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SOUTH DAKOTA POULTRY – 2014 PRODUCTION AND VALUE

SIoux FALLS, SD, April 30, 2015 – The value of egg production in South Dakota during 2014 was \$63.3 million, up \$5.5 million from the \$57.8 million in 2013, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

Egg production in 2014 was estimated at 752 million eggs, down 62 million from the previous year. Average number of layers for 2014 at 2,632,000 was down 98,000 from one year ago.

South Dakota producers raised 4.5 million turkeys in 2014, up 200,000 head from 2013. The value of this production was \$138.6 million in 2014, up \$21.4 million from \$117.2 million in 2013. Pounds produced in 2014 totaled 188.5 million, up 12.2 million from the 176.3 million pounds produced in 2013.

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