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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/ar and in a more detailed report at https://www.nass.usda.gov. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set Down 10 Percent from Last Year

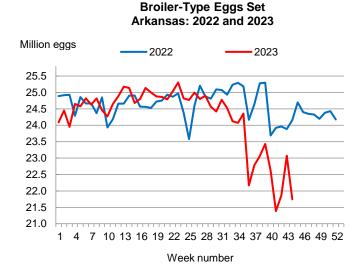
Arkansas hatcheries set 21.7 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending November 4, 2023, down 10 percent from the comparable week in 2022 and down 6 percent from the previous week.

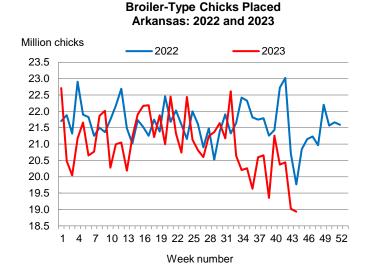
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 224 million eggs in incubators during the week ending November 4, 2023, down 3 percent from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Down 4 Percent

Arkansas broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 18.9 million chicks during the week ending November 4, 2023, down 4 percent from the comparable week in 2022 and down slightly from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 177 million chicks for meat production during the week ending November 4, 2023, down 5 percent from a year ago.





Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2023

	Week ending							
State	September 30,	October 7,	October 14,	October 21,	October 28,	November 4,		
	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023	2023		
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)		
Alabama Arkansas Delaware Florida Georgia Kentucky Louisiana Maryland Mississippi	31,901	32,667	32,487	32,415	32,250	31,685		
	23,430	22,615	21,386	21,861	23,070	21,746		
	5,347	5,300	5,279	5,247	5,154	5,355		
	0	914	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225		
	34,431	35,188	34,471	34,972	34,566	33,497		
	6,734	6,344	6,349	6,596	6,291	5,959		
	3,578	3,578	3,563	3,517	3,563	2,928		
	8,067	7,879	7,698	8,071	8,065	8,065		
	16,336	15,219	15,089	16,354	15,470	16,612		
Missouri North Carolina Oklahoma Pennsylvania South Carolina Texas Virginia CA, TN, and WV	8,793	8,740	8,773	7,763	8,328	8,398		
	23,054	21,922	22,380	22,041	24,074	23,604		
	6,676	5,876	5,873	6,371	6,279	5,991		
	6,961	7,270	7,221	7,260	6,769	7,127		
	6,051	5,919	5,926	6,093	6,213	5,982		
	17,862	16,877	16,388	16,414	18,463	16,972		
	5,382	5,655	5,594	5,735	5,765	5,360		
	11,712	13,316	13,678	13,339	13,583	12,568		
Other States United States	12,294	11,737	12,102	12,270	12,057	11,384		
	228,609	227,016	225,482	227,544	231,185	224,458		

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed - Selected States and United States: 2023

	Week ending							
State	September 30, 2023	October 7, 2023	October 14, 2023	October 21, 2023	October 28, 2023	November 4, 2023		
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)		
Alabama	23,783	23,607	23,936	23,217	23,322	23,547		
Arkansas	19,357	21,257	20,372	20,443	19,015	18,934		
Delaware	5,537	5,120	4,457	4,080	5,697	4,505		
Florida	1,315	1,018	1,281	0	1,085	1,207		
Georgia		28,516	26,968	26,780	26,455	26,543		
Kentucky	5,257	4,867	5,376	5,195	5,077	5,022		
Louisiana	2,785	3,031	3,028	2,814	2,709	2,410		
Maryland	5,450	5,456	6,070	5,524	4,840	5,708		
Mississippi	12,793	13,387	13,453	13,230	12,052	12,096		
Missouri	6,007	5,293	5,395	5,331	5,273	5,315		
North Carolina	18,636	18,317	19,363	18,935	18,495	18,139		
Oklahoma	3,840	3,312	3,926	4,441	4,526	3,584		
Pennsylvania	4,781	4,904	4,402	4,408	4,736	4,657		
South Carolina	4,979	4,865	4,452	4,398	4,916	4,695		
Texas	14,422	14,339	14,916	14,409	13,609	13,430		
Virginia	5,043	5,054	5,686	5,795	4,931	5,392		
CA, TN, and WV	11,406	10,877	10,739	10,133	11,735	12,078		
Other States	9,510	9,236	8,746	9,779	9,176	9,502		
United States	182,593	182,456	182,566	178,912	177,649	176,764		