688
Oklahoma.....	6,689	6,714	6,476	6,276	6,891	6,686
Pennsylvania.....	3,535	3,570	3,538	3,398	3,655	3,625
South Carolina.....	5,319	5,603	5,313	5,328	5,040	5,265
Texas.....	14,500	14,254	14,394	13,789	13,066	13,491
Virginia.....	6,217	6,182	6,089	6,074	6,043	6,049
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,722	10,683	10,763	10,460	10,029	10,490
19 State Total.....	195,069	196,294	195,173	193,253	191,951	191,744
Prev. Year Total.....	195,141	194,434	195,036	194,164	193,090	193,007

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 21, 2012	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012
Alabama.....	20,517	19,417	19,749	19,688	19,877	20,089
Arkansas.....	20,502	19,313	17,406	18,903	19,160	19,431
Delaware.....	4,250	3,153	3,361	4,085	4,394	4,577
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>1,304</b>	<b>1,248</b>
Georgia.....	26,546	28,246	28,124	28,416	26,860	26,597
Kentucky.....	6,142	5,925	6,483	6,683	5,893	6,196
Louisiana.....	3,098	2,935	3,067	2,794	2,796	2,836
Maryland.....	7,131	6,093	6,452	6,135	6,483	4,842
Mississippi.....	15,216	14,933	15,326	15,357	15,261	15,207
Missouri.....	4,708	5,159	6,071	5,711	5,029	5,723
North Carolina.....	16,227	15,898	16,407	15,503	15,323	15,684
Oklahoma.....	4,335	4,151	4,914	3,896	4,892	4,163
Pennsylvania.....	2,962	2,986	3,157	2,911	2,901	2,979
South Carolina.....	4,142	4,273	4,033	4,049	4,453	4,587
Texas.....	11,930	11,905	12,169	12,224	12,010	11,882
Virginia.....	4,312	5,383	5,327	5,224	4,721	4,918
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,696	10,201	10,544	9,913	11,084	10,859
19 State Total.....	163,893	161,182	163,728	162,502	162,441	161,818
Prev. Year Total.....	162,828	162,898	164,050	162,336	161,039	162,943

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.25 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending August 25, 2012. Placements were four percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending October 6, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.09 million birds compared to 7.09 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 162 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending August 25, 2012, slightly below the placements of the previous week and one percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 976 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
July 21 .....	1,209	1,179	162,828	163,893	100	September 1
July 28 .....	1,184	1,211	162,898	161,182	99	September 8
August 4	1,250	1,138	164,050	163,728	100	September 15
August 11	1,145	1,010	162,336	162,502	100	September 22
August 18 .....	1,150	1,304	161,039	162,441	101	September 29
August 25 .....	1,147	1,248	162,943	161,818	99	October 6
Six-week total .....	7,085	7,090	976,094	975,564	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012
Alabama.....	28,141	27,360	27,840	27,551	27,927	27,193
Arkansas.....	20,915	21,130	21,057	20,944	20,651	20,757
Delaware.....	3,501	3,497	3,279	3,176	3,286	3,259
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>
Georgia.....	31,573	31,739	31,773	31,810	31,721	31,331
Kentucky.....	7,728	7,601	7,738	7,639	7,641	7,616
Louisiana.....	3,167	3,165	3,211	3,135	3,167	3,211
Maryland.....	7,600	7,595	7,254	7,341	7,346	6,944
Mississippi.....	17,838	17,667	17,075	16,724	16,168	16,326
Missouri.....	7,835	7,863	8,036	8,022	8,032	7,708
North Carolina.....	19,638	19,600	19,222	19,474	19,688	19,445
Oklahoma.....	6,714	6,476	6,276	6,891	6,686	6,693
Pennsylvania.....	3,570	3,538	3,398	3,655	3,726	3,579
South Carolina.....	5,603	5,313	5,328	5,040	5,265	4,721
Texas.....	14,254	14,394	13,789	13,066	13,491	12,731
Virginia.....	6,182	6,089	6,074	6,043	6,049	5,985
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,683	10,763	10,378	10,076	10,347	10,620
19 State Total.....	196,294	195,143	193,080	191,940	192,540	189,466
Prev. Year Total.....	194,434	195,036	194,164	193,090	193,007	189,258

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	July 28, 2012	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012
Alabama.....	19,417	19,749	19,688	19,877	20,005	20,043
Arkansas.....	19,313	17,406	18,903	19,160	19,431	19,027
Delaware.....	3,153	3,361	4,085	4,394	4,577	4,947
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>1,304</b>	<b>1,248</b>	<b>1,186</b>
Georgia.....	28,246	28,124	28,416	26,860	26,659	26,271
Kentucky.....	5,925	6,483	6,683	5,893	6,126	6,404
Louisiana.....	2,935	3,067	2,794	2,796	2,836	2,871
Maryland.....	6,093	6,452	6,135	6,483	5,682	5,738
Mississippi.....	14,933	15,326	15,357	15,258	15,202	14,397
Missouri.....	5,159	6,071	5,711	5,029	5,723	5,854
North Carolina.....	15,898	16,407	15,503	15,323	15,684	15,827
Oklahoma.....	4,151	4,914	3,896	4,892	4,163	4,437
Pennsylvania.....	2,986	3,157	2,911	2,901	2,953	2,845
South Carolina.....	4,273	4,033	4,049	4,453	4,587	3,847
Texas.....	11,905	12,169	12,224	12,010	11,882	11,448
Virginia.....	5,383	5,327	5,224	4,721	4,918	3,877
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,201	10,479	9,913	11,084	10,859	11,073
19 State Total.....	161,182	163,663	162,502	162,438	162,535	160,092
Prev. Year Total.....	162,898	164,050	162,336	161,039	162,943	160,923

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.19 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending September 1, 2012. Placements were five percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending October 13, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.10 million birds compared to 7.01 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 160 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending September 1, 2012, two percent below the placements of the previous week and one percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 972 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
July 28.....	1,184	1,211	162,898	161,182	99	September 8
August 4.....	1,250	1,138	164,050	163,728	100	September 15
August 11.....	1,145	1,010	162,336	162,502	100	September 22
August 18.....	1,150	1,304	161,039	162,441	101	September 29
August 25.....	1,147	1,248	162,943	161,818	99	October 6
September 1.....	1,138	1,186	160,923	160,092	99	October 13
Six-week total.....	7,014	7,097	974,189	971,763	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012
Alabama.....	27,360	27,840	27,300	27,927	27,163	26,639
Arkansas.....	21,130	21,057	20,944	20,651	20,757	19,074
Delaware.....	3,497	3,279	3,176	3,286	3,259	3,143
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,739	31,773	31,810	31,721	31,331	30,962
Kentucky.....	7,601	7,738	7,622	7,641	7,616	7,249
Louisiana.....	3,165	3,211	3,135	3,167	3,211	3,285
Maryland.....	7,595	7,254	7,341	7,346	6,944	6,932
Mississippi.....	17,667	17,075	16,724	16,168	16,326	16,513
Missouri.....	7,863	8,036	8,022	8,032	7,708	8,037
North Carolina.....	19,600	19,222	19,474	19,688	19,445	18,217
Oklahoma.....	6,476	6,276	6,891	6,686	6,693	6,539
Pennsylvania.....	3,538	3,398	3,655	3,726	3,584	3,532
South Carolina.....	5,313	5,328	5,173	5,265	4,721	5,402
Texas.....	14,394	13,789	13,066	13,491	12,731	13,540
Virginia.....	6,089	6,074	6,043	6,049	5,985	5,798
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,678	10,322	10,053	10,316	10,521	10,110
19 State Total.....	195,058	193,024	191,782	192,509	189,342	186,325
Prev. Year Total.....	195,036	194,164	193,090	193,007	189,258	185,218

