

POULTRY PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 2005-2009 ^{1/}

	Unit	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Eggs						
Eggs Produced	<i>million</i>	823	806	794	726	741
Price Per Dozen ^{2/}	<i>cents</i>	98.3	99.4	119.0	127.0	111.0
Value of Production	<i>thous. dols.</i>	67,421	66,769	78,991	77,103	68,723
Commercial Broilers ^{3/}						
Number Raised	<i>thous. head</i>	260,300	256,200	250,200	250,300	240,800
Pounds Produced	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	1,327,500	1,332,200	1,301,000	1,251,500 ^{8/}	1,204,000 ^{8/}
Price Per Pound ^{4/}	<i>cents</i>	43.0	36.0	43.0		
Value of Production ^{5/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	570,825	479,592	559,430	575,690	550,228
Turkeys						
Number Raised ^{6/}	<i>thous. head</i>	19,000	18,600	18,500	18,000	17,000
Pounds Produced	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	476,900	479,880	482,850	484,200	448,800
Price Per Pound ^{7/}	<i>cents</i>	45.0	48.0	52.0	56.0	48.0
Value of Production ^{5/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	214,605	230,342	251,082	271,152	215,424
Chickens ^{8/}						
Number Sold	<i>thous. head</i>	3,441	2,827	2,461	2,921	2,651
Pounds Sold	<i>thous. lbs.</i>	20,990	22,051	19,196	17,818	16,966
Price Per Pound	<i>cents</i>	7.4	8.4	8.4	8.0	9.7
Value of Production ^{5/}	<i>thous. dols.</i>	1,553	1,852	1,612	1,425	1,646

1/ Annual estimates cover the period from Dec. 1 the previous year through Nov. 30. 2/ Average of all eggs sold by producers, including hatching eggs. 3/ Broiler production including other domestic meat-type breeds. 4/ Price per pound-Liveweight equivalent prices, derived from ready-to-cook (RTC) prices using the following formula; RTC price minus processing cost X (dressing percentage) = Liveweight equivalent price. 5/ Includes home consumption. 6/ Based on turkeys placed Sept. 1, previous year through August 31, current year. Excludes young turkeys lost. 7/ Prices are equivalent liveweight returns to producers. 8/ Estimates cover the 12 month period from Dec. 1, the previous year through Nov. 30 and excludes broilers. 8/ Discontinued.

