

CHICKENS AND EGGS

Including Commercial Broilers

FARM PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, CASH RECEIPTS

AND GROSS INCOME, 1959-60

CHICKENS ON FARMS, JANUARY 1, 1960-61

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The 1960 gross income from eggs, farm chickens, and commercial broilers totaled \$2,999 million, compared with \$2,738 million in 1959. Of the 1960 gross income, 61 percent was from eggs, 34 percent from commercial broilers, and 5 percent from farm chickens. This compares with 1959 when 60 percent was from eggs, 34 percent from commercial broilers, and 6 percent from farm chickens. Cash receipts from sale of eggs, broilers, and farm chickens in 1960 accounted for \$2,853 million or 95 percent of the gross income. The remaining 5 percent represents the value of products consumed on farms where produced. Gross income from sales of turkeys in 1960 amounted to \$377 million.

Egg production in 1960 was 61,377 million eggs--3 percent less than the 1959 production of 63,335 million eggs. A record 1,796 million commercial broilers were produced in 1960, 3 percent more than the previous record of 1,737 million produced in 1959. Farm chicken production in 1960 amounted to 261 million birds, compared with 311 million birds a year earlier.

EGG AND FARM CHICKEN PRICES HIGHER: The average price per dozen eggs sold in 1960 was 36.0 cents per dozen, compared with 31.4 cents in 1959. The average price per pound live weight of farm chickens sold in 1960 was 12.2 cents, compared with 11.0 cents in 1959. Prices for both eggs and farm chickens in 1960 were above the corresponding month a year earlier for all months except January, February, and March.

EGG PRODUCTION LOWER: Egg production in 1960 totaled 61,377 million eggs, compared with 63,335 million eggs in 1959. Number of layers on hand during 1960 averaged 294 million--4 percent less than the 306 million average number of layers for 1959. The rate of egg production per layer on hand during 1960 was 209 eggs, compared with 207 eggs per layer a year earlier.

SMALLER NUMBER OF FARM CHICKENS RAISED: The number of chickens raised on farms in 1960 totaled 330 million--about 14 percent below 1959 and the smallest number since records began in 1909. Of the total raised on farms during 1960, about 5 percent were hatched on farms and 95 percent were bought from hatcheries. Farm chickens sold in 1960 totaled 189 million--19 percent less than the 1959 sales of 233 million. About 903 million pounds live weight of farm chickens were sold in 1960, compared with 1,087 million pounds in 1959. Cash receipts from sales of farm chickens amounted to \$111 million, compared with \$120 million in 1959.

CHICKEN INVENTORY DECREASES: Chickens on farms January 1, 1961 (excluding commercial broilers) totaled 358 million. This was 3 percent less than a year earlier and 11 percent below the 1950-59 average. Of the 340 million hens and pullets on hand January 1, 1961, 61 percent were pullets and 39 percent were hens, compared with 64 percent pullets and 36 percent hens a year earlier. Pullets on farms on January 1, 1961 totaled 209 million--down 7 percent from a year earlier. Hens totaled 131 million--4 percent more than a year earlier. A very short pullet crop and higher fall and early winter egg prices resulted in the retention of a larger proportion of hens than usual in the Nation's laying flock.

HOME CONSUMPTION OF CHICKENS AND EGGS LOWER: Egg consumption on farms where produced amounted to 3,782 million eggs in 1960--11 percent less than in 1959. Chickens consumed in farm households totaled 83 million birds--13 percent less than in 1959.

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Table 1.--Farm chickens: Number on farms, and value, January 1, 1960 ^{1/}

State and division	1 9 6 0					
	Hens	Pullets	Other chickens	All chickens		
				Number	Value per head ^{2/}	Total value
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Dollars	1,000 dollars
Maine	822	3,588	250	4,660	1.60	7,456
New Hampshire	322	1,647	110	2,079	1.65	3,430
Vermont	242	586	40	868	1.70	1,476
Massachusetts	931	2,600	143	3,674	1.80	6,613
Rhode Island	117	313	13	443	1.80	797
Connecticut	1,113	2,441	139	3,693	1.75	6,463
New York	4,089	6,149	319	10,557	1.50	15,836
New Jersey	4,967	7,228	401	12,596	1.45	18,264
Pennsylvania	6,535	13,562	1,081	21,178	1.40	29,649
North Atlantic	19,138	38,114	2,496	59,748	1.51	89,984
Ohio	4,713	8,377	230	13,320	1.10	14,652
Indiana	4,116	9,521	353	13,990	.99	13,850
Illinois	4,695	8,484	200	13,379	.87	11,640
Michigan	3,176	4,996	271	8,443	1.20	10,132
Wisconsin	4,119	6,447	338	10,904	.96	10,468
East North Central ..	20,819	37,825	1,392	60,036	1.01	60,742
Minnesota	5,832	13,861	212	19,905	.88	17,516
Iowa	6,470	19,047	324	25,841	.87	22,482
Missouri	3,859	7,206	352	11,417	.75	8,563
North Dakota	971	1,784	83	2,838	.77	2,185
South Dakota	2,606	5,928	179	8,713	.79	6,883
Nebraska	3,055	7,071	299	10,425	.67	6,985
Kansas	2,882	4,782	293	7,957	.70	5,570
West North Central ..	25,675	59,679	1,742	87,096	.81	70,184
Delaware	244	519	38	801	1.20	961
Maryland	690	1,416	71	2,177	1.20	2,612
Virginia	2,291	4,309	423	7,023	1.05	7,374
West Virginia	1,004	1,275	81	2,360	1.05	2,478
North Carolina	4,957	7,712	1,233	13,902	.97	13,485
South Carolina	1,891	2,765	291	4,947	1.15	5,689
Georgia	4,227	8,234	440	12,901	1.10	14,191
Florida	2,434	2,945	500	5,879	1.10	6,467
South Atlantic	17,738	29,175	3,077	49,990	1.07	53,257
Kentucky	2,629	3,815	447	6,891	.79	5,444
Tennessee	3,181	3,553	479	7,213	.79	5,698
Alabama	3,470	4,492	463	8,425	1.00	8,425
Mississippi	3,396	4,288	435	8,119	1.00	8,119
Arkansas	2,441	3,305	281	6,027	.84	5,063
Louisiana	1,528	1,953	441	3,922	1.15	4,510
Oklahoma	2,128	2,086	108	4,322	.79	3,414
Texas	8,056	8,316	636	17,008	.97	16,498
South Central	26,829	31,808	3,290	61,927	.92	57,171
Montana	407	787	41	1,235	1.15	1,420
Idaho	457	960	52	1,469	1.05	1,542
Wyoming	171	183	11	365	1.20	438
Colorado	784	891	40	1,715	.94	1,612
New Mexico	403	408	25	836	1.10	920
Arizona	396	544	73	1,013	1.25	1,266
Utah	685	1,006	69	1,760	.94	1,654
Nevada	36	49	5	90	1.20	108
Washington	1,898	3,455	235	5,588	1.40	7,823
Oregon	1,288	1,940	132	3,360	1.30	4,368
California	10,023	18,195	5,038	33,256	1.15	38,244
Western	16,548	28,418	5,721	50,687	1.17	59,395
United States	126,747	225,019	17,718	369,484	1.06	390,733

^{1/} Does not include commercial broilers.