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 4, 2012	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012
Alabama.....	19,749	19,688	19,872	20,005	20,056	19,993
Arkansas.....	17,406	18,903	19,160	19,431	19,027	20,937
Delaware.....	3,361	4,085	4,394	4,577	4,947	4,023
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>1,304</b>	<b>1,248</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>1,105</b>
Georgia.....	28,124	28,416	26,860	26,659	26,271	25,819
Kentucky.....	6,483	6,683	5,893	6,126	6,404	6,403
Louisiana.....	3,067	2,794	2,796	2,836	2,871	2,857
Maryland.....	6,452	6,135	6,483	5,682	5,738	6,350
Mississippi.....	15,326	15,357	15,258	15,202	14,397	14,411
Missouri.....	6,071	5,711	5,029	5,723	5,854	4,937
North Carolina.....	16,407	15,503	15,323	15,684	15,827	15,780
Oklahoma.....	4,914	3,896	4,892	4,163	4,437	3,843
Pennsylvania.....	3,157	2,911	2,901	2,953	2,838	3,038
South Carolina.....	4,033	4,049	4,453	4,587	3,847	5,263
Texas.....	12,169	12,224	12,010	11,882	11,448	10,650
Virginia.....	5,327	5,224	4,721	4,918	3,877	4,503
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,479	9,857	11,038	10,797	11,021	9,684
19 State Total.....	163,663	162,446	162,387	162,473	160,046	159,596
Prev. Year Total.....	164,050	162,336	161,039	162,943	160,923	160,203

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.11 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending September 8, 2012. Placements were seven percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending October 20, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.99 million birds compared to 7.08 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 160 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending September 8, 2012, slightly below the placements of the previous week and slightly below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 971 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
August 4 .....	1,250	1,138	164,050	163,663	100	September 15
August 11 .....	1,145	1,010	162,336	162,446	100	September 22
August 18 .....	1,150	1,304	161,039	162,387	101	September 29
August 25 .....	1,147	1,248	162,943	162,473	99	October 6
September 1 .....	1,138	1,186	160,923	160,046	99	October 13
September 8 .....	1,251	1,105	160,933	159,596	100	October 20
Six-week total .....	7,081	6,991	972,224	970,611	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012
Alabama.....	27,840	27,300	28,073	27,163	26,639	26,841
Arkansas.....	21,057	20,944	20,651	20,757	19,074	19,420
Delaware.....	3,279	3,176	3,286	3,259	3,143	3,155
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>
Georgia.....	31,773	31,810	31,721	31,331	30,962	30,475
Kentucky.....	7,738	7,622	7,641	7,616	7,249	6,980
Louisiana.....	3,211	3,135	3,167	3,211	3,285	3,272
Maryland.....	7,254	7,341	7,346	6,944	6,932	7,182
Mississippi.....	17,075	16,724	15,751	16,356	16,740	16,489
Missouri.....	8,036	8,022	8,032	7,708	8,037	7,366
North Carolina.....	19,222	19,474	19,688	19,445	18,217	18,394
Oklahoma.....	6,276	6,891	6,686	6,693	6,539	6,459
Pennsylvania.....	3,398	3,655	3,726	3,584	3,505	3,510
South Carolina.....	5,328	5,173	5,265	4,721	5,402	5,513
Texas.....	13,727	13,022	13,446	12,687	13,495	12,533
Virginia.....	6,074	6,043	6,049	5,985	5,798	5,500
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,322	10,053	10,316	10,521	10,110	9,531
19 State Total.....	192,962	191,738	192,193	189,328	186,480	183,708
Prev. Year Total.....	194,164	193,090	193,007	189,258	185,218	179,528

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 11, 2012	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012
Alabama.....	19,688	19,872	20,005	20,056	19,993	19,801
Arkansas.....	18,903	19,160	19,431	19,027	20,937	20,760
Delaware.....	4,085	4,394	4,577	4,947	4,023	4,033
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>1,304</b>	<b>1,248</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>1,105</b>	<b>1,293</b>
Georgia.....	28,416	26,860	26,659	26,271	25,819	27,500
Kentucky.....	6,683	5,893	6,126	6,404	6,403	5,853
Louisiana.....	2,794	2,796	2,836	2,871	2,857	2,847
Maryland.....	6,135	6,483	5,682	5,738	6,350	5,620
Mississippi.....	15,357	15,258	15,202	14,397	14,411	13,408
Missouri.....	5,711	5,029	5,723	5,854	4,937	5,032
North Carolina.....	15,503	15,323	15,684	15,827	15,780	16,165
Oklahoma.....	3,896	4,892	4,163	4,437	3,843	4,202
Pennsylvania.....	2,911	2,901	2,953	2,838	3,040	3,151
South Carolina.....	4,049	4,453	4,587	3,847	5,263	3,871
Texas.....	12,215	12,001	11,873	11,439	10,614	11,183
Virginia.....	5,224	4,721	4,918	3,877	4,503	5,424
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,857	11,038	10,797	11,021	9,684	10,378
19 State Total.....	162,437	162,378	162,464	160,037	159,562	160,521
Prev. Year Total.....	162,336	161,039	162,943	160,923	160,203	160,820

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.29 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending September 15, 2012. Placements were 17 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending October 27, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.15 million birds compared to 6.97 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 161 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending September 15, 2012, one percent above the placements of the previous week but slightly below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 967 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
August 11 .....	1,145	1,010	162,336	162,446	100	September 22
August 18 .....	1,150	1,304	161,039	162,387	101	September 29
August 25 .....	1,147	1,248	162,943	162,473	99	October 6
September 1 .....	1,138	1,186	160,923	160,046	99	October 13
September 8 .....	1,251	1,105	160,203	159,596	100	October 20
September 15 .....	1,140	1,293	160,820	160,521	100	October 27
Six-week total .....	6,971	7,146	968,264	967,469	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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September 27, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012
Alabama.....	27,300	28,073	27,312	26,639	26,841	27,468
Arkansas.....	20,944	20,651	20,757	19,074	19,420	20,859
Delaware.....	3,176	3,286	3,259	3,143	3,155	3,153
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,810	31,721	31,606	30,962	30,475	31,914
Kentucky.....	7,602	7,696	7,697	7,249	6,980	7,430
Louisiana.....	3,135	3,167	3,211	3,285	3,272	3,008
Maryland.....	7,341	7,346	6,944	6,932	7,182	7,119
Mississippi.....	16,724	15,751	16,386	16,740	16,489	15,600
Missouri.....	8,022	8,032	8,019	8,037	7,366	7,252
North Carolina.....	19,474	19,688	19,445	18,217	18,394	19,206
Oklahoma.....	6,891	6,686	6,693	6,539	6,459	6,736
Pennsylvania.....	3,655	3,726	3,584	3,505	3,473	3,562
South Carolina.....	5,173	5,265	4,721	5,402	5,513	4,855
Texas.....	13,022	13,446	12,784	13,495	12,533	12,786
Virginia.....	6,043	6,049	5,985	5,798	5,500	6,032
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,053	10,316	10,521	10,110	9,531	10,460
19 State Total.....	191,718	192,248	190,271	186,480	183,671	188,793
Prev. Year Total.....	193,090	193,007	189,258	185,218	179,528	187,841

