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Highlights

Egg Production up 2 Percent: Egg production during the year ending November 30, 2000 totaled a record high 84.4 billion eggs, up 2 percent from the previous year's total of 82.7 billion eggs. Table egg production, at 71.4 billion eggs, increased 2 percent from 1999. Hatching egg production, at 13.0 billion eggs, increased slightly.

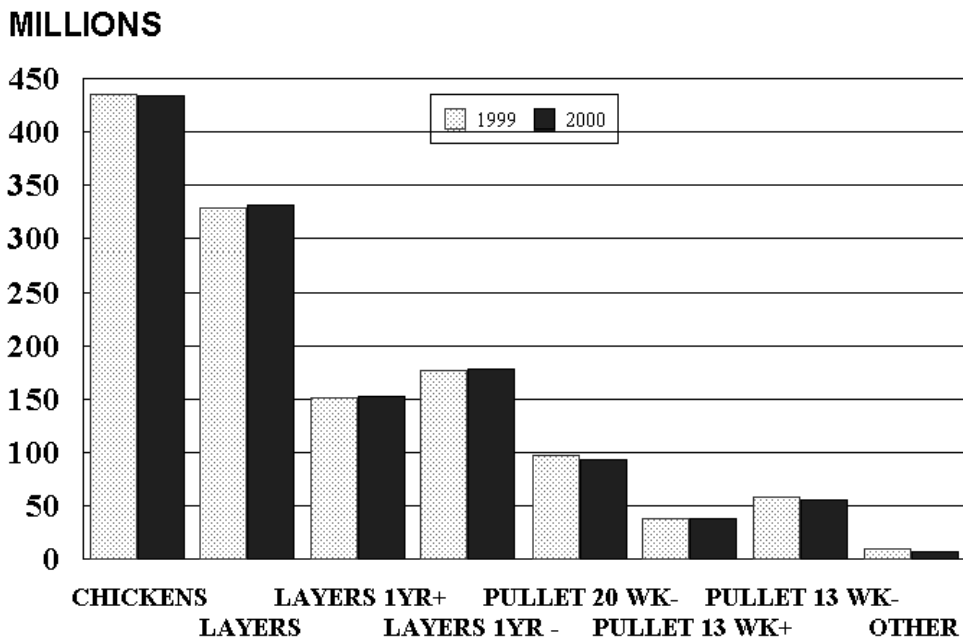
Average Number of Layers Up 2 Percent: Layer numbers during 2000 averaged 328 million, up 2 percent from the year earlier. The annual average production per layer on hand in 2000 was 257 eggs, unchanged from the 1999 average.

December 1 Inventory Numbers: The total number of chickens on hand on December 1, 2000 (excluding commercial broilers) was 435 million birds, down slightly from last year.

Potential layers (layers 20 weeks old and older, plus pullets 13 weeks and older but less than 20 weeks) on hand December 1, 2000, totaled 371 million, up 1 percent from December 1, 1999. Of the 371 million potential layers, 90 percent were 20 weeks old and older and the remainder were pullets 13 weeks and older but less than 20 weeks.

The total value of all chickens on December 1, 2000 was \$1.06 billion, down 8 percent from December 1, 1999. The average value decreased from \$2.65 per bird on December 1, 1999, to \$2.43 per bird on December 1, 2000.

CHICKEN INVENTORY DECEMBER 1



All Layers and Egg Production: Annual Average Number of Layers, Eggs per Layer, and Total Egg Production by State and United States, 1999-2000¹

State	Average Number of Layers		Eggs per Layer ²		Total Egg Production	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	10,649	10,413	230	228	2,450	2,378
AR	15,189	15,340	228	232	3,458	3,559
CA	25,523	24,056	259	262	6,606	6,293
CO	3,537	3,671	260	269	921	988
CT	3,074	3,129	269	277	828	866
FL	10,690	10,476	260	260	2,776	2,723
GA	21,055	20,816	246	246	5,176	5,114
HI	615	604	242	237	149.0	143.4
IL	3,238	3,549	271	266	876	944
IN	22,035	22,708	265	269	5,838	6,098
IA	25,623	28,098	264	269	6,754	7,554
ME	4,743	4,225	286	269	1,356	1,135
MD	3,343	3,245	267	260	894	845
MI	5,856	6,238	262	260	1,533	1,621
MN	12,310	12,581	255	260	3,138	3,271
MS	6,759	6,709	232	236	1,569	1,581
MO	6,390	6,141	265	263	1,690	1,614
NE	11,167	11,909	254	252	2,837	2,999
NY	3,633	3,974	280	280	1,017	1,113
NC	11,316	11,148	229	223	2,587	2,490
OH	30,730	31,129	267	262	8,193	8,163
OK	4,050	4,007	233	232	945	931
OR	2,902	2,976	267	271	774	805
PA	22,634	23,298	271	271	6,135	6,313
SC	4,908	4,974	248	250	1,215	1,245
SD	2,171	2,185	273	268	592	585
TX	17,382	17,423	254	254	4,413	4,423
VA	3,608	3,463	234	238	845	824
WA	4,802	4,836	273	271	1,312	1,310
WI	3,767	4,456	274	275	1,031	1,225
30 Sts	303,699	307,777	257	257	77,909	79,156
DE	994	1,488	259	259	257	386
ID	918	893	278	279	255	249
KS	1,501	1,578	258	264	387	416
KY	3,795	3,769	243	249	922	940
LA	1,915	1,975	251	250	481	493
MA	392	329	278	284	109	93
MT	290	291	324	289	94	84
NH	134	139	251	283	34	39
NJ	1,915	2,030	286	283	547	574
RI	57	51	263	235	15	12
TN	1,217	1,207	225	230	274	278
UT	1,913	2,704	272	263	521	712
VT	226	232	285	293	65	68
WV	1,099	1,051	216	237	237	249
WY	12	12	300	300	3.6	3.6
Oth Sts ³	2,277	2,382	265	275	603	656
US ⁴	322,354	327,908	257	257	82,715	84,412

