Turkeys



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Turkeys Raised in 1991 Up 1 Percent

Turkeys raised in the United States during 1991 totaled 285 million, 1 percent more than the 282 million turkeys raised during 1990.

North Carolina ranked first in the number raised with 58.0 million followed by Minnesota with 44.0 million; California with 29.0 million; Arkansas with 24.0 million; Missouri with 21.5 million, and Virginia with 17.3 million. These States account for over two-thirds of the turkeys produced in the United States during 1991.

Turkey Growers Plan 1 Percent Increase in 1992

Turkey growers in 20 major producing States intend to raise 272 million turkeys in 1992, up 1 percent from the 270 million in 1991.

The number of turkeys actually raised in 1992 may vary from growers' intentions shown in this report depending on feed costs, supply of hatching eggs, cost of poults, and prices growers receive for turkeys during the next few months.

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Number Raised in 1990 and 1991 and Number Intended to be Raised in 1992

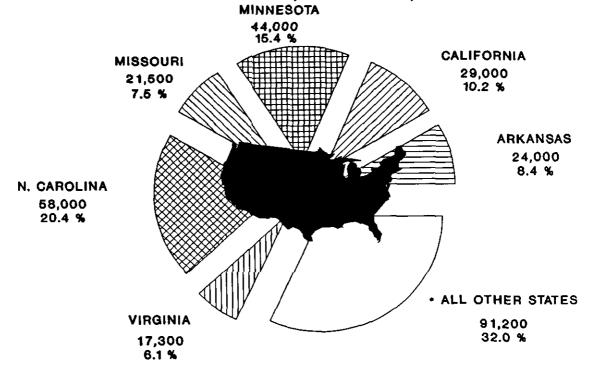
State	: Number		1991 as % of	: Number :	1992 as % of
State	1990 :	1991 :	1990	: 1992 <u>1</u> / :	1991
	1,000	Head	Percent	1,000 Head	
AR	22,000	24,000	109	24,500	102
CA :	31,500	29,000	92	24,500	84
CO :	: <u>2</u> / : 2,010	<u>2</u> / 1,900	95	2/ 1,650	87
IN	: 13,700	15,000	109	15,500	103
IA :	8,800	8,700	99	8,400	97
MN :	46,300	44,000	95	45,000	102
MO :	18,000	21,500	119	24,000	112 103
NC ND	: 58,000 : 1,320	58,000 1,300	100 98	60,000 1,300	103
OH	4,750	4,500	95	4,700	104
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OR :	2,300	2,3 5 0	102	2,3 <u>0</u> 0	98
PA :	8,430	8,400	100	8,600	102
SC :	5,500	6,000	109	6,000	100
SD	2,600	2,700	104	2,700	100
TX :	: <u>2</u> / : 3,930	<u>2</u> / 4,050	103	<u>2</u> / 3,600	89
VA :	17,000	17,300	102	18,000	104
WI	<u>2</u> /	<u>2</u> /		<u>2</u> /	
0th Sts <u>2</u> /	20,300	20,800	102	21,250	102
20 State Total	266,440	269,500	101	272,000	101
CT	30	25	83		
DE	: <u>3</u> /	$\frac{3}{2}$	7.0		
IL :	4,460	3,120	70		
KS :	: 400 : 110	560 120	140 109		
MA :	170	140	82		
MI :	4,300	4,700	109		
NE	2,090	2,130	102		
NH :	: 20	25	125		
NJ :	100	90	90		
NY UV	: 480	490 4 100	102		
WV :	3,850	4,100	106		
US Total	282,450	285,000	101		

 $[\]frac{1}{2}$ / Intentions to raise turkeys made in 20 states only. $\frac{2}{2}$ / Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations. $\frac{3}{2}$ / MD & DE combined.

Turkeys: Death Loss

Geographic Division	:	Young Turke i		as a Perce		otal Number
DIVISION	:	1989	:	1990	:	1991
			Percent			
E N CENT W N CENT N & S ATL S CENT	:	10 11 10		11 10 9 10		10 10 9
WEST	:	10		10		11
US	:	9.8		9.7		9.9

TURKEYS RAISED, 1991 (1,000 Head).



• All other states include: CO,GA,IN, IA,ND,OH,OK,OR,PA,SC,SD,TX,UT,WI,CT, DE,IL,KS,MD,MA,MI,NE,NH,NJ,NY,WV. U.S. TOTAL 285,000

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