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 18, 2012	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012
Alabama.....	19,872	20,005	20,056	19,993	19,801	19,617
Arkansas.....	19,160	19,431	19,027	20,937	20,760	19,973
Delaware.....	4,394	4,577	4,947	4,023	4,033	3,907
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,304</b>	<b>1,248</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>1,105</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>972</b>
Georgia.....	26,860	26,659	26,271	25,810	27,497	26,332
Kentucky.....	5,893	6,126	6,404	6,403	5,812	6,138
Louisiana.....	2,796	2,836	2,871	2,857	2,847	2,818
Maryland.....	6,483	5,682	5,738	6,350	5,620	5,924
Mississippi.....	15,258	15,202	14,397	14,411	13,447	14,178
Missouri.....	5,029	5,723	5,854	4,937	5,032	5,513
North Carolina.....	15,323	15,684	15,827	15,780	16,165	15,602
Oklahoma.....	4,892	4,163	4,437	3,843	4,202	4,247
Pennsylvania.....	2,901	2,953	2,838	3,040	3,140	3,022
South Carolina.....	4,453	4,587	3,847	5,263	3,871	4,417
Texas.....	12,001	11,873	11,439	10,614	11,183	10,801
Virginia.....	4,721	4,918	3,877	4,503	5,424	4,889
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,038	10,797	11,021	9,684	10,378	10,701
19 State Total.....	162,378	162,464	160,037	159,553	160,512	159,051
Prev. Year Total.....	161,039	162,943	160,923	160,203	160,820	157,901

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 972 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending September 22, 2012. Placements were 25 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending November 3, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.12 million birds compared to 6.98 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 159 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending September 22, 2012, one percent below the placements of the previous week but one percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 964 million, slightly above the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
August 18 .....	1,150	1,304	161,039	162,387	101	September 29
August 25 .....	1,147	1,248	162,943	162,464	99	October 6
September 1 .....	1,138	1,186	160,923	160,037	99	October 13
September 8 .....	1,251	1,105	160,203	159,553	100	October 20
September 15 .....	1,140	1,300	160,820	160,512	100	October 27
September 22 .....	1,156	972	157,901	159,051	101	November 3
Six-week total .....	6,982	7,115	963,829	964,004	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012
Alabama.....	28,073	27,312	26,375	26,841	27,468	26,059
Arkansas.....	20,651	20,757	19,074	19,420	20,859	20,187
Delaware.....	3,286	3,259	3,143	3,155	3,153	3,142
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	31,721	31,596	30,962	30,475	31,914	30,722
Kentucky.....	7,696	7,675	6,682	6,980	7,416	7,017
Louisiana.....	3,167	3,211	3,285	3,272	3,008	3,122
Maryland.....	7,346	6,944	6,932	7,182	7,119	7,121
Mississippi.....	15,751	16,386	16,740	16,489	15,600	16,447
Missouri.....	8,032	8,019	8,037	7,366	7,252	6,914
North Carolina.....	19,688	19,445	18,217	18,394	19,206	19,370
Oklahoma.....	6,686	6,693	6,539	6,459	6,736	6,829
Pennsylvania.....	3,726	3,584	3,505	3,473	3,271	3,516
South Carolina.....	5,265	4,721	5,402	5,513	4,852	5,300
Texas.....	13,446	12,784	13,495	12,533	12,786	13,655
Virginia.....	6,049	5,985	5,798	5,500	6,032	5,426
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,316	10,445	10,074	9,553	9,413	9,627
19 State Total.....	192,248	190,163	185,613	183,693	187,438	185,805
Prev. Year Total.....	193,007	189,258	185,218	179,528	187,841	181,765

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	August 25, 2012	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012
Alabama.....	20,005	20,056	19,993	19,801	19,617	19,464
Arkansas.....	19,431	19,027	20,937	20,760	19,973	17,313
Delaware.....	4,577	4,947	4,023	4,033	3,907	4,261
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,248</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>1,105</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>1,215</b>
Georgia.....	26,659	26,271	25,810	27,497	26,306	25,970
Kentucky.....	6,126	6,404	6,403	5,828	6,249	5,636
Louisiana.....	2,836	2,871	2,857	2,847	2,818	2,970
Maryland.....	5,682	5,738	6,350	5,620	5,924	5,262
Mississippi.....	15,202	14,397	14,411	13,447	14,178	14,355
Missouri.....	5,723	5,854	4,937	5,032	5,513	5,797
North Carolina.....	15,684	15,827	15,780	16,165	15,602	14,737
Oklahoma.....	4,163	4,437	3,843	4,202	4,247	4,893
Pennsylvania.....	2,953	2,838	3,040	3,140	2,997	2,933
South Carolina.....	4,587	3,847	5,263	3,871	4,373	4,424
Texas.....	11,873	11,439	10,614	11,183	10,801	11,209
Virginia.....	4,918	3,877	4,503	5,424	4,889	4,647
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,797	11,021	9,668	10,349	10,581	9,346
19 State Total.....	162,464	160,037	159,537	160,499	158,947	154,432
Prev. Year Total.....	162,943	160,923	160,203	160,820	157,901	154,383

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.22 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending September 29, 2012. Placements were 25 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending November 10, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.03 million birds compared to 6.99 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 154 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending September 29, 2012, three percent below the placements of the previous week but slightly above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 956 million, slightly above the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
August 25 .....	1,147	1,248	162,943	162,464	99	October 6
September 1.....	1,138	1,186	160,923	160,037	99	October 13
September 8.....	1,251	1,105	160,203	159,537	100	October 20
September 15.....	1,140	1,300	160,820	160,499	100	October 27
September 22.....	1,156	972	157,901	158,947	101	November 3
September 29.....	1,156	1,215	154,383	154,432	100	November 10
Six-week total .....	6,988	7,026	957,173	955,916	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012
Alabama.....	27,312	26,375	26,820	27,468	26,059	27,144
Arkansas.....	20,757	19,074	19,989	20,859	20,187	20,310
Delaware.....	3,259	3,143	3,155	3,153	3,142	3,161
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	31,596	30,962	30,475	31,914	30,722	30,771
Kentucky.....	7,675	6,682	7,179	7,416	7,018	7,550
Louisiana.....	3,211	3,285	3,272	3,008	3,122	3,287
Maryland.....	6,944	6,932	7,182	7,119	7,121	6,654
Mississippi.....	16,386	16,740	16,606	15,600	16,447	16,511
Missouri.....	8,019	8,037	7,366	7,252	6,914	7,823
North Carolina.....	19,445	18,217	18,361	19,206	19,370	18,927
Oklahoma.....	6,693	6,539	6,459	6,736	6,829	6,936
Pennsylvania.....	3,584	3,505	3,473	3,271	3,608	3,518
South Carolina.....	4,721	5,402	5,513	4,852	5,300	4,792
Texas.....	12,855	13,566	12,552	12,806	13,675	13,220
Virginia.....	5,985	5,798	5,500	6,032	5,426	5,909
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,453	10,076	9,643	9,413	9,581	10,250
19 State Total.....	190,242	185,686	184,633	187,458	185,872	188,114
Prev. Year Total.....	189,258	185,218	179,528	187,841	181,765	186,317

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 1, 2012	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012
Alabama.....	20,056	19,993	19,801	19,617	19,464	18,901
Arkansas.....	19,027	20,937	20,760	19,973	17,313	18,700
Delaware.....	4,947	4,023	4,033	3,907	4,261	4,118
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>1,105</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>935</b>
Georgia.....	26,271	25,810	27,497	26,306	25,970	26,726
Kentucky.....	6,404	6,403	5,828	6,249	5,679	5,747
Louisiana.....	2,871	2,857	2,847	2,818	2,970	2,952
Maryland.....	5,738	6,350	5,620	5,924	5,262	5,440
Mississippi.....	14,397	14,411	13,447	14,178	14,355	14,301
Missouri.....	5,854	4,937	5,032	5,513	5,797	4,874
North Carolina.....	15,827	15,780	16,165	15,602	14,737	14,634
Oklahoma.....	4,437	3,843	4,202	4,247	4,893	4,465
Pennsylvania.....	2,838	3,040	3,140	2,997	2,935	2,925
South Carolina.....	3,847	5,263	3,871	4,373	4,424	4,601
Texas.....	11,439	10,671	11,240	10,858	11,266	10,867
Virginia.....	3,877	4,503	5,424	4,889	4,647	4,228
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	11,021	9,668	10,346	10,579	9,352	9,469
19 State Total.....	160,037	159,594	160,553	159,002	154,540	153,883
Prev. Year Total.....	162,943	160,923	160,203	160,820	157,901	154,383

