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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 5 Percent from Last Year

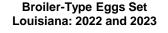
Louisiana hatcheries set 3.55 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending May 6, 2023, up 5 percent from the comparable week in 2022 and up slightly from the previous week.

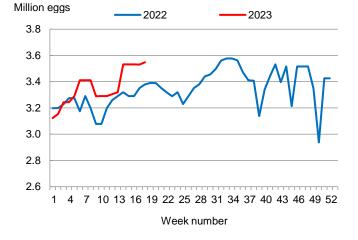
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 242 million eggs in incubators during the week ending May 6, 2023, up slightly from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Up 8 Percent

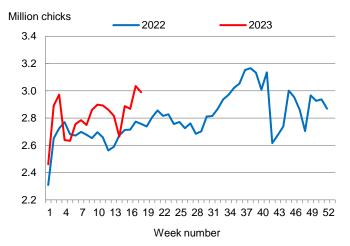
Louisiana broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 2.99 million chicks during the week ending May 6, 2023, up 8 percent from the comparable week in 2022 but down 1 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 186 million chicks for meat production during the week ending May 6, 2023, down 1 percent from a year ago.





Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Louisiana: 2022 and 2023



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

	Week ending							
State	April 1, 2023	April 8, 2023	April 15, 2023	April 22, 2023	April 29, 2023	May 6, 2023		
	(1,000 eggs)							
Alabama Arkansas Delaware Florida Georgia Kentucky Louisiana Maryland Mississippi	34,794 25,176 5,417 1,225 35,209 6,419 3,320 8,094 16,318	34,697 25,137 5,428 1,225 35,834 6,522 3,532 8,092 16,509	34,628 24,681 5,438 1,225 35,480 6,140 3,532 8,091 16,373	34,059 24,613 5,428 1,225 34,232 6,204 3,532 8,026 16,466	34,274 25,127 5,440 1,225 35,302 6,268 3,531 8,081 16,541	34,189 24,967 5,430 1,225 35,393 6,142 3,548 8,092 16,617		
Missouri	10,038	10,067	10,128	10,130	10,129	10,100		
North Carolina	25,144 7,744 6,784 5,764 18,378 5,907 13,213	23,777 7,259 6,857 5,612 18,530 5,877 13,310	24,666 7,576 6,683 5,671 18,236 5,866 13,367	25,140 7,411 6,762 5,648 18,417 5,866 13,928	24,809 7,668 6,763 5,533 18,773 5,879 13,474	25,073 7,622 6,625 5,637 19,019 5,879 13,611		
Other States	12,861	12,411	12,484	12,881	12,921	12,367		
United States	241,805	240,676	240,265	239,968	241,738	241,536		

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	Week ending							
State	April 1, 2023	April 8, 2023	April 15, 2023	April 22, 2023	April 29, 2023	May 6, 2023		
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)		
Alabama	24,415	23,778	23,594	24,499	24,566	24,254		
Arkansas	20,184	21,209	21,906	22,170	22,163	21,008		
Delaware	5,007	5,648	4,112	5,317	4,614	5,149		
Florida	1,291	1,295	1,289	1,303	1,283	1,283		
Georgia	27,771	27,839	28,050	28,195	27,582	26,990		
Kentucky	4,656	5,197	5,658	5,594	5,147	5,450		
Louisiana	2,816	2,664	2,888	2,868	3,035	2,990		
Maryland	5,350	4,491	7,110	5,766	6,365	6,139		
Mississippi	13,200	13,565	13,527	12,999	13,018	12,876		
Missouri	6,020	5,997	6,703	6,239	5,750	6,557		
North Carolina	19,327	18,807	18,992	18,977	18,645	19,182		
Oklahoma	5,074	4,164	3,698	4,041	4,618	4,684		
Pennsylvania	4,568	4,633	4,485	4,468	4,547	4,318		
South Carolina	4,314	5,297	5,062	4,445	4,583	4,776		
Texas	14,447	14,955	14,570	14,480	14,382	14,433		
Virginia	5,562	5,836	4,358	4,818	5,040	4,947		
CA, TN, and WV	12,821	11,777	11,663	11,249	11,830	11,504		
Other States	9,689	9,168	9,255	9,547	9,029	9,026		
United States	186,512	186,320	186,920	186,975	186,197	185,566		