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This report contains the results from the **Weekly Broiler Hatchery Report**. These data are also posted on our web site at https://www.nass.usda.gov/la and in a more detailed report at https://www.nass.usda.gov. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set Up 3 Percent from Last Year

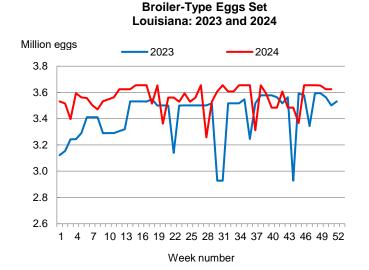
Louisiana hatcheries set 3.62 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending December 21, 2024, up 3 percent from the comparable week in 2023 but unchanged from the previous week.

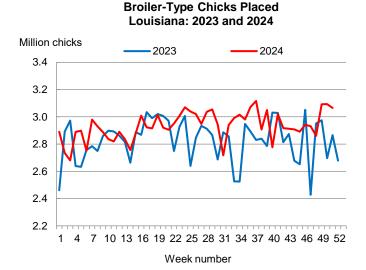
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 250 million eggs in incubators during the week ending December 21, 2024, up 4 percent from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Up 7 Percent

Louisiana broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 3.07 million chicks during the week ending December 21, 2024, up 7 percent from the comparable week in 2023 but down 1 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 194 million chicks for meat production during the week ending December 21, 2024, up 2 percent from a year ago.





Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2024

	Week ending							
State	November 16, 2024	November 23, 2024	November 30, 2024	December 7, 2024	December 14, 2024	December 21, 2024		
	(1,000 eggs)							
Alabama Arkansas Delaware Florida Georgia Kentucky Louisiana Maryland Mississippi	35,148 25,843 5,257 1,225 34,643 8,083 3,655 8,092 17,749	35,016 26,030 5,250 1,223 34,945 7,878 3,655 8,094 18,142	35,506 26,154 5,430 1,225 34,814 8,090 3,655 8,095 18,107	34,733 25,690 5,442 1,222 33,998 7,896 3,653 8,095 18,111	34,717 25,906 5,436 1,222 34,625 7,806 3,624 8,094 18,081	35,464 26,263 5,437 1,225 35,212 8,016 3,624 8,094 18,066		
Missouri	9,157	9,271	9,201	9,157	9,143	9,114		
North Carolina Oklahoma Pennsylvania South Carolina Texas Virginia CA, TN, and WV	26,197 5,770 8,326 6,211 19,925 5,727 15,753	26,264 5,965 8,068 6,110 19,500 5,727 15,526	26,216 6,182 8,032 5,939 20,104 5,727 15,583	25,841 5,199 8,411 5,733 19,181 5,362 15,712	26,172 5,770 8,248 5,735 19,307 5,719 15,676	26,112 6,022 8,138 6,089 19,521 5,668 15,896		
Other States	11,868	12,091	11,995	11,912	11,915	11,849		
United States	248,629	248,755	250,055	245,348	247,196	249,810		

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed - Selected States and United States: 2024

State	Week ending							
	November 16, 2024	November 23, 2024	November 30, 2024	December 7, 2024	December 14, 2024	December 21, 2024		
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)		
Alabama	24,522	24,100	24,321	24,405	24,659	25,084		
Arkansas	21,804	21,382	21,079	21,414	22,097	21,363		
Delaware	4,560	4,421	4,315	4,199	5,481	4,223		
Florida	1,277	1,397	1,240	1,290	1,194	1,310		
Georgia	26,094	26,959	26,379	27,716	27,218	26,927		
Kentucky	5,844	5,834	5,758	6,034	6,041	5,874		
Louisiana	2,942	2,931	2,861	3,092	3,093	3,065		
Maryland	6,269	5,982	6,193	6,491	6,094	6,242		
Mississippi	14,106	13,026	14,215	14,469	14,689	14,579		
Missouri	5,433	5,298	5,896	5,734	5,655	6,296		
North Carolina	20,870	20,443	20,535	21,050	20,079	20,824		
Oklahoma	3,153	3,306	4,191	4,328	3,961	4,005		
Pennsylvania	4,439	5,032	5,158	5,487	5,222	5,290		
South Carolina	4,513	4,202	4,415	4,973	6,096	5,142		
Texas	15,018	15,565	14,463	15,247	15,373	15,345		
Virginia		5,234	5,181	4,812	4,503	5,335		
CA, TN, and WV	14,338	14,118	14,001	14,043	13,320	13,834		
Other States	9,082	9,065	9,072	9,250	9,374	9,387		
United States	189,133	188,295	189,273	194,034	194,149	194,125		