



Weekly Broiler Report

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Oklahoma hatcheries set 7.79 million eggs in incubators during the week ending April 28, up slightly from the week prior and 3 percent above the previous year.

The number of chicks placed for meat production during the week of April 28, was 2.30 million, down 42 percent from the previous week and down 53 percent from the previous year.

Texas hatcheries set 16.2 million eggs in incubators during the week ending April 28, up slightly from the week prior and up 2 percent from the previous year.

The number of chicks placed for meat production during the week of April 28, was 13.4 million, down 1 percent from the previous week, but up 2 percent from the previous year.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set, Southern Plains Region and U.S.

State	Week ending					
	March 24, 2018	March 31, 2018	April 7, 2018	April 14, 2018	April 21, 2018	April 28, 2018
	<i>1,000 eggs</i>					
Oklahoma	7,314	7,292	7,450	7,518	7,756	7,786
Texas	15,986	16,192	16,115	16,111	16,148	16,226
United States	226,919	227,995	228,907	229,277	229,957	230,150

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed, Southern Plains Region and U.S.

State	Week ending					
	March 24, 2018	March 31, 2018	April 7, 2018	April 14, 2018	April 21, 2018	April 28, 2018
	<i>1,000 chicks</i>					
Oklahoma	4,987	3,781	2,837	3,256	3,946	2,303
Texas	13,110	13,129	13,396	13,332	13,576	13,383
United States	183,404	183,161	183,982	182,139	182,871	183,847

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