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 935 thousand broilers chicks with producers during the week ending October 6, 2012. Placements were 23 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending November 17, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.71 million birds compared to 6.77 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 154 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending October 6, 2012, slightly below the placements of the previous week but three percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 948 million, slightly above the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
September 1 .....	1,138	1,186	160,923	160,037	99	October 13
September 8.....	1,251	1,105	160,203	159,594	100	October 20
September 15.....	1,140	1,300	160,820	160,553	100	October 27
September 22.....	1,156	972	157,901	159,002	101	November 3
September 29.....	1,156	1,215	154,383	154,540	100	November 10
October 6.....	931	935	148,802	153,883	103	November 17
Six-week total .....	6,772	6,713	943,032	947,609	100	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012
Alabama.....	26,375	26,820	27,370	25,877	27,144	25,966
Arkansas.....	19,074	19,989	20,859	20,187	20,310	17,697
Delaware.....	3,143	3,155	3,153	3,142	3,161	3,152
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	30,962	30,475	31,914	30,722	30,771	30,588
Kentucky.....	6,582	7,007	7,588	7,018	7,550	7,554
Louisiana.....	3,285	3,272	3,146	3,122	3,287	3,304
Maryland.....	6,932	7,182	7,119	7,121	6,654	7,471
Mississippi.....	16,740	16,606	15,600	16,447	16,511	16,587
Missouri.....	8,037	7,366	7,252	6,914	7,823	7,606
North Carolina.....	18,217	18,361	19,206	19,370	19,099	17,722
Oklahoma.....	6,539	6,441	6,717	6,811	6,936	6,287
Pennsylvania.....	3,505	3,473	3,271	3,608	3,672	3,592
South Carolina.....	5,402	5,513	5,042	5,300	4,792	4,924
Texas.....	13,566	12,552	12,806	13,675	13,220	13,014
Virginia.....	5,798	5,500	6,032	5,426	5,909	5,945
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,076	9,643	9,413	9,812	9,860	9,599
19 State Total.....	185,586	184,443	187,841	185,903	188,050	182,361
Prev. Year Total.....	185,218	179,528	187,841	181,765	186,317	181,852

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 8, 2012	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012
Alabama.....	19,993	19,801	19,617	19,472	18,901	19,760
Arkansas.....	20,937	20,760	19,973	17,313	18,701	18,906
Delaware.....	4,023	4,033	3,907	4,261	4,118	3,830
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,105</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>935</b>
Georgia.....	25,810	27,497	26,306	25,970	26,749	27,770
Kentucky.....	6,403	5,828	6,249	5,682	5,690	6,770
Louisiana.....	2,857	2,847	2,897	2,970	2,952	2,845
Maryland.....	6,350	5,620	5,924	5,262	5,440	6,031
Mississippi.....	14,411	13,447	14,178	14,355	14,301	13,543
Missouri.....	4,937	5,032	5,513	5,797	4,874	5,327
North Carolina.....	15,780	16,165	15,602	14,737	14,664	14,325
Oklahoma.....	3,843	4,202	4,247	4,893	4,465	4,782
Pennsylvania.....	3,040	3,140	2,997	2,935	2,902	2,747
South Carolina.....	5,263	3,871	4,551	4,424	4,601	3,704
Texas.....	10,671	11,240	10,858	11,266	10,867	10,735
Virginia.....	4,503	5,424	4,889	4,647	4,228	4,832
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,668	10,346	10,579	9,473	9,462	9,045
19 State Total.....	159,594	160,553	159,259	154,672	153,850	155,887
Prev. Year Total.....	160,203	160,820	157,901	154,383	148,802	155,108

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 935 thousand broilers chicks with producers during the week ending October 13, 2012. Placements were the same as the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending November 17, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.46 million birds compared to 6.57 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed one percent above the placements of the previous week and one percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 948 million, one percent above the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
September 8 .....	1,251	1,105	160,203	159,594	100	October 20
September 15.....	1,140	1,300	160,820	160,553	100	October 27
September 22.....	1,156	972	157,901	159,259	101	November 3
September 29.....	1,156	1,215	154,383	154,672	100	November 10
October 6.....	931	935	148,802	153,850	103	November 17
October 13.....	931	935	155,108	155,887	101	November 24
Six-week total.....	6,565	6,462	937,217	943,815	101	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012
Alabama.....	26,820	27,370	25,744	27,144	25,966	25,458
Arkansas.....	19,989	20,859	20,196	20,310	17,697	18,329
Delaware.....	3,155	3,153	3,142	3,161	3,158	3,162
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>
Georgia.....	30,475	31,914	30,224	30,771	31,261	28,089
Kentucky.....	7,007	7,646	7,217	7,550	7,554	6,707
Louisiana.....	3,272	3,146	3,122	3,287	3,304	3,298
Maryland.....	7,182	7,119	7,121	6,654	7,471	7,071
Mississippi.....	16,606	15,600	16,185	16,511	16,558	16,349
Missouri.....	7,366	7,252	6,914	7,823	7,606	7,210
North Carolina.....	18,361	19,206	19,454	19,099	17,722	18,305
Oklahoma.....	6,441	6,717	6,811	6,936	6,287	6,416
Pennsylvania.....	3,473	3,271	3,608	3,639	3,647	3,279
South Carolina.....	5,513	5,042	5,300	4,792	4,924	5,654
Texas.....	12,552	12,806	13,675	13,220	13,014	12,603
Virginia.....	5,500	6,096	5,490	5,909	6,019	5,543
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,643	9,413	9,812	9,860	9,599	8,538
19 State Total.....	184,443	187,963	185,366	188,017	183,140	177,099
Prev. Year Total.....	179,528	187,841	181,765	186,317	181,852	183,537

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 15, 2012	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012
Alabama.....	19,801	19,617	19,472	18,901	19,760	18,660
Arkansas.....	20,760	19,973	17,313	18,701	18,906	18,637
Delaware.....	4,033	3,907	4,261	4,118	3,509	3,720
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>1,023</b>
Georgia.....	27,497	26,306	25,970	26,969	27,779	25,957
Kentucky.....	5,828	6,249	5,682	5,690	6,718	5,732
Louisiana.....	2,847	2,897	2,970	2,952	2,845	2,700
Maryland.....	5,620	5,924	5,262	5,440	6,386	6,331
Mississippi.....	13,447	14,178	14,363	14,301	13,545	13,616
Missouri.....	5,032	5,513	5,797	4,874	5,327	4,770
North Carolina.....	16,165	15,602	14,737	14,664	14,325	15,110
Oklahoma.....	4,202	4,247	4,893	4,465	4,782	4,854
Pennsylvania.....	3,140	2,997	2,935	2,778	2,675	3,023
South Carolina.....	3,871	4,551	4,424	4,601	3,704	4,127
Texas.....	11,240	10,858	11,266	10,867	10,735	11,668
Virginia.....	5,424	4,889	4,647	4,228	4,877	4,495
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,346	10,579	9,473	9,462	9,045	9,835
19 State Total.....	160,553	159,259	154,680	153,946	155,853	154,258
Prev. Year Total.....	160,820	157,901	154,383	148,802	155,108	151,134

