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## SOUTH DAKOTA CHICKENS AND EGGS

**SIOUX FALLS, S.D. June 24, 2024** - All layers in South Dakota during May 2024 totaled 2.06 million, up from 1.47 million the previous year, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

South Dakota egg production during May totaled 56.6 million eggs, up from 36.8 million in 2023. May egg production per 100 layers was 2,745 eggs, compared to 2,507 eggs in 2023.

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