



Wisconsin Ag News – Chickens & Eggs

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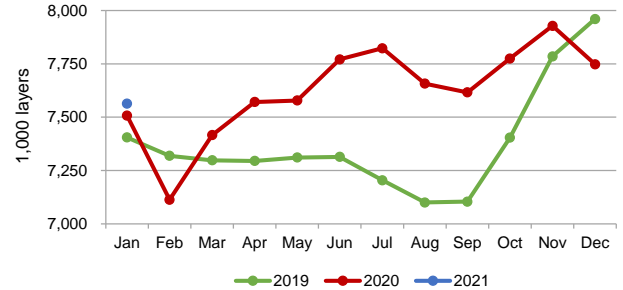
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Wisconsin **egg production** during January 2021 was 187 million eggs, down 2% from last month and down 4% from last year, according to the latest *Chickens and Eggs* report from the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

The average number of **all layers on hand** during January 2021 was 7.56 million, down 2% from last month but up 1% from last year. **Eggs per 100 layers** for January were 2,469, up 1% from last month but down 5% from last year.

Average Number of All Layers on Hand
Wisconsin: 2019-2021



Layers on Hand and Eggs Produced – States and United States: During January 2020 and 2021

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding. Data by type of flock not shown for some states to avoid disclosing individual operations, data included in United States totals.]

State	Table egg layers in flocks 30,000 & above		All layers on hand		Eggs per 100 layers		Total egg production		Table egg production	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(eggs)	(eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)
Alabama	1,453	1,393	10,502	10,683	1,935	1,930	203.2	206.2	37.9	35.8
Arkansas	(D)	(D)	15,378	16,850	2,052	2,056	315.5	346.4	(D)	(D)
California	13,406	13,648	14,068	14,393	2,443	2,380	343.7	342.5	(D)	(D)
Colorado	4,580	5,169	5,091	5,677	2,695	2,621	137.2	148.8	(D)	(D)
Georgia	9,356	9,513	19,789	20,028	2,122	2,176	419.9	435.9	225.8	243.6
Illinois	5,748	6,274	6,290	6,832	2,351	2,477	147.9	169.2	144.7	165.3
Indiana	34,254	33,582	35,518	34,918	2,554	2,526	907.0	882.1	890.2	863.4
Iowa	56,145	46,924	57,987	48,917	2,535	2,596	1,469.9	1,269.9	1,448.0	1,244.2
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	5,791	5,849	2,233	2,279	129.3	133.3	(D)	(D)
Maryland	2,564	2,365	2,753	2,557	2,506	2,562	69.0	65.5	67.6	64.1
Michigan	14,489	14,473	14,784	14,768	2,436	2,579	360.1	380.8	(D)	(D)
Minnesota	8,465	7,591	8,985	8,093	2,503	2,579	224.9	208.7	217.8	203.2
Mississippi	(D)	(D)	5,579	5,566	2,119	2,129	118.2	118.5	(D)	(D)
Missouri	7,684	7,892	12,766	13,582	2,486	2,498	317.3	339.3	281.4	298.6
Nebraska	8,552	7,536	9,167	8,175	2,486	2,482	227.9	202.9	214.3	191.5
New York	5,180	5,236	5,720	5,789	2,579	2,557	147.5	148.0	(D)	(D)
North Carolina	7,164	7,505	15,846	15,927	2,232	2,272	353.7	361.9	192.4	201.8
Ohio	34,806	34,173	36,018	35,394	2,482	2,493	894.0	882.4	(D)	(D)
Oklahoma	(D)	(D)	2,863	2,624	2,036	1,986	58.3	52.1	(D)	(D)
Oregon	2,192	1,922	2,363	2,093	2,679	2,365	63.3	49.5	63.3	49.5
Pennsylvania	28,359	28,768	30,906	31,137	2,555	2,467	789.7	768.3	759.9	742.9
South Carolina	2,719	2,489	4,036	3,749	2,205	2,206	89.0	82.7	65.6	60.3
South Dakota	2,663	2,497	2,718	2,552	2,575	2,700	70.0	68.9	70.0	68.9
Texas	(D)	(D)	22,517	23,462	2,267	2,383	510.4	559.0	(D)	(D)
Utah	4,514	5,367	4,566	5,419	2,641	2,545	120.6	137.9	120.6	137.9
Virginia	902	835	2,695	2,725	2,404	2,275	64.8	62.0	33.9	31.2
Washington	6,615	6,618	6,779	6,783	2,573	2,546	174.4	172.7	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	6,380	6,419	7,507	7,563	2,588	2,469	194.3	186.7	188.2	180.9
Other States ¹	26,441	25,002	32,437	31,145	2,372	2,403	769.4	748.4	696.5	675.0
United States	321,818	310,772	401,419	393,250	2,414	2,424	9,690.4	9,530.5	8,470.3	8,262.9

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Includes data for States not published in this table.

United States Chickens & Eggs

United States egg production totaled 9.53 billion during January 2021, down 2% from last year. Production included 8.26 billion table eggs, and 1.27 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.18 billion were broiler-type and 88.5 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during January 2021 averaged 393 million, down 2% from last year. January egg production per 100 layers was 2,424 eggs, up slightly from January 2020.

All layers in the United States on February 1, 2021 totaled 394 million, down 1% from last year. The 394 million layers consisted of 327 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 63.3 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.32 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on February 1, 2021, averaged 78.1 eggs per 100 layers, up slightly from February 1, 2020.

Egg-type chicks hatched during January 2021 totaled 50.9 million, down 4% from January 2020. Eggs in incubators totaled 53.1 million on February 1, 2021, up 6% from a year ago. Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 279 thousand during January 2021, up 5% from January 2020.

Broiler-type chicks hatched during January 2021 totaled 850 million, down 1% from January 2020. Eggs in incubators totaled 706 million on February 1, 2021, down 2% from a year ago.

Average Layers During the Month – United States

