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Louisiana Broiler Hatchery

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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 9 Percent from Last Year

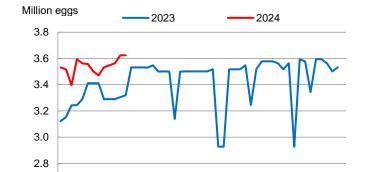
Louisiana hatcheries set 3.62 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending March 30, 2024, up 9 percent from the comparable week in 2023 but unchanged from the previous week.

Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 244 million eggs in incubators during the week ending March 30, 2024, up 1 percent from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Up 1 Percent

Louisiana broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 2.84 million chicks during the week ending March 30, 2024, up 1 percent from the comparable week in 2023 but down 2 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 187 million chicks for meat production during the week ending March 30, 2024, up slightly from a year ago.



1 4 7 10 13 16 19 22 25 28 31 34 37 40 43 46 49 52

Week number

2.6

Broiler-Type Eggs Set

Louisiana: 2023 and 2024

Million chicks

3.4

3.2

3.0

2.8

2.6

2.4

2.2

1 4 7 10 13 16 19 22 25 28 31 34 37 40 43 46 49 52

Week number

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Louisiana: 2023 and 2024

Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2024

	Week ending							
State	February 24, 2024	March 2, 2024	March 9, 2024	March 16, 2024	March 23, 2024	March 30, 2024		
	(1,000 eggs)							
Alabama Arkansas Delaware Florida Georgia Kentucky Louisiana Maryland Mississippi	35,133 25,655 5,538 1,225 36,156 8,133 3,471 8,061 17,469	35,160 25,465 5,620 1,225 36,001 7,674 3,533 8,050 17,458	33,951 25,392 5,574 1,225 36,223 7,967 3,548 8,063 17,405	35,130 24,774 5,583 1,225 36,275 8,084 3,563 8,064 17,396	34,976 25,418 5,559 1,225 36,117 7,783 3,624 8,061 17,337	34,649 25,196 5,573 1,225 35,983 7,779 3,624 8,061 17,279		
Missouri	8,798	8,833	8,861	8,798	8,834	8,373		
North Carolina	25,346 5,032 7,659 6,088 19,312 5,667 13,815	24,723 6,254 8,003 6,085 19,311 5,664 13,527	25,239 6,309 7,876 5,970 19,391 5,664 13,995	24,948 6,055 7,803 6,331 19,476 5,667 13,938	25,191 6,199 7,447 6,233 19,185 5,682 13,979	25,447 6,058 7,792 6,235 19,205 5,363 13,608		
Other States	11,899	11,863	12,009	12,283	12,513	12,476		
United States	244,457	244,449	244,662	245,393	245,363	243,926		

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	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)		
Alabama	24,471	24,659	25,485	24,217	24,720	23,666		
Arkansas	19,927	20,713	21,554	21,490	22,057	21,826		
Delaware	4,632	5,539	4,574	5,070	4,830	4,295		
Florida	1,317	1,243	1,330	1,414	1,401	1,390		
Georgia	28,018	26,914	26,697	27,929	27,479	27,663		
Kentucky	5,376	5,352	5,600	6,006	5,816	5,671		
Louisiana	2,930	2,888	2,836	2,820	2,890	2,836		
Maryland	5,874	6,389	6,558	6,352	5,984	6,480		
Mississippi	13,369	13,462	13,781	13,638	13,434	13,651		
Missouri	5,491	5,476	5,425	5,522	5,806	5,207		
North Carolina	19,794	20,367	19,729	19,451	19,237	19,560		
Oklahoma	4,329	3,883	3,170	3,646	3,679	3,979		
Pennsylvania	4,569	4,998	4,965	4,791	4,694	4,913		
South Carolina	4,586	4,268	5,399	4,842	4,944	4,775		
Texas	14,660	14,489	14,520	14,591	14,743	14,491		
Virginia	5,288	4,665	5,128	5,151	4,860	5,478		
CA, TN, and WV	12,280	12,819	12,339	12,634	12,766	12,511		
Other States	8,874	8,898	9,144	9,030	8,937	8,976		
United States	185,785	187,022	188,234	188,594	188,277	187,368		