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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 4 Percent from Last Year

Louisiana hatcheries set 3.42 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending April 1, 2023, up 4 percent from the comparable week in 2022 and up 3 percent from the previous week.

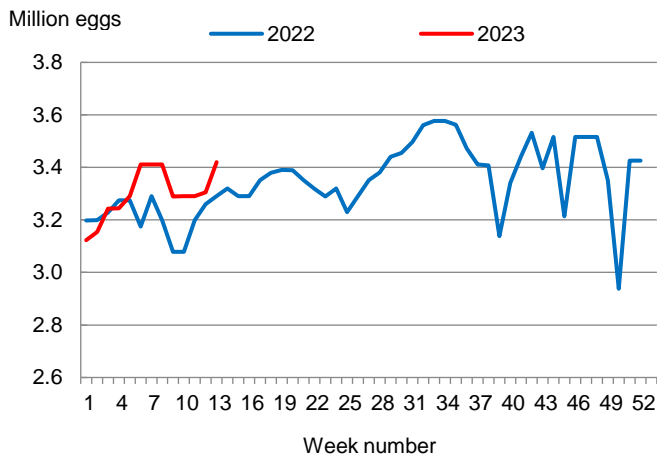
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 240 million eggs in incubators during the week ending April 1, 2023, down slightly from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Up 9 Percent

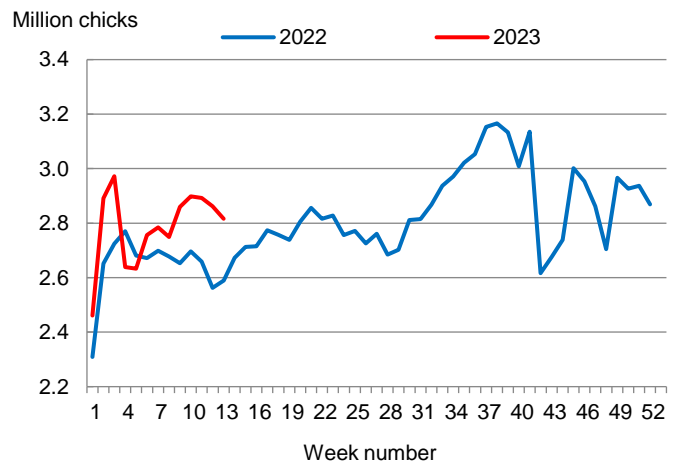
Louisiana broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 2.82 million chicks during the week ending April 1, 2023, up 9 percent from the comparable week in 2022 but down 2 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 186 million chicks for meat production during the week ending April 1, 2023, down slightly from a year ago.

**Broiler-Type Eggs Set
Louisiana: 2022 and 2023**



**Broiler-Type Chicks Placed
Louisiana: 2022 and 2023**



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

State	Week ending					
	February 25, 2023	March 4, 2023	March 11, 2023	March 18, 2023	March 25, 2023	April 1, 2023
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
Alabama	34,767	34,577	34,884	34,326	34,855	34,779
Arkansas	24,818	24,461	24,268	24,650	24,885	24,728
Delaware	5,372	5,369	5,491	5,369	5,487	5,417
Florida	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225
Georgia	35,074	35,256	35,240	35,508	35,686	35,050
Kentucky	6,626	6,580	6,052	6,397	6,424	6,072
Louisiana	3,411	3,289	3,290	3,290	3,305	3,420
Maryland	8,094	8,095	8,095	8,091	8,013	8,094
Mississippi	16,924	17,000	16,680	17,108	16,869	16,760
Missouri	9,776	9,714	9,660	9,489	9,998	10,038
North Carolina	24,082	25,057	24,834	24,988	24,556	25,144
Oklahoma	7,344	7,510	7,401	7,213	7,723	6,595
Pennsylvania	6,772	6,801	6,760	6,678	6,831	6,784
South Carolina	5,950	6,046	6,040	5,974	6,061	5,764
Texas	18,058	18,217	18,127	18,416	18,332	18,378
Virginia	6,760	6,756	6,724	5,877	5,907	5,907
CA, TN, and WV	13,049	13,265	13,450	13,245	13,470	12,840
Other States	12,657	12,625	12,929	12,294	12,459	12,861
United States	240,759	241,843	241,150	240,138	242,086	239,856

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

State	Week ending					
	February 25, 2023	March 4, 2023	March 11, 2023	March 18, 2023	March 25, 2023	April 1, 2023
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama	23,925	23,945	24,699	24,647	24,288	24,426
Arkansas	21,864	22,016	20,279	20,994	21,047	20,127
Delaware	4,627	5,556	5,030	4,437	4,823	5,007
Florida	1,225	1,165	1,287	1,207	1,290	1,291
Georgia	27,631	27,950	27,551	27,479	26,977	27,771
Kentucky	5,234	6,153	5,008	5,220	5,383	4,737
Louisiana	2,749	2,859	2,898	2,892	2,862	2,816
Maryland	5,958	4,982	5,641	5,319	5,718	5,208
Mississippi	14,107	13,977	13,686	13,518	13,580	13,322
Missouri	6,351	5,804	6,634	6,452	6,258	6,020
North Carolina	18,652	19,063	19,006	18,658	19,879	19,327
Oklahoma	3,604	3,996	4,700	4,381	4,274	5,074
Pennsylvania	4,491	4,081	4,444	4,558	4,541	4,568
South Carolina	4,658	4,520	4,743	4,730	4,383	4,314
Texas	14,374	14,512	14,265	14,364	14,437	14,447
Virginia	5,990	6,092	5,902	6,617	5,889	5,704
CA, TN, and WV	11,462	10,691	11,569	11,562	12,044	12,643
Other States	9,265	9,237	9,061	9,491	9,510	9,689
United States	186,167	186,599	186,403	186,526	187,183	186,491