^{2/} Average reported annually by crop correspondents.

Table 2.--Farm chickens: Number on farms, and value, January 1, 1961 1/

State and division	1 9 6 1					
	Hens	Pullets	Other chickens	All chickens		
				Number	Value per head 2/	Total value
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Dollars	1,000 dollars
Maine	962	3,480	238	4,680	1.80	8,424
New Hampshire	354	1,581	94	2,029	1.80	3,652
Vermont	235	545	32	812	1.95	1,583
Massachusetts	931	2,418	136	3,485	1.95	6,796
Rhode Island	115	294	14	423	1.95	825
Connecticut	1,046	2,295	122	3,463	1.90	6,580
New York	4,007	5,780	341	10,128	1.65	16,711
New Jersey	4,967	6,144	381	11,492	1.60	18,387
Pennsylvania	6,862	12,206	995	20,063	1.55	31,098
North Atlantic	19,479	34,743	2,353	56,575	1.66	94,056
Ohio	5,043	7,791	281	13,115	1.30	17,050
Indiana	4,116	8,950	353	13,419	1.20	16,103
Illinois	4,930	7,296	200	12,426	1.15	14,290
Michigan	3,208	3,897	241	7,346	1.40	10,284
Wisconsin	4,284	6,060	301	10,645	1.20	12,774
East North Central ..	21,581	33,994	1,376	56,951	1.24	70,501
Minnesota	6,415	12,198	212	18,825	1.25	23,531
Iowa	7,052	16,380	275	23,707	1.30	30,819
Missouri	3,473	6,846	352	10,671	.96	10,244
North Dakota	952	1,588	112	2,652	.95	2,519
South Dakota	2,814	5,276	193	8,283	1.10	9,111
Nebraska	3,299	6,505	305	10,109	1.05	10,614
Kansas	2,738	4,208	258	7,204	.94	6,772
West North Central ..	26,743	53,001	1,707	81,451	1.15	93,610
Delaware	251	555	40	846	1.35	1,142
Maryland	697	1,090	61	1,848	1.35	2,495
Virginia	2,406	3,878	474	6,758	1.10	7,434
West Virginia	1,004	1,135	79	2,218	1.10	2,440
North Carolina	5,155	7,635	1,282	14,072	1.10	15,479
South Carolina	2,061	2,959	233	5,253	1.25	6,566
Georgia	4,396	8,893	431	13,720	1.20	16,464
Florida	2,823	3,122	600	6,545	1.20	7,854
South Atlantic	18,793	29,267	3,200	51,260	1.17	59,874
Kentucky	2,708	2,976	402	6,086	.87	5,295
Tennessee	3,054	3,020	455	6,529	.86	5,615
Alabama	3,505	4,492	463	8,460	1.10	9,306
Mississippi	3,939	3,816	413	8,168	1.10	8,985
Arkansas	2,417	3,140	287	5,844	.96	5,610
Louisiana	1,589	1,797	520	3,906	1.15	4,492
Oklahoma	1,936	1,502	90	3,528	.92	3,246
Texas	7,412	7,484	604	15,500	1.05	16,275
South Central	26,560	28,227	3,234	58,021	1.01	58,824
Montana	407	724	39	1,170	1.25	1,462
Idaho	466	912	58	1,436	1.20	1,723
Wyoming	152	172	11	335	1.30	436
Colorado	760	677	31	1,468	1.05	1,541
New Mexico	399	461	22	882	1.15	1,014
Arizona	392	522	79	993	1.25	1,241
Utah	671	986	70	1,727	1.20	2,072
Nevada	34	47	6	87	1.35	117
Washington	2,031	3,420	242	5,693	1.40	7,970
Oregon	1,365	1,804	124	3,293	1.40	4,610
California	11,627	19,651	5,290	36,568	1.30	47,538
Western	18,304	29,376	5,972	53,652	1.30	69,724
United States	131,460	208,608	17,842	357,910	1.25	446,589

1/ Does not include commercial broilers.

2/ Average reported annually by crop correspondents.

Table 3.--Farm chickens: Number raised, produced, consumed on farm, and sold, 1959 1/

State and division	Raised 2/	Lost 3/	Produced 4/	Change in inventory 5/		Consumed in farm household	Sold
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	6,288	893	5,395	---	39	199	5,235
New Hampshire	2,789	359	2,430	---	167	86	2,511
Vermont	1,042	158	884	---	64	164	784
Massachusetts	4,440	826	3,614	---	454	195	3,873
Rhode Island	547	79	468	---	23	30	461
Connecticut	4,578	661	3,917	---	197	181	3,933
New York	8,937	2,256	6,681	---	1,315	1,182	6,814
New Jersey	9,325	2,443	6,882	---	1,775	421	8,236
Pennsylvania	20,329	4,999	15,330	---	557	2,114	13,773
North Atlantic	58,275	12,674	45,601	---	4,591	4,572	45,620
Ohio	12,585	2,532	10,053	---	744	3,066	7,731
Indiana	14,543	2,475	12,068	---	571	2,800	9,839
Illinois	13,526	2,754	10,772	---	1,922	3,673	9,021
Michigan	7,814	1,866	5,948	---	885	1,736	5,097
Wisconsin	9,305	2,365	6,940	---	1,545	2,585	5,900
East North Central:	57,773	11,992	45,781	---	5,667	13,860	37,588
Minnesota	21,080	3,890	17,190	---	1,708	3,373	15,525
Iowa	28,596	4,514	24,082	---	2,370	5,188	21,264
Missouri	12,754	2,917	9,837	---	1,844	5,026	6,655
North Dakota	4,266	724	3,542	---	455	1,391	2,606
South Dakota	8,967	1,802	7,165	---	295	1,849	5,611
Nebraska	11,080	2,209	8,871	---	622	3,182	6,311
Kansas	9,821	2,017	7,804	---	1,649	3,333	6,120
West North Central:	96,564	18,073	78,491	---	8,943	23,342	64,092
Delaware	995	150	845	10	---	126	709
Maryland	2,394	486	1,908	---	382	743	1,547
Virginia	7,324	1,434	5,890	---	149	2,661	3,378
West Virginia	2,189	464	1,725	39	---	952	734
North Carolina	16,615	2,896	13,719	---	579	6,445	7,853
South Carolina	6,951	1,037	5,914	233	---	3,046	2,635
Georgia	16,550	2,409	14,141	1,431	---	3,956	8,754
Florida	5,223	1,276	3,947	79	---	774	3,094
South Atlantic	58,241	10,152	48,089	682	---	18,703	28,704
Kentucky	7,765	1,328	6,437	---	99	4,671	1,865
Tennessee	7,934	1,612	6,322	---	463	4,033	2,752
Alabama	9,585	1,799	7,786	---	143	3,561	4,368
Mississippi	8,940	1,296	7,644	1,641	---	3,634	2,369
Arkansas	7,284	1,045	6,239	529	---	2,805	2,905
Louisiana	4,720	740	3,980	222	---	2,393	1,365
Oklahoma	3,964	971	2,993	---	788	2,695	1,086
Texas	16,061	3,285	12,776	---	1,243	5,605	8,414
South Central	66,253	12,076	54,177	---	344	29,397	25,124
Montana	1,930	313	1,617	---	126	711	1,032
Idaho	1,960	331	1,629	---	36	647	1,018
Wyoming	434	92	342	---	36	245	133
Colorado	1,838	368	1,470	---	125	734	861
New Mexico	693	160	533	---	8	325	216
Arizona	1,037	184	853	---	10	109	754
Utah	1,518	387	1,131	---	85	207	1,009
Nevada	105	22	83	---	8	59	32
Washington	4,275	996	3,279	53	---	910	2,316
Oregon	3,638	699	2,939	---	133	744	2,328
California	31,476	6,279	25,197	1,859	---	1,490	21,848
Western	48,904	9,831	39,073	1,345	---	6,181	31,547
United States	386,010	74,798	311,212	---	17,518	96,055	232,675

