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MONTHLY CHICKENS AND EGGS – NOVEMBER 2024

COLORADO

Colorado egg production during November 2024 totaled 44.2 million eggs, down 5 percent from October 2024 and down 62 percent from November 2023 production, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. The average number of layers on hand in November 2024 was 1.89 million, down 5 percent from October 2024 and down 57 percent from last year. Eggs per 100 layers were 2,335 eggs, down 11 percent from last year.

UTAH

Utah egg production during November 2024 totaled 153.3 million eggs, down 11 percent from October 2024, and down 9 percent from November 2023 production, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. The average number of layers on hand during November 2024 was 6.25 million, down 12 percent from October 2024, and down 4 percent from last year. Eggs per 100 layers were 2,455 eggs, down 6 percent from last year.

UNITED STATES

United States egg production totaled 8.92 billion during November 2024, down 4 percent from last year. Production included 7.68 billion table eggs, and 1.24 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.15 billion were broiler-type and 90.3 million were egg-type. The average number of layers during November 2024 totaled 376 million, down 3 percent from last year. November egg production per 100 layers was 2,374 eggs, down 1 percent from November 2023.

Total layers in the United States on December 1, 2024 totaled 375 million, down 3 percent from last year. The 375 million layers consisted of 311 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 60.7 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.78 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on December 1, 2024, averaged 79.0 eggs per 100 layers, down 1 percent from December 1, 2023.

Egg-type chicks hatched during November 2024 totaled 48.8 million, up 1 percent from November 2023. Eggs in incubators totaled 50.1 million on December 1, 2024, down slightly from a year ago. Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 191 thousand during November 2024, down 4 percent from November 2023.

For the full copy of *Chickens and Eggs* report, please visit www.nass.usda.gov. For state specific questions, please contact the following State Statisticians at 1-800-392-3202.

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