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.02 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending October 20, 2012. Placements were nine percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending December 1, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.38 million birds compared to 6.47 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 154 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending October 2012, one percent below placements of the previous week but two percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 939 million, one percent above the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
September 15.....	1,140	1,300	160,820	160,553	100	October 27
September 22.....	1,156	972	157,901	159,259	101	November 3
September 29.....	1,156	1,215	154,383	154,680	100	November 10
October 6.....	931	935	148,802	153,946	103	November 17
October 13.....	931	935	155,108	155,853	101	November 24
October 20.....	1,154	1,023	151,134	154,258	102	December 1
Six-week total.....	6,468	6,380	928,148	938,549	101	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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November 1, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012
Alabama.....	27,370	25,744	27,088	25,966	25,458	25,755
Arkansas.....	20,859	20,196	20,310	17,697	18,329	20,124
Delaware.....	3,153	3,142	3,161	3,158	3,162	3,240
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,977	30,314	31,333	31,329	28,132	30,168
Kentucky.....	7,646	7,173	7,669	7,554	6,707	7,229
Louisiana.....	3,146	3,122	2,977	3,304	3,298	3,183
Maryland.....	7,119	7,121	6,654	7,471	7,071	6,769
Mississippi.....	15,601	16,170	16,496	16,543	16,364	16,365
Missouri.....	7,252	6,914	7,823	7,606	7,210	7,867
North Carolina.....	19,206	19,454	18,565	17,722	18,305	19,331
Oklahoma.....	6,717	6,811	6,936	6,287	6,416	6,622
Pennsylvania.....	3,271	3,608	3,639	3,647	3,279	3,369
South Carolina.....	5,042	5,300	4,792	4,924	5,654	5,124
Texas.....	12,806	13,675	13,220	13,014	12,603	13,200
Virginia.....	6,096	5,490	5,971	6,019	5,543	6,195
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,413	9,812	9,860	9,599	8,538	10,477
19 State Total.....	188,027	185,397	187,845	183,193	177,157	186,371
Prev. Year Total.....	187,841	181,765	186,317	181,852	183,537	185,172

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 22, 2012	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012
Alabama.....	19,617	19,472	18,901	19,760	18,660	19,380
Arkansas.....	19,973	17,313	18,701	18,906	18,637	19,258
Delaware.....	3,907	4,261	4,118	3,509	3,720	4,280
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>1,291</b>
Georgia.....	26,323	25,976	27,034	27,814	25,953	26,577
Kentucky.....	6,249	5,682	5,690	6,718	5,762	5,950
Louisiana.....	2,897	2,970	2,952	2,845	2,700	2,703
Maryland.....	5,924	5,262	5,440	6,386	6,331	5,239
Mississippi.....	14,178	14,363	14,301	13,545	13,616	14,142
Missouri.....	5,513	5,797	4,874	5,327	4,770	5,543
North Carolina.....	15,602	14,737	14,664	14,407	15,110	14,998
Oklahoma.....	4,247	4,893	4,465	4,782	4,854	4,356
Pennsylvania.....	2,997	2,935	2,778	2,675	3,023	3,059
South Carolina.....	4,551	4,424	4,601	3,704	4,127	3,850
Texas.....	10,858	11,266	10,867	10,735	11,668	11,132
Virginia.....	4,889	4,647	4,228	4,877	4,495	4,494
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,579	9,473	9,462	9,045	9,835	10,640
19 State Total.....	159,276	154,686	154,011	155,970	154,284	156,892
Prev. Year Total.....	157,901	154,383	148,802	155,108	151,134	153,311

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.29 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending October 27, 2012. Placements were 26 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending December 8, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.37 million birds compared to 6.48 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 157 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending October 27, 2012, two percent above placements of the previous week and two percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 936 million, two percent above the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
September 22.....	1,156	972	157,901	159,276	101	November 3
September 29.....	1,156	1,215	154,383	154,686	100	November 10
October 6.....	931	935	148,802	154,011	104	November 17
October 13.....	931	935	155,108	155,970	101	November 24
October 20.....	1,154	1,023	151,134	154,284	102	December 1
October 27.....	1,150	1,291	153,311	156,892	102	December 8
Six-week total.....	6,478	6,371	920,639	935,119	102	

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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012
Alabama.....	25,744	27,088	26,053	25,458	25,755	24,787
Arkansas.....	20,196	20,310	17,697	18,329	20,061	20,132
Delaware.....	3,142	3,161	3,158	3,162	3,240	3,284
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	30,314	31,333	30,865	28,132	30,168	29,852
Kentucky.....	7,173	7,654	7,014	6,956	7,319	7,330
Louisiana.....	3,122	2,977	3,304	3,298	3,183	2,956
Maryland.....	7,121	6,654	7,471	7,071	6,769	6,804
Mississippi.....	16,170	16,496	16,543	16,364	16,365	15,168
Missouri.....	6,914	7,823	7,606	7,210	7,867	6,859
North Carolina.....	19,454	18,565	17,382	18,305	19,331	19,266
Oklahoma.....	6,811	6,936	6,287	6,416	6,622	6,662
Pennsylvania.....	3,608	3,639	3,647	3,377	3,209	3,193
South Carolina.....	5,300	4,792	4,924	5,654	5,122	5,156
Texas.....	13,675	13,220	13,014	12,603	13,200	12,989
Virginia.....	5,490	5,971	6,019	5,543	6,195	4,780
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,765	9,898	9,550	8,428	10,573	10,271
19 State Total.....	185,350	187,868	181,887	177,394	186,332	180,840
Prev. Year Total.....	181,765	186,317	181,852	183,537	185,172	186,594

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	September 29, 2012	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012
Alabama.....	19,472	18,901	19,778	18,660	19,380	18,778
Arkansas.....	17,313	18,701	18,906	18,637	19,282	17,289
Delaware.....	4,261	4,118	3,509	3,720	4,280	4,046
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>1,291</b>	<b>1,015</b>
Georgia.....	25,976	27,034	27,814	25,953	26,577	25,812
Kentucky.....	5,682	5,690	6,718	5,762	5,910	5,544
Louisiana.....	2,970	2,952	2,845	2,700	2,703	2,949
Maryland.....	5,262	5,440	6,386	6,331	5,239	5,808
Mississippi.....	14,363	14,301	13,545	13,616	14,142	13,994
Missouri.....	5,797	4,874	5,327	4,770	5,543	4,996
North Carolina.....	14,737	14,664	14,407	15,158	14,988	14,505
Oklahoma.....	4,893	4,465	4,782	4,854	4,356	3,706
Pennsylvania.....	2,935	2,778	2,675	2,980	2,957	3,044
South Carolina.....	4,424	4,601	3,704	4,127	3,818	4,161
Texas.....	11,266	10,867	10,735	11,668	11,132	11,011
Virginia.....	4,647	4,228	4,877	4,495	4,494	4,526
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,473	9,425	9,027	9,804	10,673	9,875
19 State Total.....	154,686	153,974	155,970	154,258	156,765	151,059
Prev. Year Total.....	154,383	148,802	155,108	151,134	153,311	149,126