1/ Does not include commercial broilers. 2/ Does not include young chickens lost. 3/ Loss during the year of chickens on hand January 1. 4/ Production is the number (or pounds) available for utilization during the year, i.e., sales plus home consumption plus or minus the change in inventory. Production also equals the number (or pounds) raised minus death loss of birds on hand January 1. 5/ Change in inventory numbers during the year.

Table 4.--Farm chickens: Pounds produced, disposition, cash receipts and gross income, 1959 ^{1/}

State and division	Produced	Consumed : in farm household	Sold	Price per pound	Value of production	Cash receipts	Value of chickens consumed	Gross income
	pounds	pounds	pounds	Cents	dollars	dollars	dollars	dollars
Maine	28,074	1,055	27,222	15.0	4,211	4,083	158	4,241
N.H.	13,374	482	13,810	14.2	1,899	1,961	68	2,029
Vt.	4,381	853	3,842	14.6	640	561	125	686
Mass.	19,456	994	20,914	14.2	2,763	2,970	141	3,111
R.I.	2,530	165	2,489	14.5	367	361	24	385
Conn.	21,170	996	21,238	14.3	3,027	3,037	142	3,179
N.Y.	32,500	5,555	33,389	13.8	4,485	4,608	757	5,275
N.J.	32,304	1,937	38,709	13.1	4,232	5,071	254	5,325
Pa.	77,548	10,147	70,242	14.8	11,477	10,396	1,502	11,898
N.A.	231,337	22,184	231,855	14.3	33,101	33,048	3,181	36,229
Ohio	48,425	13,490	38,655	11.5	5,569	4,445	1,551	5,996
Ind.	56,333	10,920	48,211	10.8	6,084	5,207	1,179	6,386
Ill.	48,400	14,325	43,301	9.7	4,695	4,200	1,390	5,590
Mich.	28,625	7,986	24,975	10.3	2,948	2,572	823	3,395
Wis.	31,407	11,374	27,140	10.4	3,266	2,823	1,183	4,006
E.N.C.	213,190	58,095	182,282	10.6	22,562	19,247	6,126	25,373
Minn.	73,918	14,504	66,758	6.8	5,026	4,540	986	5,526
Iowa	105,775	20,752	95,688	6.9	7,298	6,602	1,432	8,034
Mo.	41,143	17,088	33,275	8.9	3,662	2,961	1,521	4,482
N.Dak.	14,675	5,425	11,206	6.6	969	740	358	1,098
S.Dak.	30,070	7,211	24,127	6.3	1,894	1,520	454	1,974
Nebr.	36,486	11,455	27,768	6.8	2,481	1,888	779	2,667
Kans.	31,004	11,332	26,928	7.2	2,232	1,939	816	2,755
W.N.C.	333,071	87,767	285,750	7.1	23,562	20,190	6,346	26,536
Del.	3,993	542	3,403	14.1	563	480	76	556
Md.	8,723	2,898	7,735	14.2	1,239	1,098	412	1,510
Va.	25,838	9,047	17,566	13.8	3,566	2,424	1,248	3,672
W.Va.	7,828	3,808	3,817	14.0	1,096	534	533	1,067
N.C.	60,547	21,268	42,406	14.1	8,537	5,979	2,999	8,978
S.C.	22,062	9,443	11,594	14.3	3,155	1,658	1,350	3,008
Ge.	58,097	12,264	39,393	14.0	8,134	5,515	1,717	7,232
Fla.	16,121	2,477	13,304	13.7	2,209	1,823	339	2,162
S.A.	203,209	61,747	139,218	14.0	28,499	19,511	8,674	28,185
Ky.	23,218	14,947	8,766	11.6	2,697	1,017	1,734	2,751
Tenn.	22,802	12,502	12,384	11.6	2,645	1,437	1,450	2,887
Ala.	29,273	10,683	19,219	12.3	3,601	2,364	1,314	3,678
Miss.	29,787	10,539	11,371	13.7	4,081	1,558	1,444	3,002
Ark.	23,806	8,696	12,782	11.3	2,690	1,444	983	2,427
La.	14,483	7,658	5,870	15.4	2,230	904	1,179	2,083
Okla.	9,665	8,354	4,778	9.0	870	430	752	1,182
Texas	49,240	16,254	38,704	11.0	5,416	4,257	1,788	6,045
S.C.	202,304	89,633	113,874	11.8	24,230	13,411	10,644	24,055
Mont.	6,236	2,702	4,025	14.0	873	564	378	942
Idaho	6,681	2,459	4,377	10.6	708	464	261	725
Wyo.	1,275	858	572	15.5	198	89	133	222
Colo.	6,028	2,716	3,874	11.1	669	430	301	731
N.Mex.	1,893	1,040	886	14.0	265	124	146	270
Ariz.	3,537	338	3,242	13.7	485	444	46	490
Utah	4,585	704	4,238	9.2	422	390	65	455
Nev.	295	189	141	11.0	32	16	21	37
Wash.	15,102	3,731	11,117	11.1	1,676	1,234	414	1,648
Oreg.	11,976	2,976	9,545	9.8	1,174	935	292	1,227
Calif.	105,083	5,513	91,762	10.4	10,929	9,543	573	10,116
West.	162,691	23,226	133,779	10.6	17,431	14,233	2,630	16,863
U.S.	1,345,802	342,652	1,086,758	11.0	149,385	119,640	37,601	157,241

^{1/} Does not include commercial broilers.

