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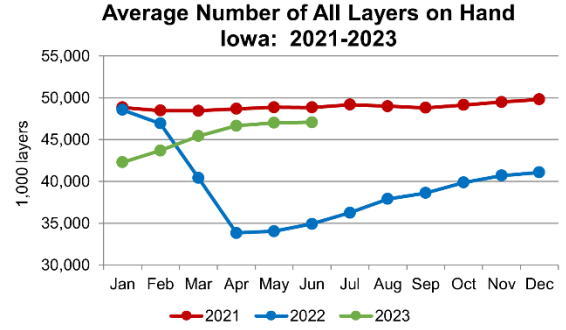
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Iowa egg production during June 2023 was 1.17 billion eggs, up 36 percent from the previous June, according to the latest *Chickens and Eggs* report from the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

The average number of all layers on hand during June 2023 was 47.1 million, up 35 percent from last year. Eggs per 100 layers for June 2023 was 2,494, up 1 percent from a year ago.



Layers on Hand and Eggs Produced – States and United States: During June 2022 and 2023

[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	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(eggs)	(eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)
Alabama	1,330	1,385	11,885	12,345	1,890	1,838	224.6	226.9	34.8	35.6
Arkansas	(D)	(D)	15,539	15,310	2,099	2,093	326.1	320.4	(D)	(D)
California	12,806	10,777	13,460	11,352	2,366	2,344	318.5	266.1	(D)	(D)
Colorado	2,333	2,132	2,861	2,660	2,496	2,436	71.4	64.8	(D)	(D)
Georgia	9,702	9,128	20,139	19,965	2,129	2,117	428.7	422.6	230.6	222.9
Illinois	6,409	6,401	6,971	6,951	2,221	2,323	154.8	161.5	151.0	157.8
Indiana	35,048	35,086	36,273	36,331	2,478	2,410	898.9	875.4	884.2	859.5
Iowa	33,002	45,188	34,920	47,068	2,477	2,494	865.1	1,173.9	844.6	1,153.1
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	5,554	5,736	2,186	2,052	121.4	117.7	(D)	(D)
Maryland	1,407	1,945	1,599	2,155	2,527	2,599	40.4	56.0	39.1	54.6
Michigan	16,697	16,041	17,017	16,370	2,516	2,500	428.1	409.3	(D)	(D)
Minnesota	8,136	7,302	8,682	7,836	2,489	2,458	216.1	192.6	208.3	184.9
Mississippi	(D)	(D)	5,779	5,657	2,076	2,052	120.0	116.1	(D)	(D)
Missouri	7,474	6,988	13,630	13,383	2,473	2,467	337.1	330.1	295.1	288.9
Nebraska	4,227	7,401	4,778	8,028	2,288	2,435	109.3	195.5	100.8	184.9
New York	5,228	5,138	5,781	5,712	2,524	2,491	145.9	142.3	(D)	(D)
North Carolina	7,083	7,225	15,788	16,005	2,108	2,166	332.8	346.6	171.9	184.1
Ohio	38,290	36,667	39,629	38,006	2,456	2,381	973.2	905.1	(D)	(D)
Oklahoma	(D)	(D)	2,361	2,416	1,965	1,863	46.4	45.0	(D)	(D)
Oregon	1,753	2,069	1,924	2,240	2,578	2,478	49.6	55.5	49.6	55.5
Pennsylvania	21,823	24,797	24,767	27,898	2,525	2,458	625.4	685.6	585.4	642.4
South Carolina	2,543	2,337	3,809	3,627	2,098	2,236	79.9	81.1	57.7	58.4
South Dakota	1,857	1,438	1,912	1,493	2,490	2,485	47.6	37.1	47.6	37.1
Texas	(D)	(D)	22,708	23,178	2,331	2,278	529.3	528.1	(D)	(D)
Utah	4,850	5,916	4,902	5,968	2,619	2,523	128.4	150.6	128.4	150.6
Virginia	842	829	2,687	2,723	2,330	2,350	62.6	64.0	33.1	33.1
Washington	6,325	5,401	6,489	5,565	2,600	2,476	168.7	137.8	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	4,163	7,158	5,291	8,264	2,534	2,557	134.1	211.3	128.3	205.4
Other States ¹	24,119	25,774	30,282	32,334	2,353	2,343	712.5	757.7	637.7	676.4
United States	283,730	300,622	367,417	386,576	2,367	2,348	8,696.9	9,076.7	7,419.1	7,776.3

(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 9.08 billion during June 2023, up 4 percent from last year. Production included 7.78 billion table eggs, and 1.30 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.20 billion were broiler-type and 95.8 million were egg-type. The average number of layers during June 2023 totaled 387 million, up 5 percent from last year. June egg production per 100 layers was 2,348 eggs, down 1 percent from June 2022.

Total layers in the United States on July 1, 2023, totaled 386 million, up 5 percent from last year. The 386 million layers consisted of 317 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 65.0 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.69 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on July 1, 2023, averaged 78.5 eggs per 100 layers, down 1 percent from July 1, 2022.

Egg-type chicks hatched during June 2023 totaled 57.4 million, up 1 percent from June 2022. Eggs in incubators totaled 49.1 million on July 1, 2023, up 8 percent from a year ago.

Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 199 thousand during June 2023, down 9 percent from June 2022.

Broiler-type chicks hatched during June 2023 totaled 830 million, down 1 percent from June 2022. Eggs in incubators totaled 726 million on July 1, 2023, up slightly from a year ago.

The complete report can be found on the USDA NASS website at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications.

Average Layers During the Month – United States