¹ Annual estimates cover the period Dec 1, previous year thru Nov 30.

² Total egg production divided by average number of layers on hand.

³ AK, AZ, NV, NM and ND combined to avoid disclosing of individual operation.

⁴ Sum of States may not add due to rounding..

**Eggs: Annual Number of Eggs Produced by Type,
State, and United States, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	2,450	2,378	959	794	1,491	1,584
AR	3,458	3,559	1,238	1,352	2,220	2,207
CA	6,606	6,293				
CO	921	988				
CT	828	866				
FL	2,776	2,723	2,625	2,586	151	137
GA	5,176	5,114	2,997	3,014	2,179	2,100
HI	149.0	143.4	149.0	143.4	0	0
IL	876	944	829	894	47	50
IN	5,838	6,098	5,695	5,946	143	152
IA	6,754	7,554				
ME	1,356	1,135				
MD	894	845	820	769	74	76
MI	1,533	1,621				
MN	3,138	3,271	3,019	3,157	119	114
MS	1,569	1,581	461	508	1,108	1,073
MO	1,690	1,614				
NE	2,837	2,999	2,837	2,999	0	0
NY	1,017	1,113				
NC	2,587	2,490	1,006	978	1,581	1,512
OH	8,193	8,163				
OK	945	931	541	537	404	394
OR	774	805	763	786	11	19
PA	6,135	6,313	5,939	6,083	196	230
SC	1,215	1,245	1,009	1,037	206	208
SD	592	585	592	585	0	0
TX	4,413	4,423				
VA	845	824	408	405	437	419
WA	1,312	1,310				
WI	1,031	1,225				
30 Sts	77,909	79,156	65,944	67,288	11,965	11,868
DE	257	386				
ID	255	249				
KS	387	416				
KY	922	940				
LA	481	493				
MA	109	93				
MT	94	84				
NH	34	39				
NJ	547	574				
RI	15	12				
TN	274	278				
UT	521	712				
VT	65	68				
WV	237	249				
WY	3.6	3.6				
Oth Sts ²	603	656				
US	82,715	84,412	69,775	71,445	12,940	12,967

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² AK, AZ, NV, NM and ND combined to avoid disclosing of individual operation.

Eggs: Production During the Month by Type, United States, 1999-2000

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
Dec ¹	7,051	7,279	5,979	6,198	1,072	1,081
Jan	6,979	7,157	5,898	6,070	1,081	1,087
Feb	6,281	6,648	5,295	5,625	986	1,023
Mar	7,052	7,234	5,943	6,110	1,109	1,124
Apr	6,785	7,013	5,708	5,911	1,077	1,102
May	6,941	7,104	5,824	5,970	1,117	1,134
Jun	6,742	6,801	5,652	5,722	1,090	1,079
Jul	6,903	7,061	5,797	5,952	1,106	1,109
Aug	6,971	7,104	5,876	6,015	1,095	1,089
Sep	6,861	6,854	5,797	5,820	1,064	1,034
Oct	7,132	7,130	6,039	6,063	1,093	1,067
Nov	7,017	7,027	5,967	5,989	1,050	1,038
During Year	82,715	84,412	69,775	71,445	12,940	12,967

¹ December preceding year.

**Hatching Type Eggs: Production During the Month
by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
Dec ¹	1,072	1,081	1,008	1,017	64	64
Jan	1,081	1,087	1,015	1,022	66	65
Feb	986	1,023	925	963	61	60
Mar	1,109	1,124	1,039	1,057	70	67
Apr	1,077	1,102	1,009	1,036	68	66
May	1,117	1,134	1,048	1,066	69	68
Jun	1,090	1,079	1,023	1,015	67	64
Jul	1,106	1,109	1,039	1,045	67	64
Aug	1,095	1,089	1,029	1,025	66	64
Sep	1,064	1,034	1,002	973	62	61
Oct	1,093	1,067	1,030	1,007	63	60
Nov	1,050	1,038	989	980	61	58
During Year	12,940	12,967	12,156	12,206	784	761

¹ December preceding year.