Table 5.--Farm chickens: Number raised, produced, consumed on farm, and sold, 1960 1/

State and division	Raised 2/	Lost 3/	Produced 4/	Change in inventory 5/		Consumed in farm	Sold
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Increase	Decrease	household	
Maine	6,099	839	5,260	20	---	162	5,078
New Hampshire	2,622	395	2,227	---	50	69	2,208
Vermont	979	148	831	---	56	127	760
Massachusetts	3,907	661	3,246	---	189	145	3,290
Rhode Island	492	75	417	---	20	24	413
Connecticut	4,166	591	3,575	---	230	146	3,659
New York	7,328	2,111	5,217	---	429	923	4,723
New Jersey	7,460	2,015	5,445	---	1,104	350	6,199
Pennsylvania	16,670	4,447	12,223	---	1,115	1,660	11,678
North Atlantic	49,723	11,282	38,441	---	3,173	3,606	38,008
Ohio	9,816	2,264	7,552	---	205	2,516	5,241
Indiana	13,089	2,378	10,711	---	571	2,225	9,057
Illinois	10,821	2,408	8,413	---	953	2,963	6,403
Michigan	5,704	1,604	4,100	---	1,097	1,560	3,637
Wisconsin	7,537	1,963	5,574	---	259	2,200	3,633
East North Central	46,967	10,617	36,350	---	3,085	11,464	27,971
Minnesota	17,707	3,583	14,124	---	1,080	3,080	12,124
Iowa	24,879	4,135	20,744	---	2,134	4,650	18,228
Missouri	11,096	2,398	8,698	---	746	4,365	5,079
North Dakota	3,413	624	2,789	---	186	1,273	1,702
South Dakota	7,712	1,743	5,969	---	430	1,713	4,686
Nebraska	9,196	2,085	7,111	---	316	3,022	4,405
Kansas	8,348	1,671	6,677	---	753	2,953	4,477
West North Central	82,351	16,239	66,112	---	5,645	21,056	50,701
Delaware	1,045	152	893	45	---	103	745
Maryland	1,867	392	1,475	---	329	632	1,172
Virginia	6,225	1,334	4,891	---	265	2,569	2,587
West Virginia	1,817	472	1,345	---	142	822	665
North Carolina	13,957	2,641	11,316	170	---	5,565	5,581
South Carolina	7,229	1,039	6,190	306	---	2,584	3,300
Georgia	12,909	2,451	10,458	819	---	3,084	6,555
Florida	4,857	1,117	3,740	666	---	695	2,379
South Atlantic	49,906	9,598	40,308	1,270	---	16,054	22,984
Kentucky	6,212	1,309	4,903	---	805	3,720	1,988
Tennessee	5,950	1,443	4,507	---	684	3,044	2,147
Alabama	7,956	1,685	6,271	35	---	3,194	3,042
Mississippi	6,258	1,624	4,634	49	---	3,141	1,444
Arkansas	6,191	1,085	5,106	---	183	2,378	2,911
Louisiana	4,295	745	3,550	---	16	2,206	1,360
Oklahoma	3,369	821	2,548	---	794	2,308	1,034
Texas	14,134	3,061	11,073	---	1,508	5,899	6,682
South Central	54,365	11,773	42,592	---	3,906	25,890	20,608
Montana	1,640	296	1,344	---	65	640	769
Idaho	1,725	338	1,387	---	33	541	879
Wyoming	317	84	233	---	30	204	59
Colorado	1,342	343	999	---	247	668	578
New Mexico	650	159	499	46	---	325	128
Arizona	902	172	730	---	20	86	664
Utah	1,412	334	1,078	---	33	203	908
Nevada	97	19	78	---	3	54	27
Washington	4,190	950	3,240	105	---	727	2,408
Oregon	3,347	638	2,709	---	67	616	2,160
California	31,161	6,319	24,842	3,312	---	1,240	20,290
Western	46,791	9,652	37,139	2,965	---	5,304	28,870
United States	330,103	69,161	260,942	---	11,574	83,374	189,142

1/ Does not include commercial broilers. 2/ Does not include young chickens lost. 3/ Loss during the year of chickens on hand January 1. 4/ Production is the number (or pounds) available for utilization during the year, i.e., sales plus home consumption plus or minus the change in inventory. Production also equals the number (or pounds) raised minus death loss of birds on hand January 1. 5/ Change in inventory numbers during the year.

Table 6.--Fara chickens: Pounds produced, disposition, cash receipts and gross income, 1960 ^{1/}