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.02 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending November 3, 2012. Placements were 21 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending December 15, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.41 million birds compared to 6.50 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 151 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending November 3, 2012, four percent below placements of the previous week but one percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 927 million, two percent above the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
September 28.....	1,156	1,215	154,383	154,686	100	November 10
October 6.....	931	935	148,802	153,974	104	November 17
October 13.....	931	935	155,108	155,970	101	November 24
October 20.....	1,154	1,023	151,134	154,258	102	December 1
October 27.....	1,150	1,291	153,311	156,765	102	December 8
November 3.....	1,182	1,015	149,126	151,059	101	December 15
Six-week total.....	<b>6,504</b>	<b>6,414</b>	<b>911,864</b>	<b>926,712</b>	<b>102</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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November 15, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012
Alabama.....	27,088	26,053	26,218	25,755	24,787	27,018
Arkansas.....	20,310	17,697	18,329	20,061	20,132	21,045
Delaware.....	3,161	3,158	3,162	3,240	3,284	3,263
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	31,333	30,865	28,995	30,168	29,852	31,559
Kentucky.....	7,654	7,014	6,753	7,319	7,330	7,183
Louisiana.....	2,977	3,304	3,298	3,183	2,956	2,956
Maryland.....	6,654	7,471	7,071	6,766	6,803	7,136
Mississippi.....	16,496	16,543	16,364	16,365	15,168	17,470
Missouri.....	7,823	7,606	7,210	7,867	6,859	7,258
North Carolina.....	18,565	17,382	17,924	19,331	19,266	19,997
Oklahoma.....	6,936	6,287	6,416	6,622	6,662	6,553
Pennsylvania.....	3,639	3,647	3,353	3,246	3,167	3,518
South Carolina.....	4,792	4,924	5,654	5,122	5,156	5,129
Texas.....	13,240	13,034	12,609	13,206	12,996	13,980
Virginia.....	5,971	6,019	5,543	6,195	4,780	5,455
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,889	9,461	8,418	10,563	10,261	10,414
19 State Total.....	187,879	181,818	178,405	186,362	180,810	191,287
Prev. Year Total.....	186,317	181,852	183,537	185,172	186,594	194,224

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 6, 2012	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012
Alabama.....	18,901	19,778	18,660	19,380	18,979	18,534
Arkansas.....	18,701	18,906	18,637	19,282	17,289	17,258
Delaware.....	4,118	3,509	3,720	4,232	4,164	4,074
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>1,291</b>	<b>1,276</b>	<b>1,035</b>
Georgia.....	27,034	27,814	25,953	26,577	25,812	25,119
Kentucky.....	5,690	6,718	5,762	5,910	5,544	5,368
Louisiana.....	2,952	2,845	2,700	2,703	2,949	2,981
Maryland.....	5,440	6,386	6,331	5,259	5,712	4,848
Mississippi.....	14,301	13,545	13,616	14,142	13,994	13,863
Missouri.....	4,874	5,327	4,770	5,543	4,996	4,849
North Carolina.....	14,664	14,407	15,158	14,988	14,505	15,044
Oklahoma.....	4,465	4,782	4,854	4,356	3,706	4,181
Pennsylvania.....	2,778	2,675	2,972	2,945	2,901	2,798
South Carolina.....	4,601	3,704	4,127	3,818	4,251	3,726
Texas.....	10,883	10,751	11,684	11,148	11,027	10,769
Virginia.....	4,228	4,877	4,495	4,494	4,526	4,260
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,425	9,020	9,802	10,666	10,090	8,560
19 State Total.....	153,990	155,979	154,264	156,734	151,721	147,267
Prev. Year Total.....	148,802	155,108	151,134	153,311	149,126	152,174

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.04 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending November 10, 2012. Placements were 19 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending December 22, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.50 million birds compared to 6.49 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 147 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending November 10, 2012, three percent below placements of the previous week and three percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 920 million, one percent above the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
October 6.....	931	935	148,802	153,990	103	November 17
October 13.....	931	935	155,108	155,979	101	November 24
October 20.....	1,154	1,023	151,134	154,264	102	December 1
October 27.....	1,150	1,291	153,311	156,734	102	December 8
November 3.....	1,182	1,276	149,126	151,721	102	December 15
November 10.....	1,139	1,035	152,174	147,267	97	December 22
Six-week total.....	<b>6,487</b>	<b>6,495</b>	<b>909,655</b>	<b>919,955</b>	<b>101</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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November 26, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012
Alabama.....	26,053	26,218	25,961	24,787	26,932	27,513
Arkansas.....	17,697	18,329	20,507	20,132	21,045	21,688
Delaware.....	3,158	3,162	3,240	3,284	3,389	3,415
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>
Georgia.....	30,865	28,995	30,168	29,852	31,559	32,130
Kentucky.....	7,014	6,483	7,210	7,330	7,094	7,517
Louisiana.....	3,304	3,298	3,183	2,956	2,956	3,288
Maryland.....	7,471	7,071	6,766	6,803	7,136	7,158
Mississippi.....	16,543	16,364	16,365	15,168	17,223	16,865
Missouri.....	7,606	7,210	7,867	6,859	7,258	8,040
North Carolina.....	17,382	17,924	19,331	19,266	20,202	19,553
Oklahoma.....	6,287	6,416	6,622	6,662	6,553	6,830
Pennsylvania.....	3,647	3,353	3,246	3,167	3,546	3,678
South Carolina.....	4,924	5,654	5,252	5,156	5,129	5,402
Texas.....	13,034	12,609	13,381	12,996	13,980	14,128
Virginia.....	6,019	5,543	6,195	4,780	5,127	6,275
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,461	8,418	10,563	10,261	10,414	10,883
19 State Total.....	181,818	178,135	187,210	180,810	190,896	195,714
Prev. Year Total.....	181,852	183,537	185,172	186,594	194,224	195,158

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 13, 2012	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012
Alabama.....	19,778	18,660	19,380	18,979	18,543	19,054
Arkansas.....	18,906	18,637	19,282	17,289	17,258	20,306
Delaware.....	3,509	3,720	4,232	4,164	4,095	4,371
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>1,291</b>	<b>1,276</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>1,326</b>
Georgia.....	27,814	25,953	26,577	25,812	25,119	25,014
Kentucky.....	6,718	5,762	5,910	5,544	5,247	5,659
Louisiana.....	2,845	2,700	2,703	2,949	2,981	2,891
Maryland.....	6,386	6,331	5,259	5,712	5,246	5,307
Mississippi.....	13,545	13,616	14,142	13,994	13,869	13,993
Missouri.....	5,327	4,770	5,543	4,996	4,849	5,265
North Carolina.....	14,407	15,158	14,988	14,505	15,055	15,679
Oklahoma.....	4,782	4,854	4,356	3,706	4,181	3,680
Pennsylvania.....	2,675	2,972	2,945	2,901	2,634	2,647
South Carolina.....	3,704	4,127	3,818	4,251	3,726	4,365
Texas.....	10,751	11,684	11,148	11,027	10,769	11,234
Virginia.....	4,877	4,495	4,494	4,526	4,349	4,507
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,020	9,802	10,666	10,090	8,560	10,729
19 State Total.....	155,979	154,264	156,734	151,721	147,516	156,027
Prev. Year Total.....	155,108	151,134	153,311	149,126	152,174	152,567

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.33 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending November 17, 2012. Placements were 28 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending December 29, 2012. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 6.89 million birds compared to 6.72 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 156 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending November 17, 2012 six percent above placements of the previous week and two percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 922 million, one percent above the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
October 13.....	931	935	155,108	155,979	101	November 24
October 20.....	1,154	1,023	151,134	154,264	102	December 1
October 27.....	1,150	1,291	153,311	156,734	102	December 8
November 3.....	1,182	1,276	149,126	151,721	102	December 15
November 10.....	1,139	1,035	152,174	147,516	97	December 22
November 17.....	1,162	1,326	152,567	156,027	102	December 29
Six-week total.....	<b>6,718</b>	<b>6,886</b>	<b>913,420</b>	<b>922,241</b>	<b>101</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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November 29, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012
Alabama.....	26,218	25,961	24,206	26,932	27,513	27,056
Arkansas.....	18,329	20,507	20,132	20,996	21,688	21,632
Delaware.....	3,162	3,240	3,284	3,389	3,415	3,413
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>
Georgia.....	28,995	30,168	29,979	31,559	32,130	31,711
Kentucky.....	6,483	7,125	7,467	7,094	7,638	7,065
Louisiana.....	3,298	3,183	2,956	2,956	3,288	3,258
Maryland.....	7,071	6,766	6,803	7,136	7,158	7,182
Mississippi.....	16,364	16,365	15,168	17,223	16,865	17,178
Missouri.....	7,210	7,867	6,859	7,258	8,040	8,013
North Carolina.....	17,924	19,331	19,336	20,202	19,553	19,786
Oklahoma.....	6,416	6,622	6,662	6,553	6,830	6,825
Pennsylvania.....	3,353	3,246	3,530	3,546	3,749	3,630
South Carolina.....	5,654	5,252	5,156	5,129	5,243	5,657
Texas.....	12,609	13,381	12,996	13,980	14,128	14,000
Virginia.....	5,543	6,195	4,780	5,127	6,275	6,455
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	8,418	10,563	9,966	10,414	10,883	10,288
19 State Total.....	178,135	187,125	180,631	190,847	195,747	194,502
Prev. Year Total.....	183,537	185,172	186,594	194,224	195,158	194,560

