## Broiler Hatchery



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## Broiler Eggs Set In 15 Selected States Up 3 Percent

Commercial hatcheries in the 15-State weekly program set 140 million eggs during the week ending July 20, 1991. This was 3 percent above the 136 million eggs set the corresponding week a year earlier. Average hatchability for chicks hatched during the week was 83 percent. Average hatchability is calculated by dividing chicks hatched during the week by eggs set three weeks earlier.

## Broiler Chicks Placed Up 5 Percent

Broiler growers in the 15-State weekly program placed 107 million chicks for meat production during the week ending July 20, 1991. Placements were 5 percent above placements for the comparable week in 1990. Cumulative placements from November 4, 1990, through July 20, 1991, were 4.11 billion, 4 percent above the 3.98 billion placed during the same period a year earlier.

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Broiler Eggs Set in 15 Selected States

State	:		Week i	Ending	. <b></b>	
	: Jun 15	Jun 22	: Jun 29	: Jul 6	: Jul 13	Jul 20
<b></b>	:		Thou	sands		
AL	: : 24,691	24,508	*22,045	23,887	23,772	23,925
AR	: 26,905	26,628	23,664	26,092	25,772	25,605
DE	: 3,964	4,251	3,833	4,150	*4,058	4,051
FL	: 3,279	3,274	3,081	3,447	3,413	3,509
GA	: 22,341	22,381	*21,488	21,693	21,893	21,146
MD	: 9,009	8,694	8,590	8,711	*8,863	8,941
MS NC	: 10,977 : 14,370	10,917 14,443	10,340 13,564	9,962 14,696	10,568 14,456	10,599 13,987
PA	: 3,271	3,055	3,140	3,274	2,902	3,138
SC	: 2,376	2,376	2,282	2,214	2,346	2,346
TX	: 9,602	9,466	8,928	9,620	*9,695	9,630
VA	: 4,756	4,701	4,706	4,544	4,756	4,744
CA TN & WV	: 8,343	8,382 	8,169 	8,220 	8,221	8,173 
1991 Total	: 143,884	143,076	*133,830	140,510	*140,674	139,794
1990 Total	: 139,681	136,813	127,726	136,343	136,490	136,288
6 Of Prev Yr	: 103	105	105	103	103	103
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