State and division	Produced : 1,000 pounds	Consumed : in farm : household :	Sold : 1,000 pounds	Price : per : pound :	Value : of : production :	Cash : receipts :	Value of : chickens : consumed :	Gross : income
				Cents	dollars	dollars	dollars	dollars
Maine	27,878	859	26,913	16.0	4,460	4,306	137	4,443
Mass.	12,242	373	12,144	16.1	1,971	1,955	60	2,015
Vt.	4,263	573	3,876	15.9	678	616	107	723
N.H.	17,189	754	17,437	16.3	2,802	2,842	123	2,965
R.I.	2,174	130	2,148	16.3	354	350	21	371
Conn.	18,619	783	19,027	16.1	2,998	3,063	127	3,190
N.Y.	26,237	4,333	24,087	15.0	3,936	3,613	651	4,264
N.J.	25,521	1,575	29,135	15.7	4,007	4,574	247	4,821
Pa.	60,783	7,553	58,390	16.2	9,847	9,459	1,291	10,750
D.C.	194,905	17,450	193,157	15.9	31,053	30,770	2,764	33,542
Ohio	36,753	11,070	26,729	13.4	4,925	3,582	1,483	5,065
Ind.	50,259	8,570	44,379	12.7	6,383	5,635	1,102	6,738
Ill.	37,716	11,556	30,734	10.8	4,073	3,319	1,248	4,567
Mich.	19,876	7,176	18,185	12.0	2,385	2,182	861	3,043
Wis.	26,213	9,530	17,802	11.1	3,041	2,055	1,123	3,188
W.Va.	170,817	48,150	137,829	12.2	20,807	16,734	5,817	22,601
Minn.	61,530	12,536	53,346	9.1	5,599	4,857	1,177	6,031
Iowa	91,488	19,065	82,026	9.3	8,508	7,620	1,773	9,401
Mo.	37,373	14,611	26,411	10.6	3,962	2,800	1,573	4,373
N.Dak.	11,938	4,555	7,829	7.9	943	618	392	1,010
S.Dak.	25,661	6,509	21,087	3.8	2,258	1,856	573	2,429
Nebr.	30,098	10,879	20,704	8.2	2,468	1,698	892	2,590
Kans.	26,426	10,010	19,699	3.5	2,246	1,674	853	2,527
W.M.C.	284,514	79,235	231,102	9.1	25,984	21,128	7,233	28,361
Del.	4,225	733	3,576	15.6	659	558	68	626
Id.	6,764	2,055	5,977	15.3	1,035	914	377	1,291
Va.	21,505	8,735	14,228	14.3	3,075	2,035	1,249	3,284
W.Va.	6,194	3,370	3,591	13.8	855	496	465	961
N.C.	51,145	18,364	31,812	14.6	7,467	4,645	2,681	7,326
S.C.	24,598	8,010	15,180	16.0	3,936	2,429	1,282	3,711
Ge.	46,430	9,560	32,775	14.4	6,686	4,720	1,377	6,097
Fla.	16,465	2,154	11,181	13.5	2,223	1,509	291	1,800
S.A.	177,326	53,091	118,320	14.6	25,936	17,306	7,790	25,096
Ky.	18,309	12,276	10,139	12.2	2,234	1,237	1,498	2,735
Tenn.	17,056	9,741	10,735	11.7	1,996	1,256	1,140	2,396
Ala.	24,660	9,582	14,906	12.7	3,132	1,893	1,217	3,110
Miss.	16,723	9,109	7,364	14.4	2,408	1,060	1,312	2,372
Ark.	20,739	7,372	14,264	11.9	2,468	1,697	877	2,574
La.	13,645	7,059	6,664	16.2	2,210	1,030	1,144	2,224
Okla.	8,355	7,155	5,170	9.1	760	470	651	1,121
Texas	43,123	18,287	32,074	10.5	4,528	3,368	1,920	5,288
N.M.	162,610	80,581	101,316	11.9	19,736	12,061	9,759	21,820
Mont.	5,530	2,132	3,384	13.1	724	443	319	762
Idaho	5,725	2,002	3,868	10.5	601	406	210	616
Wyo.	867	734	271	15.0	130	41	110	151
Colo.	4,060	2,472	2,774	11.5	467	319	284	603
N.Mex.	1,788	1,010	550	12.0	215	66	125	191
Ariz.	3,036	267	2,855	12.5	380	357	33	390
Utah	4,298	710	3,723	8.2	352	305	58	363
Nev.	281	178	116	9.2	26	11	16	27
Wash.	15,043	2,981	11,558	10.0	1,504	1,156	298	1,454
Oreg.	11,255	2,464	9,072	10.4	1,171	943	256	1,199
Calif.	101,356	4,583	83,189	10.2	10,338	8,485	468	8,953
West.	153,239	19,863	121,360	10.3	15,908	12,532	2,177	14,709
U.S.	1,143,412	298,393	903,084	12.2	139,424	110,589	35,540	146,129

^{1/} Does not include commercial broilers.

Table 7.--Eggs: Farm production and disposition, 1959

State and division	Average number of layers during year	Eggs per layer $\frac{1}{}$	Eggs produced	Eggs consumed in farm household	Eggs sold
	Thousands	Number	Millions	Millions	Millions
Maine	3,622	213	773	11	762
New Hampshire	1,712	210	360	5	355
Vermont	770	210	162	10	152
Massachusetts	3,334	215	716	9	707
Rhode Island	389	208	81	1	80
Connecticut	3,201	209	669	8	661
New York	9,379	215	2,012	70	1,942
New Jersey	12,101	196	2,377	15	2,362
Pennsylvania	17,141	211	3,625	121	3,504
North Atlantic	51,649	209	10,775	250	10,525
Ohio	11,681	213	2,486	159	2,327
Indiana	11,935	215	2,567	117	2,450
Illinois	12,678	207	2,626	146	2,480
Michigan	7,570	207	1,570	99	1,471
Wisconsin	10,044	214	2,151	155	1,996
East North Central	53,908	211	11,400	676	10,724
Minnesota	17,606	217	3,824	183	3,641
Iowa	23,357	216	5,054	249	4,805
Missouri	9,940	192	1,905	204	1,701
North Dakota	2,528	184	465	62	403
South Dakota	7,352	206	1,515	84	1,431
Nebraska	9,025	207	1,867	135	1,732
Kansas	7,554	204	1,542	147	1,395
West North Central	77,362	209	16,172	1,064	15,108
Delaware	648	194	126	4	122
Maryland	1,903	191	364	25	339
Virginia	5,553	201	1,116	127	989
West Virginia	1,841	190	349	51	298
North Carolina	10,137	203	2,061	252	1,809
South Carolina	3,551	201	715	94	621
Georgia	9,322	206	1,918	116	1,802
Florida	4,484	216	968	28	940
South Atlantic	37,439	203	7,617	697	6,920
Kentucky	5,215	179	931	206	725
Tennessee	5,634	181	1,017	213	804
Alabama	6,530	195	1,273	137	1,136
Mississippi	5,865	183	1,075	135	940
Arkansas	4,455	194	866	115	751
Louisiana	2,520	183	461	85	376
Oklahoma	4,029	188	756	114	642
Texas	13,881	190	2,636	236	2,400
South Central	48,129	187	9,015	1,241	7,774
Montana	1,096	200	219	34	185
Idaho	1,248	220	274	33	241
Wyoming	296	193	57	12	45
Colorado	1,533	196	301	43	258
New Mexico	682	196	134	15	119
Arizona	756	218	165	5	160
Utah	1,461	223	326	14	312
Nevada	78	154	12	3	9
Washington	4,505	229	1,030	54	976
Oregon	2,694	223	602	39	563
California	22,884	229	5,236	76	5,160
Western	37,233	224	8,356	328	8,028
United States	305,720	207	63,335	4,256	59,079

$\frac{1}{}$ Number of eggs produced during the year divided by the average number of layers on hand during the year.