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 20, 2012	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012
Alabama.....	18,933	19,723	19,325	18,897	19,390	17,883
Arkansas.....	18,637	19,282	17,289	17,258	20,306	18,987
Delaware.....	3,720	4,232	4,164	4,095	4,371	3,797
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>1,291</b>	<b>1,276</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>1,326</b>	<b>1,162</b>
Georgia.....	25,680	26,231	25,812	24,781	24,678	24,639
Kentucky.....	5,762	5,910	5,544	5,247	5,731	5,928
Louisiana.....	2,700	2,703	2,949	2,981	2,891	2,664
Maryland.....	6,331	5,259	5,712	5,246	5,307	5,710
Mississippi.....	13,616	14,142	13,994	13,869	13,993	12,984
Missouri.....	4,770	5,543	4,996	4,849	5,265	4,869
North Carolina.....	15,158	14,988	14,505	15,055	15,712	16,127
Oklahoma.....	4,854	4,356	3,706	4,181	3,680	3,997
Pennsylvania.....	2,972	2,945	2,901	2,634	2,488	2,965
South Carolina.....	4,127	3,818	4,251	3,726	4,184	4,885
Texas.....	11,684	11,148	11,027	10,769	11,234	11,140
Virginia.....	4,495	4,494	4,526	4,349	4,507	3,929
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,802	10,666	10,090	8,560	10,729	9,435
19 State Total.....	154,264	156,731	152,067	147,532	155,792	151,101
Prev. Year Total.....	151,134	153,311	149,126	152,174	152,567	156,853

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.16 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending November 24, 2012. Placements were 12 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending January 5, 2013. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.11 million birds compared to 6.77 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 151 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending November 24, 2012 three percent below placements of the previous week and four percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 917 million, slightly above the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
October 20.....	1,154	1,023	151,134	154,264	102	December 1
October 27.....	1,150	1,291	153,311	156,731	102	December 8
November 3.....	1,182	1,276	149,126	152,067	102	December 15
November 10.....	1,139	1,035	152,174	147,532	97	December 22
November 17.....	1,162	1,326	152,567	155,792	102	December 29
November 24.....	978	1,162	156,853	151,101	96	January 5
Six-week total.....	<b>6,765</b>	<b>7,113</b>	<b>915,165</b>	<b>917,487</b>	<b>100</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012	December 1, 2012
Alabama.....	25,961	24,206	26,346	27,513	27,056	27,369
Arkansas.....	20,507	20,132	20,996	21,688	21,632	22,063
Delaware.....	3,240	3,284	3,389	3,415	3,413	3,415
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,655</b>
Georgia.....	30,168	29,979	31,559	32,130	31,711	33,372
Kentucky.....	7,104	7,412	7,397	7,638	7,171	6,761
Louisiana.....	3,183	2,956	2,956	3,288	3,258	3,258
Maryland.....	6,766	6,803	7,136	7,158	7,182	7,067
Mississippi.....	16,365	15,168	17,223	16,865	17,178	17,089
Missouri.....	7,867	6,859	7,258	8,040	8,013	8,012
North Carolina.....	19,331	19,336	19,975	19,553	19,786	19,794
Oklahoma.....	6,622	6,662	6,553	6,830	6,825	7,026
Pennsylvania.....	3,246	3,530	3,546	3,749	3,630	3,648
South Carolina.....	5,252	5,156	5,129	5,243	5,657	5,557
Texas.....	13,381	12,996	13,980	14,128	14,000	14,764
Virginia.....	6,195	4,780	5,127	6,275	6,455	6,638
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,563	9,966	10,414	10,883	10,288	10,755
19 State Total.....	187,104	180,576	190,337	195,747	194,608	198,243
Prev. Year Total.....	185,172	186,594	194,224	195,158	194,560	194,178

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	October 27, 2012	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012	December 1, 2012
Alabama.....	19,723	19,325	18,897	19,390	17,883	19,786
Arkansas.....	19,282	17,289	17,258	20,306	18,987	19,476
Delaware.....	4,232	4,164	4,095	4,371	4,309	3,550
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,291</b>	<b>1,276</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>1,326</b>	<b>1,162</b>	<b>1,020</b>
Georgia.....	26,231	25,812	24,781	24,678	24,791	26,359
Kentucky.....	5,910	5,544	5,250	5,745	5,875	5,542
Louisiana.....	2,703	2,949	2,981	2,891	2,664	2,642
Maryland.....	5,259	5,712	5,246	5,307	5,710	7,060
Mississippi.....	14,142	13,994	13,869	13,993	12,984	14,757
Missouri.....	5,543	4,996	4,849	5,265	4,869	5,316
North Carolina.....	14,988	14,505	15,055	15,712	16,127	16,603
Oklahoma.....	4,356	3,706	4,181	3,680	3,997	4,204
Pennsylvania.....	2,945	2,901	2,634	2,488	2,965	2,949
South Carolina.....	3,818	4,251	3,726	4,184	4,885	3,843
Texas.....	11,148	11,027	10,769	11,234	11,140	11,811
Virginia.....	4,494	4,526	4,349	4,507	3,929	3,592
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,666	10,090	8,560	10,729	9,435	11,042
19 State Total.....	156,731	152,067	147,535	155,806	151,712	159,552
Prev. Year Total.....	153,311	149,126	152,174	152,567	156,853	160,576

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.02 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending December 1, 2012. Placements were 12 percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending January 12, 2013. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.11 million birds compared to 6.91 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 160 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending December five percent above placements of the previous week but one percent below last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 923 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

**Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States**

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
October 27.....	1,150	1,291	153,311	156,731	102	December 8
November 3.....	1,182	1,276	149,126	152,067	102	December 15
November 10.....	1,139	1,035	152,174	147,535	97	December 22
November 17.....	1,162	1,326	152,567	155,806	102	December 29
November 24.....	978	1,162	156,853	151,712	96	January 5
December 1.....	1,299	1,020	160,576	159,552	99	January 12
Six-week total.....	<b>6,910</b>	<b>7,110</b>	<b>924,607</b>	<b>923,403</b>	<b>100</b>	

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## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012	December 1, 2012	December 8, 2012
Alabama.....	24,206	26,346	27,978	27,056	27,369	27,628
Arkansas.....	20,132	20,996	21,588	21,532	21,963	20,830
Delaware.....	3,284	3,389	3,415	3,413	3,415	3,414
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>1,048</b>
Georgia.....	29,979	31,559	32,130	31,711	33,372	30,365
Kentucky.....	7,412	7,397	7,836	7,171	6,772	7,638
Louisiana.....	2,956	2,956	3,288	3,258	3,258	3,273
Maryland.....	6,803	7,136	7,158	7,182	7,067	7,117
Mississippi.....	15,168	17,223	16,865	17,178	17,089	17,377
Missouri.....	6,859	7,258	8,040	8,013	8,012	7,713
North Carolina.....	19,336	19,975	19,640	19,786	19,794	19,259
Oklahoma.....	6,662	6,553	6,830	6,825	7,026	6,809
Pennsylvania.....	3,530	3,546	3,749	3,630	3,935	3,583
South Carolina.....	5,156	5,129	5,397	5,657	5,557	5,316
Texas.....	13,023	14,007	14,128	14,000	14,764	13,761
Virginia.....	4,780	5,176	6,275	6,455	6,638	6,002
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	9,966	10,414	10,816	10,421	10,940	9,279
19 State Total.....	180,603	190,413	196,484	194,641	198,626	190,412
Prev. Year Total.....	186,594	194,224	195,158	194,560	194,178	194,887

