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Weekly broiler placements totaled 4.47 million chicks, an increase of 13 percent from both last year and the previous week.

Producers hatched 5.05 million chicks, 82 percent of the eggs set during the week of October 18. The hatch was up 12 percent from a year ago and 17 percent from last week.

The weekly egg set increased 6 percent from last year to 6.77 million eggs. The set was up 9 percent from last week.

Texas producers shipped 532,000 broiler chicks to Arkansas and Georgia. No inshipments were received during the week.

TWELVE STATES

In the twelve leading broiler producing states weekly placements totaled 76.37 million chicks, up 8 percent from a year earlier but down 6 percent from last week.

The weekly egg set, at 112.31 million, increased 6 percent from last year and 2 percent from the previous week.

TEXAS BROILER CHICK OPERATIONS

Week Ending 1/	Broiler Eggs Set			Broiler Chicks Hatched			Broiler Chicks Placed 2/		
	Year		1986 as percent of 1985	Year		1986 as percent of 1985	Year		1986 as percent of 1985
	1985	1986		1985	1986		1985	1986	
	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -	- Thousand -		- Percent -
Oct. 4	5,111	6,592	129	4,657	5,376	115	4,140	4,844	117
Oct. 11	5,320	5,292	99	4,521	5,476	121	3,979	5,019	126
Oct. 18	5,692	6,187	109	5,075	5,090	100	4,491	4,672	104
Oct. 25	5,866	*5,881	100	4,207	*5,423	129	3,589	*4,949	138
Nov. 1	6,480	6,223	96	4,289	4,306	100	3,642	3,937	108
Nov. 8	6,362	6,773	106	4,521	5,048	112	3,961	4,468	113

1/ Comparable week for previous year. 2/ Total chicks hatched, plus inshipments minus outshipments, and chicks sold or kept for other purposes. * Revised.

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BROILER EGGS SET IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	EGGS SET (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	OCT 04	OCT 11	OCT 18	OCT 25	NOV 01	NOV 08
ALA	17,262	16,512	14,560*	15,165	15,780	16,984
ARK	22,523	22,450	19,584	20,681	21,749	22,594
CALIF	4,378	4,277	4,687	4,918	4,938	4,962
DEL	4,130	4,040	3,271*	3,896	4,389	4,316
FLA	3,158	3,102	2,789	3,003	3,156	3,215
GA	17,765*	17,607	15,639*	16,038	18,877	17,447
MD	8,452	8,337	8,110	8,254	8,568	8,601
MISS	7,410	7,522	7,250	6,846	7,101	7,572
N C	12,346	13,038	12,583	12,629	13,488	13,607
PA	2,882	3,012*	2,741	2,725	2,968	2,944
TEX	6,592	5,292	6,187	5,881*	6,223	6,773
VA	3,020	3,031	2,964	3,276	2,866	3,298
1986 TOTAL	109,918*	108,220*	100,365*	103,312*	110,103	112,313
1985 TOTAL	101,617	99,787	91,595	97,589	106,566	105,826
% OF PREV YR	108	108	110	106	103	106

* REVISED

BROILER CHICKS PLACED IN 12 SELECTED STATES

STATE	CHICKS PLACED (000)					
	WEEK ENDING					
	OCT 04	OCT 11	OCT 18	OCT 25	NOV 01	NOV 08
ALA	11,943	11,317	11,636	12,476	11,932	10,741
ARK	16,070	16,068	15,781	16,957	16,106	14,432
CALIF	3,413	3,633	3,650	3,492	3,413	3,770
DEL	4,576	3,804	4,729	4,087	4,269	3,494
FLA	2,286	2,017	2,237	2,257	2,327	2,071
GA	13,896	12,533	13,596	13,915	13,608	12,172
MD	5,211	4,928	5,116	5,707	5,067	5,232
MISS	6,650	6,186	6,082	6,516	6,580	6,274
N C	6,879	8,700	8,816	8,538	9,237	8,990
PA	2,145	2,005	2,218	2,107	2,242	2,003
TEX	4,844	5,019	4,672	4,949*	3,937	4,468
VA	2,882	2,812	2,270	2,877	2,764	2,724
1986 TOTAL	80,795	79,022	80,803	83,878*	81,482	76,371
1985 TOTAL	74,593	71,954	76,912	77,582	76,864	70,497
% OF PREV YR	108	110	105	108	106	108

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