Table 8.--Eggs: Price per dozen, cash receipts and gross income, 1959

State and division	Eggs sold	Price per dozen	Cash receipts	Value of eggs consumed in farm household 1/	Gross income
	Millions	Cents	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Maine	762	48.8	30,988	447	31,435
New Hampshire	355	45.3	13,401	189	13,590
Vermont	152	41.5	5,257	346	5,603
Massachusetts	707	45.8	26,984	344	27,328
Rhode Island	80	45.1	3,007	38	3,045
Connecticut	661	44.3	24,402	295	24,697
New York	1,942	36.8	59,555	2,147	61,702
New Jersey	2,362	36.7	72,238	459	72,697
Pennsylvania	3,504	36.1	105,412	3,640	109,052
North Atlantic	10,525	38.9	341,244	7,905	349,149
Ohio	2,327	29.0	56,236	3,843	60,079
Indiana	2,450	27.9	56,962	2,720	59,682
Illinois	2,480	26.0	53,733	3,163	56,896
Michigan	1,471	27.9	34,201	2,302	36,503
Wisconsin	1,996	27.5	45,742	3,552	49,294
East North Central	10,724	27.6	246,874	15,580	262,454
Minnesota	3,641	22.9	69,482	3,492	72,974
Iowa	4,805	23.3	93,297	4,835	98,132
Missouri	1,701	26.9	38,131	4,573	42,704
North Dakota	403	22.2	7,456	1,147	8,603
South Dakota	1,431	22.4	26,712	1,568	28,280
Nebraska	1,732	23.1	33,341	2,599	35,940
Kansas	1,395	23.6	27,435	2,891	30,326
West North Central	15,108	23.5	295,854	21,105	316,959
Delaware	122	43.3	4,402	144	4,546
Maryland	339	36.7	10,368	765	11,133
Virginia	989	37.1	30,577	3,926	34,503
West Virginia	298	37.1	9,213	1,577	10,790
North Carolina	1,809	37.7	56,833	7,917	64,750
South Carolina	621	40.2	20,804	3,149	23,953
Georgia	1,802	41.4	62,169	4,002	66,171
Florida	940	39.1	30,628	912	31,540
South Atlantic	6,920	39.0	224,994	22,392	247,386
Kentucky	725	29.4	17,762	5,047	22,809
Tennessee	804	33.5	22,445	5,946	28,391
Alabama	1,136	38.4	36,352	4,384	40,736
Mississippi	940	38.5	30,158	4,331	34,489
Arkansas	751	35.5	22,217	3,402	25,619
Louisiana	376	39.7	12,439	2,812	15,251
Oklahoma	642	27.2	14,552	2,584	17,136
Texas	2,400	30.9	61,800	6,077	67,877
South Central	7,774	33.6	217,725	34,583	252,308
Montana	185	35.3	5,442	1,000	6,442
Idaho	241	33.4	6,708	918	7,626
Wyoming	45	36.3	1,361	363	1,724
Colorado	258	31.7	6,816	1,136	7,952
New Mexico	119	38.3	3,798	479	4,277
Arizona	160	41.5	5,533	173	5,706
Utah	312	30.3	7,878	354	8,232
Nevada	9	34.9	262	87	349
Washington	976	34.1	27,735	1,535	29,270
Oregon	563	36.8	17,265	1,196	18,461
California	5,160	31.5	135,450	1,995	137,445
Western	8,028	32.6	218,248	9,236	227,484
United States	59,079	31.4	1,544,939	110,801	1,655,740

1/ Eggs consumed are valued at same price per dozen as eggs sold.

Table 9.—Eggs: Farm production and disposition, 1960

State and division	Average number of layers during year	Eggs per layer $\frac{1}{/}$	Eggs produced	Eggs consumed in farm household	Eggs sold
	Thousands	Number	Millions	Millions	Millions
Maine	3,497	215	753	9	744
New Hampshire	1,543	209	323	4	319
Vermont	735	222	163	9	154
Massachusetts	2,968	222	660	6	654
Rhode Island	359	209	75	1	74
Connecticut	2,995	219	657	8	649
New York	8,851	211	1,864	58	1,806
New Jersey	10,409	193	2,012	12	2,000
Pennsylvania	16,326	214	3,488	98	3,390
North Atlantic	47,683	210	9,995	205	9,790
Ohio	11,593	213	2,471	135	2,336
Indiana	11,404	221	2,515	103	2,412
Illinois	11,497	208	2,397	131	2,266
Michigan	6,860	210	1,439	85	1,354
Wisconsin	9,212	213	1,965	140	1,825
East North Central	50,566	213	10,787	594	10,193
Minnesota	16,140	220	3,552	170	3,382
Iowa	21,510	220	4,732	235	4,497
Missouri	8,835	193	1,701	191	1,510
North Dakota	2,268	183	416	57	359
South Dakota	7,110	208	1,480	69	1,411
Nebraska	8,866	208	1,847	123	1,724
Kansas	6,572	204	1,339	130	1,209
West North Central	71,301	211	15,067	975	14,092
Delaware	677	196	133	3	130
Maryland	1,646	199	327	21	306
Virginia	5,441	201	1,094	110	984
West Virginia	1,987	194	385	44	341
North Carolina	9,894	206	2,035	238	1,797
South Carolina	3,898	209	814	82	732
Georgia	10,652	208	2,218	98	2,120
Florida	4,720	218	1,030	25	1,005
South Atlantic	38,915	207	8,036	621	7,415
Kentucky	4,989	170	888	193	695
Tennessee	5,228	183	957	186	771
Alabama	6,472	201	1,304	119	1,185
Mississippi	6,246	186	1,163	129	1,034
Arkansas	4,668	191	890	94	796
Louisiana	2,803	182	509	75	434
Oklahoma	3,274	186	610	101	509
Texas	12,682	191	2,424	215	2,209
South Central	46,362	189	8,745	1,112	7,633
Montana	1,022	200	204	32	172
Idaho	1,218	219	267	28	239
Wyoming	296	193	57	11	46
Colorado	1,386	199	276	38	238
New Mexico	698	193	135	14	121
Arizona	752	214	161	4	157
Utah	1,394	222	310	13	297
Nevada	72	167	12	3	9
Washington	4,564	230	1,048	45	1,003
Oregon	2,679	224	599	34	565
California	25,260	225	5,678	53	5,625
Western	39,341	222	8,747	275	8,472
United States	294,168	209	61,377	3,782	57,595

$\frac{1}{/}$ Number of eggs produced during the year divided by the average number of layers on hand during the year.

