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## SOUTH DAKOTA CHICKENS AND EGGS

**SIOUX FALLS, S.D. April 21, 2020** - All layers in South Dakota during March 2020 totaled 2.74 million, down from 2.85 million the previous year, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

South Dakota egg production during March totaled 74.1 million eggs, up from 70.9 million in 2019. March egg production per 100 layers was 2,702 eggs, compared to 2,488 eggs in 2019.

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