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This report contains the results from the **Monthly Chicken and Egg Report**. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ms> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

November Egg Production Down 3 Percent from Last Year

Egg production in Mississippi totaled 120 million eggs during November 2023, down 2 percent from the previous month and down 3 percent from November 2022. The number of layers during November 2023 averaged 5.70 million, up 2 percent from the previous month but down 1 percent from this time last year. Egg production per 100 layers averaged 2,100 eggs, down 4 percent from the previous month and down 2 percent from a year ago.

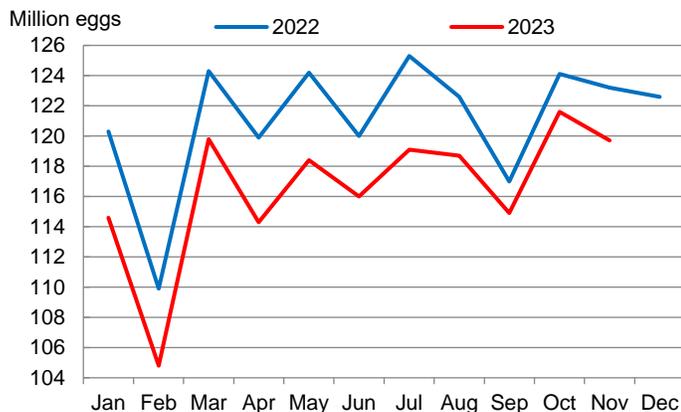
United States egg production totaled 9.30 billion during November 2023, up 4 percent from last year. The average number of layers during November 2023 totaled 390 million, up 3 percent from last year. November egg production per 100 layers was 2,385 eggs, up 1 percent from November 2022.

Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched Down 1 Percent

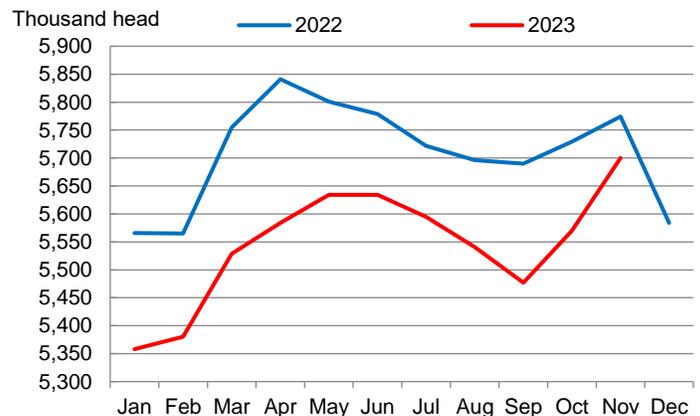
Broiler-type chicks hatched in Mississippi during November 2023 totaled 56.6 million, down 1 percent from November 2022.

Broiler-type chicks hatched in United States during November 2023 totaled 788 million, down 3 percent from November 2022.

Monthly Egg Production
Mississippi: 2022 and 2023



Average Layers During the Month
Mississippi: 2022 and 2023



Layers on Hand and Eggs Produced - Mississippi, Surrounding States, and United States: During November 2022 and 2023

State	All layers		Eggs per 100 for all layers		Total egg production		Total egg production by dozen	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(eggs)	(eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(1,000 dozen eggs)	(1,000 dozen eggs)
Alabama	11,166	11,676	1,887	1,864	210.7	217.6	17,558.4	18,133.3
Arkansas	15,653	15,692	2,083	2,126	326.1	333.6	27,174.9	27,800.0
Mississippi	5,774	5,700	2,134	2,100	123.2	119.7	10,266.6	9,974.9
Missouri	13,763	13,615	2,534	2,569	348.8	349.8	29,066.7	29,150.0
Oklahoma	2,384	2,245	1,951	2,045	46.5	45.9	3,875.0	3,825.0
Texas	23,254	23,134	2,367	2,362	550.5	546.5	45,875.0	45,541.7
United States	377,842	390,106	2,368	2,385	8,947.2	9,302.4	745,600.1	775,199.5

Broiler-Type Chicks Hatched - Mississippi, Surrounding States, and United States: November 2022 and 2023

State	During November		
	2022	2023	Percent of previous year
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(percent)
Alabama	116,314	110,467	95
Arkansas	82,855	78,432	95
Louisiana	11,705	11,055	94
Mississippi	57,159	56,583	99
Missouri	32,366	29,719	92
Oklahoma	23,930	21,921	92
Texas	62,247	60,322	97
United States	809,629	787,572	97