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## SOUTH DAKOTA CHICKENS AND EGGS

**SIOUX FALLS, S.D. October 21, 2024** - All layers in South Dakota during September 2024 totaled 1.99 million, up from 1.64 million the previous year, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

South Dakota egg production during September totaled 52.3 million eggs, up from 42.3 million in 2023. September egg production per 100 layers was 2,629 eggs, compared to 2,573 eggs in 2023.

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