



Wisconsin Ag News – Chickens & Eggs

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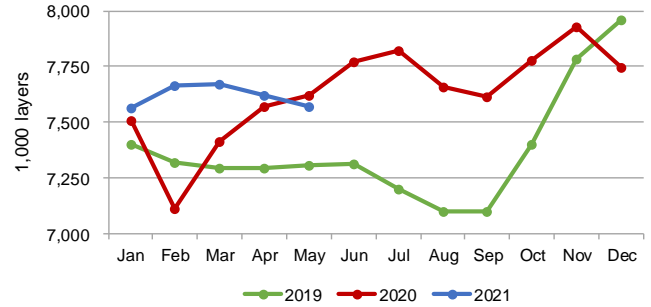
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Wisconsin **egg production** during May 2021 was 191 million eggs, up 5% from last month but down 2% from a year ago, according to the latest *Chickens and Eggs* report from the USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service.

The average number of **all layers on hand** during May 2021 was 7.57 million, down 1% from both last month and last May. **Eggs per 100 layers** for May were 2,518, up 6% from last month but down 2% from May 2020.

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



Layers on Hand and Eggs Produced – States and United States: During May 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	1,328	1,349	10,523	10,823	1,936	1,922	203.7	208.0	33.7	35.1
Arkansas	(D)	(D)	15,403	17,394	2,033	2,165	313.1	376.5	(D)	(D)
California	12,707	13,106	13,434	13,779	2,428	2,477	326.2	341.3	(D)	(D)
Colorado	5,053	4,576	5,561	5,084	2,597	2,518	144.4	128.0	(D)	(D)
Georgia	9,596	8,939	20,112	19,456	2,045	2,160	411.2	420.3	211.5	223.4
Illinois	5,735	6,316	6,284	6,844	2,446	2,446	153.7	167.4	150.1	163.8
Indiana	32,159	33,725	33,356	35,007	2,534	2,563	845.2	897.1	830.6	880.9
Iowa	48,103	47,000	50,049	48,941	2,373	2,609	1,187.6	1,276.7	1,161.8	1,252.2
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	5,967	5,538	2,256	2,275	134.6	126.0	(D)	(D)
Maryland	2,449	2,306	2,653	2,514	2,544	2,554	67.5	64.2	65.8	62.5
Michigan	13,864	14,515	14,159	14,810	2,538	2,504	359.4	370.9	(D)	(D)
Minnesota	7,967	7,534	8,513	8,055	2,440	2,528	207.7	203.6	200.2	195.6
Mississippi	(D)	(D)	5,606	5,504	2,108	2,084	118.2	114.7	(D)	(D)
Missouri	7,899	7,175	13,004	13,007	2,480	2,526	322.5	328.6	285.9	287.8
Nebraska	7,848	7,184	8,433	7,844	1,970	2,483	166.1	194.8	154.4	182.4
New York	5,019	5,261	5,576	5,815	2,631	2,542	146.7	147.8	(D)	(D)
North Carolina	6,999	7,509	15,522	16,265	2,182	2,188	338.7	355.9	178.4	190.5
Ohio	32,938	32,676	34,159	33,997	2,259	2,528	771.7	859.3	(D)	(D)
Oklahoma	(D)	(D)	2,734	2,169	1,993	2,070	54.5	44.9	(D)	(D)
Oregon	2,152	1,793	2,323	1,964	2,514	2,515	58.4	49.4	58.4	49.4
Pennsylvania	27,881	26,812	30,495	29,207	2,543	2,570	775.5	750.7	744.9	726.6
South Carolina	2,596	2,340	3,895	3,595	2,226	2,097	86.7	75.4	63.4	53.0
South Dakota	2,630	2,073	2,685	2,128	2,536	2,843	68.1	60.5	68.1	60.5
Texas	(D)	(D)	22,920	22,475	2,342	2,363	536.7	531.1	(D)	(D)
Utah	4,737	5,657	4,789	5,709	2,610	2,557	125.0	146.0	125.0	146.0
Virginia	865	872	2,690	2,795	2,271	2,301	61.1	64.3	29.2	32.1
Washington	6,537	6,496	6,701	6,661	2,634	2,501	176.5	166.6	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	6,516	6,434	7,623	7,574	2,557	2,518	194.9	190.7	188.5	184.2
Other States ¹	25,778	24,009	31,876	30,205	2,401	2,383	765.3	719.7	688.9	642.6
United States	306,948	301,477	387,045	385,159	2,357	2,435	9,120.9	9,380.4	7,883.3	8,066.7

(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 9.38 billion during May 2021, up 3% from last year. Production included 8.07 billion table eggs, and 1.31 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.23 billion were broiler-type and 79.9 million were egg-type. The average number of layers during May 2021 totaled 385 million, down slightly from last year. May egg production per 100 layers was 2,435 eggs, up 3% from May 2020.

Total layers in the United States on June 1, 2021 totaled 383 million, down 1% from last year. The 383 million layers consisted of 316 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 63.9 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.20 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on June 1, 2021, averaged 78.5 eggs per 100 layers, up 4% from June 1, 2020.

Egg-type chicks hatched during May 2021 totaled 57.3 million, up 9% from May 2020. Eggs in incubators totaled 51.3 million on June 1, 2021, up 2% from a year ago.

Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 306 thousand during May 2021, up 31% from May 2020.

Broiler-type chicks hatched during May 2021 totaled 851 million, up 5% from May 2020. Eggs in incubators totaled 720 million on June 1, 2021, up 3% from a year ago.

Average Layers During the Month – United States

