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Broiler Hatchery

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BROILER-TYPE EGGS SET AND BROILER-TYPE CHICKS PLACED

Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 218 million eggs in incubators during the week ending July 23, 2016. This is up 1 percent from the eggs set the corresponding week a year earlier. Average hatchability for chicks hatched during the week in the United States was 84 percent. Broiler growers in the United States placed 177 million chicks for meat production, down slightly from the comparable week a year earlier.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set – States and United States: 2016

State	Week ending						Percent of previous year
	June 18, 2016	June 25, 2016	July 2, 2016	July 9, 2016	July 16, 2016	July 23, 2016	
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(percent)
Alabama	28,743	28,993	29,226	28,770	28,865	28,718	97
Florida	1,221	1,145	1,224	1,224	1,225	1,225	104
Georgia	34,754	35,097	34,314	34,620	34,762	34,867	101
South Carolina....	6,129	6,428	5,601	5,533	5,233	5,616	99
19 State total	209,080	209,504	206,534	209,951	210,109	209,769	101
United States	217,618	218,166	215,097	218,276	218,361	217,562	101

Source: USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service, *Broiler Hatchery*, July 27, 2016.

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Broiler-Type Chicks Placed – States and United States: 2016

State	Week ending						Percent of previous year
	June 18, 2016	June 25, 2016	July 2, 2016	July 9, 2016	July 16, 2016	July 23, 2016	
	(1,000 chicks)	(percent)					
Alabama	21,237	20,982	22,068	20,961	21,184	21,599	98
Florida	1,215	1,211	1,198	1,489	1,341	1,601	126
Georgia	28,206	28,054	27,923	28,088	28,953	28,119	104
South Carolina....	5,203	5,765	5,848	5,616	5,876	4,731	93
19 State total	174,344	172,963	174,580	172,038	172,519	170,135	100
United States	181,208	179,982	181,130	178,891	179,387	176,972	100

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Broiler-Type Eggs Set – 19 Selected States and United States: 2016

State	Week ending					
	June 18, 2016	June 25, 2016	July 2, 2016	July 9, 2016	July 16, 2016	July 23, 2016
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
Alabama	28,743	28,993	29,226	28,770	28,865	28,718
Arkansas	22,068	21,553	21,593	22,573	22,738	22,421
Delaware	5,104	5,080	4,942	4,578	4,947	4,950
Florida	1,221	1,145	1,224	1,224	1,225	1,225
Georgia	34,754	35,097	34,314	34,620	34,762	34,867
Kentucky	7,927	7,682	7,128	7,799	7,887	7,993
Louisiana	3,496	3,591	3,500	3,530	3,530	3,530
Maryland	8,080	8,081	7,974	7,950	7,816	7,861
Mississippi	17,635	17,993	18,288	18,439	18,333	18,016
Missouri	7,809	7,841	7,466	7,676	7,737	7,878
North Carolina	20,913	20,614	19,589	20,842	20,850	20,871
Oklahoma	6,972	7,025	7,338	7,385	7,203	7,100
Pennsylvania	4,397	4,564	4,495	4,440	4,692	4,612
South Carolina	6,129	6,428	5,601	5,533	5,233	5,616
Texas	15,162	15,734	15,300	15,676	15,627	15,570
Virginia	6,558	6,529	6,597	6,602	6,510	6,519
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	12,112	11,554	11,959	12,314	12,154	12,022
19 State total	209,080	209,504	206,534	209,951	210,109	209,769
Percent of previous year	99	100	100	101	101	101
Other States	8,538	8,662	8,563	8,325	8,252	7,793
United States	217,618	218,166	215,097	218,276	218,361	217,562
Percent of previous year	100	100	100	101	101	101

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed – 19 Selected States and United States: 2016

State	Week ending					
	June 18, 2016	June 25, 2016	July 2, 2016	July 9, 2016	July 16, 2016	July 23, 2016
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama	21,237	20,982	22,068	20,961	21,184	21,599
Arkansas	20,948	20,911	20,623	21,024	19,985	21,460
Delaware	4,649	4,817	4,126	5,401	5,401	5,319
Florida	1,215	1,211	1,198	1,489	1,341	1,601
Georgia	28,206	28,054	27,923	28,088	28,953	28,119
Kentucky	6,294	6,265	6,653	6,263	6,820	5,808
Louisiana	3,202	3,252	3,239	3,114	3,204	3,113
Maryland	6,725	6,693	7,720	6,165	6,208	5,646
Mississippi	15,321	15,126	15,031	14,732	15,071	15,103
Missouri	6,049	5,820	6,038	5,997	5,703	4,972
North Carolina	17,456	16,666	16,426	16,284	16,424	16,050
Oklahoma	4,370	4,097	4,900	3,822	4,679	3,684
Pennsylvania	3,787	3,595	3,630	3,566	3,655	3,517
South Carolina	5,203	5,765	5,848	5,616	5,876	4,731
Texas	13,007	12,978	13,152	12,401	12,936	13,025
Virginia	5,753	5,724	5,369	5,733	5,232	5,953
California, Tennessee, and West Virginia	10,922	11,007	10,636	11,382	9,847	10,435
19 State total	174,344	172,963	174,580	172,038	172,519	170,135
Percent of previous year	100	99	101	100	100	100
Other States	6,864	7,019	6,550	6,853	6,868	6,837
United States	181,208	179,982	181,130	178,891	179,387	176,972
Percent of previous year	100	99	101	100	100	100

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