Table 10.--Eggs: Price per dozen, cash receipts and gross income, 1960

State and division	Eggs sold	Price per dozen	Cash receipts	Value of eggs consumed in farm household 1/	Gross income
	Millions	Cents	dollars	dollars	dollars
Maine	744	57.1	35,402	428	35,830
New Hampshire	319	52.3	13,903	174	14,077
Vermont	154	49.5	6,352	371	6,723
Massachusetts	654	54.7	29,811	273	30,084
Rhode Island	74	54.1	3,336	45	3,381
Connecticut	649	53.1	28,718	354	29,072
New York	1,806	42.0	63,210	2,030	65,240
New Jersey	2,000	42.7	71,167	427	71,594
Pennsylvania	3,390	40.9	115,542	3,340	118,882
North Atlantic	9,790	45.0	367,441	7,442	374,883
Ohio	2,336	33.9	65,992	3,814	69,806
Indiana	2,412	32.7	65,727	2,807	68,534
Illinois	2,266	29.1	54,950	3,177	58,127
Michigan	1,354	33.2	37,461	2,352	39,813
Wisconsin	1,825	31.8	48,362	3,710	52,072
East North Central ...	10,193	32.1	272,492	15,860	288,352
Minnesota	3,382	27.4	77,222	3,882	81,104
Iowa	4,497	28.0	104,930	5,483	110,413
Missouri	1,510	30.7	38,631	4,886	43,517
North Dakota	359	24.4	7,300	1,159	8,459
South Dakota	1,411	25.6	30,101	1,472	31,573
Nebraska	1,724	26.1	37,497	2,675	40,172
Kansas	1,209	26.6	26,800	2,882	29,682
West North Central ...	14,092	27.5	322,481	22,439	344,920
Delaware	130	50.1	5,428	125	5,553
Maryland	306	40.4	10,302	707	11,009
Virginia	984	43.3	35,506	3,969	39,475
West Virginia	341	41.1	11,679	1,507	13,186
North Carolina	1,797	42.0	62,895	8,330	71,225
South Carolina	732	42.7	26,047	2,918	28,965
Georgia	2,120	48.2	85,153	3,936	89,089
Florida	1,005	41.1	34,421	856	35,277
South Atlantic	7,415	43.9	271,431	22,348	293,779
Kentucky	695	32.2	18,649	5,179	23,828
Tennessee	771	38.0	24,415	5,890	30,305
Alabama	1,185	43.1	42,561	4,274	46,835
Mississippi	1,034	40.1	34,553	4,311	38,864
Arkansas	796	38.7	25,671	3,032	28,703
Louisiana	434	42.6	15,407	2,662	18,069
Oklahoma	509	30.6	12,980	2,576	15,556
Texas	2,209	34.0	62,588	6,092	68,680
South Central	7,633	37.2	236,824	34,016	270,840
Montana	172	36.0	5,160	960	6,120
Idaho	239	37.7	7,509	880	8,389
Wyoming	46	36.6	1,403	336	1,739
Colorado	238	33.0	6,545	1,045	7,590
New Mexico	121	40.5	4,084	472	4,556
Arizona	157	42.3	5,534	141	5,675
Utah	297	34.9	8,638	378	9,016
Nevada	9	41.1	308	103	411
Washington	1,003	37.5	31,344	1,406	32,750
Oregon	565	41.3	19,445	1,170	20,615
California	5,625	35.6	166,875	1,572	168,447
Western	8,472	36.4	256,845	8,463	265,308
United States	57,595	36.0	1,727,514	110,568	1,838,082

1/ Eggs consumed are valued at same price per dozen as eggs sold.

Table 11.--Commercial broilers: Production and gross income

State and division	1959				1960			
	Number produced	Pounds produced	Price per pound	Gross income 1/	Number produced	Pounds produced	Price per pound	Gross income 1/
	Thousands	Thousands	Cents	1,000 dollars	Thousands	Thousands	Cents	1,000 dollars
Maine	58,169	221,042	17.4	38,461	54,148	211,177	17.7	37,378
New Hampshire	6,606	24,442	16.8	4,106	5,615	21,337	17.8	3,798
Vermont	889	3,023	17.2	520	507	1,825	17.7	323
Massachusetts	11,046	41,975	17.2	7,220	9,500	36,100	17.6	6,354
Rhode Island	1,649	5,772	17.7	1,022	1,550	5,425	18.2	987
Connecticut	26,713	90,824	17.4	15,803	22,184	75,426	17.9	13,501
New York	11,604	47,576	21.0	9,991	10,328	43,378	20.1	8,719
New Jersey	5,800	29,000	23.9	6,931	5,500	27,500	24.3	6,682
Pennsylvania	40,449	145,616	19.3	28,104	37,725	139,582	18.9	26,381
North Atlantic	162,925	609,270	18.4	112,158	147,057	561,750	18.5	104,123
Ohio	15,993	54,376	16.5	8,972	14,017	49,060	18.1	8,880
Indiana	39,523	134,378	16.0	21,500	36,102	122,747	17.0	20,867
Illinois	7,064	22,605	15.9	3,594	5,487	17,558	17.4	3,055
Michigan	3,600	17,280	20.5	3,542	3,200	16,000	21.5	3,440
Wisconsin	19,682	66,919	16.6	11,109	20,666	72,331	17.4	12,586
East North Central	85,862	295,558	16.5	48,717	79,472	277,696	17.6	48,828
Minnesota	4,977	16,424	17.8	2,923	6,868	24,038	17.5	4,207
Iowa	3,354	14,758	16.8	2,479	4,025	17,710	17.5	3,099
Missouri	39,200	125,440	15.0	18,816	31,750	101,600	16.3	16,561
North Dakota	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
South Dakota	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Nebraska	2,620	8,908	15.9	1,416	2,175	7,178	16.7	1,199
Kansas	1,991	6,172	16.6	1,025	1,891	6,051	17.2	1,041
West North Central	52,142	171,702	15.5	26,659	46,709	156,577	16.7	26,107
Delaware	85,127	297,944	17.0	50,650	91,343	337,969	17.6	59,483
Maryland	93,289	326,512	17.0	55,507	102,812	380,404	17.6	66,951
Virginia	53,971	167,310	16.1	26,937	54,511	168,984	16.7	28,220
West Virginia	27,525	93,585	16.9	15,816	24,772	81,748	17.1	13,979
North Carolina	137,400	453,420	15.2	68,920	156,600	516,780	16.0	82,685
South Carolina	16,996	54,387	15.5	8,430	17,480	57,684	16.3	9,402
Georgia	303,031	1,000,002	15.3	153,000	320,250	1,056,825	16.2	171,206
Florida	10,413	33,322	16.1	5,365	10,101	32,323	16.8	5,430
South Atlantic	727,752	2,426,482	15.9	384,625	777,869	2,632,717	16.6	437,356
Kentucky	17,575	57,998	15.3	8,874	16,520	54,516	16.3	8,886
Tennessee	32,686	104,595	15.2	15,898	33,340	110,022	16.1	17,714
Alabama	158,248	522,218	15.1	78,855	176,654	565,293	16.2	91,577
Mississippi	107,629	333,650	15.2	50,715	115,900	370,880	16.2	60,083
Arkansas	163,997	508,391	15.0	76,259	180,397	559,231	16.3	91,155
Louisiana	21,647	69,270	15.5	10,737	20,250	64,800	16.2	10,498
Oklahoma	7,457	23,862	15.1	3,603	6,711	21,475	16.3	3,500
Texas	115,193	357,098	15.5	55,350	105,203	336,650	16.7	56,221
South Central	624,432	1,977,082	15.2	300,291	654,975	2,082,867	16.3	339,634
Montana	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Idaho	3,348	10,714	18.6	1,993	3,850	11,935	18.9	2,256
Wyoming	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Colorado	1,245	4,233	18.0	762	1,183	4,022	18.5	744
New Mexico	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Arizona	704	2,042	21.0	429	697	2,091	21.1	441
Utah	2,051	6,973	20.0	1,395	1,846	6,276	19.3	1,211
Nevada	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Washington	15,985	54,349	18.6	10,109	15,505	52,717	19.1	10,069
Oregon	10,723	35,386	17.8	6,299	11,738	39,909	18.6	7,423
California	49,753	169,160	18.9	31,971	54,817	191,860	19.0	36,453
Western	83,809	282,857	18.7	52,958	89,636	308,810	19.0	58,597
United States	1,736,922	5,762,951	16.1	925,408	1,795,718	6,020,417	16.9	1,014,645

1/ Includes consumption in households of producers which is less than 1 percent of total production.