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	November 3, 2012	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012	December 1, 2012	December 8, 2012
Alabama.....	19,325	18,897	19,390	17,883	19,786	21,156
Arkansas.....	17,289	17,258	20,306	18,987	19,476	19,134
Delaware.....	4,164	4,095	4,371	4,309	3,550	3,831
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,276</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>1,326</b>	<b>1,162</b>	<b>1,020</b>	<b>1,369</b>
Georgia.....	25,812	24,781	24,678	24,791	26,359	25,951
Kentucky.....	5,544	5,250	5,745	5,875	5,542	6,190
Louisiana.....	2,949	2,981	2,891	2,664	2,642	2,940
Maryland.....	5,712	5,246	5,307	5,710	7,060	6,526
Mississippi.....	13,994	13,869	13,993	12,984	14,757	14,396
Missouri.....	4,996	4,849	5,265	4,869	5,316	5,768
North Carolina.....	14,505	15,055	15,712	16,127	16,728	15,726
Oklahoma.....	3,706	4,181	3,680	3,997	4,204	5,307
Pennsylvania.....	2,901	2,634	2,488	2,965	2,804	3,084
South Carolina.....	4,251	3,726	4,184	4,885	3,843	5,064
Texas.....	11,027	10,791	11,256	11,162	11,832	11,940
Virginia.....	4,526	4,349	4,507	3,929	3,592	4,264
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,090	8,560	10,573	9,435	10,751	10,586
19 State Total.....	152,067	147,557	155,672	151,734	159,262	163,232
Prev. Year Total.....	149,126	152,174	152,567	156,853	160,576	162,541

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.37 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending December 8, 2012. Placements were 34 percent above the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending January 19, 2013. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.19 million birds compared to 6.81 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending December 8, 2012 two percent above placements of the previous week and slightly above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 930 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
November 3 .....	1,182	1,276	149,126	152,067	102	December 15
November 10 .....	1,139	1,035	152,174	147,557	97	December 22
November 17 .....	1,162	1,326	152,567	155,672	102	December 29
November 24 .....	978	1,162	156,853	151,734	96	January 5
December 1 .....	1,299	1,020	160,576	159,262	99	January 12
December 8 .....	1,052	1,369	162,541	163,232	100	January 19
Six-week total .....	<b>6,812</b>	<b>7,188</b>	<b>933,837</b>	<b>929,524</b>	<b>100</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.



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December 20, 2012

## Broiler Eggs Set (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012	December 1, 2012	December 8, 2012	December 15, 2012
Alabama.....	26,346	27,978	28,045	27,369	27,628	27,607
Arkansas.....	20,996	21,588	21,532	21,963	20,830	21,845
Delaware.....	3,389	3,415	3,413	3,415	3,414	3,415
<b>Florida.....</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>1,048</b>	<b>1,350</b>
Georgia.....	31,559	32,130	32,298	33,372	30,251	32,433
Kentucky.....	7,397	7,836	7,362	6,772	7,638	7,725
Louisiana.....	2,956	3,288	3,258	3,258	3,273	3,288
Maryland.....	7,136	7,158	7,182	7,067	7,117	7,185
Mississippi.....	17,223	16,865	17,178	17,089	17,377	16,927
Missouri.....	7,258	8,040	8,013	8,012	7,713	7,881
North Carolina.....	19,975	19,640	20,043	19,794	19,259	19,992
Oklahoma.....	6,553	6,830	6,825	7,026	6,809	6,537
Pennsylvania.....	3,546	3,749	3,701	3,935	3,583	3,689
South Carolina.....	5,129	5,397	5,657	5,557	5,316	4,675
Texas.....	14,007	14,128	14,212	14,764	13,761	14,328
Virginia.....	5,176	6,275	6,455	6,638	6,002	6,476
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	10,392	10,830	10,420	10,939	9,278	9,586
19 State Total.....	190,391	196,498	196,947	198,625	190,297	194,939
Prev. Year Total.....	194,224	195,158	194,560	194,178	194,887	194,602

## Broiler Chicks Placed (000) in 19 Selected States: 2012

State	Week Ending					
	November 10, 2012	November 17, 2012	November 24, 2012	December 1, 2012	December 8, 2012	December 15, 2012
Alabama.....	18,897	19,390	17,883	19,786	21,156	21,449
Arkansas.....	17,258	20,306	18,987	19,476	19,134	20,377
Delaware.....	4,095	4,371	4,309	3,550	3,831	4,086
Florida.....	1,035	1,326	1,162	1,020	1,369	1,311
Georgia.....	24,989	24,885	24,958	26,525	25,978	26,221
Kentucky.....	5,250	5,745	5,875	5,542	6,190	6,383
Louisiana.....	2,981	2,891	2,664	2,642	2,940	2,912
Maryland.....	5,246	5,307	5,710	7,060	6,526	6,198
Mississippi.....	13,869	13,993	12,984	14,757	14,396	14,770
Missouri.....	4,849	5,265	4,869	5,316	5,768	5,720
North Carolina.....	15,055	15,712	16,127	16,728	15,726	16,314
Oklahoma.....	4,181	3,680	3,997	4,204	5,307	4,187
Pennsylvania.....	2,634	2,488	2,772	2,804	3,084	3,077
South Carolina.....	3,726	4,184	4,885	3,843	5,064	4,344
Texas.....	10,791	11,256	11,162	11,832	11,940	11,807
Virginia.....	4,349	4,507	3,929	3,592	4,264	4,456
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia.....	8,566	10,589	9,465	10,742	10,596	9,562
19 State Total.....	147,771	155,895	151,738	159,419	163,269	163,174
Prev. Year Total.....	152,174	152,567	156,853	160,576	162,541	162,116

**Florida:** Hatcheries placed 1.31 million broilers chicks with producers during the week ending December 15, 2012. Placements were four percent below the previous week. Chick placements this week are projected to be marketed the week ending January 26, 2013. Placements of broiler chicks in Florida during the last six weeks were 7.22 million birds compared to 6.70 million for the corresponding six-week period of the previous year.

**19 Selected States:** Commercial hatcheries placed 163 million chicks with producers in the 19 selected broiler States during the week ending December 15, 2012 slightly below placements of the previous week but one percent above last year. Total chicks placed during the six-week period were 941 million, slightly below the six-week period of the previous year.

### Broiler Chicks Placed in Florida and 19 Selected States

Chicks Placed Week Ending	Florida		19 Selected States			Projected Marketing Week Ending <sup>1</sup>
	2011	2012	2011	2012	Percent of Previous Year	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)		
November 10.....	1,139	1,035	152,174	147,557	97	December 22
November 17.....	1,162	1,326	152,567	155,895	102	December 29
November 24.....	978	1,162	156,853	151,738	97	January 5
December 1.....	1,299	1,020	160,576	159,419	99	January 12
December 8.....	1,052	1,369	162,541	163,269	100	January 19
December 15.....	1,073	1,311	162,116	163,174	101	January 26
Six-week total.....	<b>6,703</b>	<b>7,223</b>	<b>946,827</b>	<b>941,052</b>	<b>99</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Based on an average of seven weeks to reach market weight.