Table 12.--Chickens: Total sales of farm chickens and commercial broilers, 1959-60

State and division	1959			1960		
	Pounds sold	Price per pound 1/	Value of sales	Pounds sold	Price per pound 1/	Value of sales
	Thousands	Cents	1,000 dollars	Thousands	Cents	1,000 dollars
Maine	248,264	17.1	42,544	238,090	17.5	41,684
New Hampshire	38,252	15.9	6,067	33,481	17.2	5,753
Vermont	5,865	15.7	1,081	5,701	16.5	939
Massachusetts	62,889	16.2	10,190	53,537	17.2	9,196
Rhode Island	8,261	16.7	1,383	7,573	17.7	1,337
Connecticut	112,062	16.8	18,840	94,453	17.5	16,564
New York	80,965	18.0	14,599	67,465	18.3	12,332
New Jersey	67,709	17.7	12,002	56,635	19.9	11,256
Pennsylvania	215,858	17.8	38,500	197,972	18.1	35,840
North Atlantic	841,125	17.3	145,206	754,907	17.9	134,901
Ohio	93,031	14.4	13,417	75,789	16.4	12,462
Indiana	182,589	14.6	26,707	167,126	15.9	26,503
Illinois	65,906	11.8	7,794	48,292	13.2	6,374
Michigan	42,255	14.5	6,114	34,185	16.4	5,622
Wisconsin	94,059	14.8	13,932	90,133	16.3	14,651
East North Central	477,840	14.2	67,964	415,525	15.8	65,612
Minnesota	83,182	9.0	7,463	77,384	11.7	9,061
Iowa	110,446	8.2	9,081	99,736	10.8	10,727
Missouri	158,715	13.7	21,777	128,011	15.1	19,361
North Dakota	11,206	6.6	740	7,829	7.9	618
South Dakota	24,127	6.3	1,520	21,087	8.8	1,856
Nebraska	36,676	9.0	3,304	27,882	10.4	2,897
Kansas	33,100	9.0	2,964	25,750	10.5	2,715
West North Central	457,452	10.2	45,849	387,679	12.2	47,235
Delaware	301,347	17.0	51,130	341,545	17.6	60,041
Maryland	334,247	16.9	56,605	386,381	17.6	67,865
Virginia	184,876	15.9	29,361	183,212	16.5	30,255
West Virginia	97,402	16.8	16,350	85,339	17.0	14,475
North Carolina	495,826	15.1	74,899	548,592	15.9	87,330
South Carolina	65,981	15.3	10,088	72,864	16.2	11,831
Georgia	1,039,395	15.3	158,515	1,089,600	16.1	175,926
Florida	46,626	15.4	7,188	43,504	16.0	6,939
South Atlantic	2,565,700	15.8	404,136	2,751,037	16.5	454,662
Kentucky	65,764	14.8	9,891	64,655	15.7	10,123
Tennessee	116,979	14.8	17,335	120,757	15.7	18,970
Alabama	541,437	15.0	81,219	580,199	16.1	93,470
Mississippi	345,021	15.2	52,273	378,244	16.2	61,143
Arkansas	521,173	14.9	77,703	573,495	16.2	92,852
Louisiana	75,140	15.5	11,641	71,464	16.2	11,578
Oklahoma	28,640	14.1	4,033	26,645	14.9	3,970
Texas	395,802	15.1	59,607	368,724	16.2	59,589
South Central	2,090,956	15.0	313,702	2,184,183	16.1	351,695
Montana	4,025	14.0	564	3,384	13.1	443
Idaho	15,091	16.3	2,457	15,803	16.8	2,662
Wyoming	572	15.5	89	271	15.0	41
Colorado	8,107	14.7	1,192	6,796	15.6	1,063
New Mexico	886	14.0	124	550	12.0	66
Arizona	5,284	16.5	873	4,946	16.1	798
Utah	11,211	15.9	1,785	9,999	15.2	1,516
Nevada	141	11.0	16	116	9.2	11
Washington	65,466	17.3	11,343	64,275	17.5	11,225
Oregon	44,931	16.1	7,234	48,981	17.1	8,366
California	250,922	15.9	41,514	275,049	16.3	44,938
Western	416,636	16.1	67,191	430,170	16.5	71,129
United States	6,849,709	15.3	1,045,048	6,923,501	16.3	1,125,234

1/ Price obtained by dividing value of sales by pounds sold.

COMMERCIAL BROILER PRODUCTION AT RECORD HIGH: A total of 1,796 million commercial broilers totaling 6,020 million pounds live weight were produced in 1960. The average price received by producers for this record production was 16.9 cents per pound live weight, compared with 16.1 cents in 1959. Gross income from broilers was \$1,015 million--up 10 percent from 1959. Georgia led all States in number of broilers produced in 1960, with 18 percent of the Nation's total, followed by Arkansas and Alabama with about 10 percent each, North Carolina with 9 percent, Mississippi, Texas, and Maryland with 6 percent each, Delaware with 5 percent, and California, Virginia, and Maine with 3 percent each. These 11 States accounted for 79 percent of the 1960 broiler production in the United States.

DEATH LOSS: Death loss during 1960 of chickens on hand January 1, 1960 was 19 percent, about the same as a year earlier.

TOTAL SALES OF FARM CHICKENS AND COMMERCIAL BROILERS UP: Combined sales of farm chickens and commercial broilers in 1960 totaled 6,924 million pounds -- 1 percent more than the combined sales in 1959. Total value of birds sold was \$1,125 million, compared with \$1,045 million in 1959. Commercial broiler sales amounted to 87 percent of the total pounds sold, compared with 84 percent of the total sales in 1959. The average price per pound live weight received for the combined farm chicken and broiler sales was 16.3 cents, compared with 15.3 cents a year earlier.

REVISIONS: Revised production and disposition estimates for 1959 by States are shown in this issue. Estimates of chickens raised were revised after making a review of the 1959 Census of Agriculture and of other data which became available since the original estimates were made. Revised production and disposition estimates for the years 1955 through 1958 will be released in early June.

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