Eggs: Production During the Month by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
Dec ¹	6,655	6,850	5,662	5,843	993	1,007
Jan	6,590	6,725	5,589	5,723	1,001	1,002
Feb	5,934	6,238	5,019	5,298	915	940
Mar	6,648	6,788	5,622	5,758	1,026	1,030
Apr	6,400	6,570	5,404	5,563	996	1,007
May	6,547	6,658	5,515	5,621	1,032	1,037
Jun	6,353	6,369	5,345	5,385	1,008	984
Jul	6,495	6,617	5,472	5,609	1,023	1,008
Aug	6,549	6,662	5,539	5,671	1,010	991
Sep	6,446	6,421	5,468	5,478	978	943
Oct	6,695	6,679	5,689	5,707	1,006	972
Nov	6,597	6,579	5,620	5,632	977	947
During Year	77,909	79,156	65,944	67,288	11,965	11,868

¹ December preceding year.

**Hatching Type Eggs: Production During the Month by Type,
30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
Dec ¹	993	1,007	931	945	62	62
Jan	1,001	1,002	938	939	63	63
Feb	915	940	857	882	58	58
Mar	1,026	1,030	959	966	67	64
Apr	996	1,007	931	944	65	63
May	1,032	1,037	966	972	66	65
Jun	1,008	984	944	923	64	61
Jul	1,023	1,008	959	946	64	62
Aug	1,010	991	947	929	63	62
Sep	978	943	918	884	60	59
Oct	1,006	972	945	914	61	58
Nov	977	947	918	891	59	56
During Year	11,965	11,868	11,213	11,135	752	733

¹ December preceding year.

**All Layers: Average Number on Hand During the Month
by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Dec ¹	321,972	328,828	263,702	270,371	58,270	58,457
Jan	322,356	328,557	263,387	270,009	58,969	58,548
Feb	322,827	329,843	263,522	270,761	59,305	59,082
Mar	322,782	330,862	262,848	271,046	59,934	59,816
Apr	321,539	329,223	261,596	268,708	59,943	60,515
May	320,510	326,326	260,930	266,182	59,580	60,144
Jun	320,441	324,957	260,581	265,674	59,860	59,283
Jul	319,819	325,563	260,259	266,502	59,560	59,061
Aug	320,188	325,753	261,436	267,716	58,752	58,037
Sep	322,409	326,237	264,136	269,597	58,273	56,640
Oct	325,287	328,178	267,321	272,039	57,966	56,139
Nov	328,268	330,678	270,042	274,461	58,226	56,217

¹ December preceding year.

**All Layers: Number on Hand First Day of the Month
by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Jan	322,161	328,307	263,300	269,919	58,861	58,388
Feb	322,419	328,767	263,373	270,075	59,046	58,692
Mar	323,185	330,876	263,644	271,426	59,541	59,450
Apr	322,186	330,807	261,883	270,646	60,303	60,161
May	320,807	327,597	261,246	266,748	59,561	60,849
Jun	320,211	325,012	260,634	265,596	59,577	59,416
Jul	320,672	324,843	260,547	265,724	60,125	59,119
Aug	318,959	326,240	259,992	267,258	58,967	58,982
Sep	321,364	325,212	262,853	268,144	58,511	57,068
Oct	323,380	327,219	265,367	271,030	58,013	56,189
Nov	327,150	329,092	269,254	273,025	57,896	56,067
Dec	329,320	332,205	270,795	275,867	58,525	56,338

**Hatching Type Layers: Average Number on Hand During
the Month by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Dec ¹	58,270	58,457	55,593	55,722	2,677	2,735
Jan	58,969	58,548	56,210	55,834	2,759	2,714
Feb	59,305	59,082	56,467	56,376	2,838	2,706
Mar	59,934	59,816	57,005	57,047	2,929	2,769
Apr	59,943	60,515	57,060	57,643	2,883	2,872
May	59,580	60,144	56,745	57,266	2,835	2,878
Jun	59,860	59,283	57,019	56,507	2,841	2,776
Jul	59,560	59,061	56,742	56,333	2,818	2,728
Aug	58,752	58,037	55,987	55,271	2,765	2,766
Sep	58,273	56,640	55,554	53,909	2,719	2,731
Oct	57,966	56,139	55,285	53,547	2,681	2,592
Nov	58,226	56,217	55,535	53,662	2,691	2,555

¹ December preceding year.

**Hatching Type Layers: Number on Hand First Day of the Month
by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Jan	58,861	58,388	56,134	55,658	2,727	2,730
Feb	59,046	58,692	56,266	55,998	2,780	2,694
Mar	59,541	59,450	56,653	56,742	2,888	2,708
Apr	60,303	60,161	57,342	57,341	2,961	2,820
May	59,561	60,849	56,766	57,934	2,795	2,915
Jun	59,577	59,416	56,708	56,585	2,869	2,831
Jul	60,125	59,119	57,318	56,413	2,807	2,706
Aug	58,967	58,982	56,149	56,241	2,818	2,741
Sep	58,511	57,068	55,813	54,285	2,698	2,783
Oct	58,013	56,189	55,283	53,520	2,730	2,669
Nov	57,896	56,067	55,273	53,562	2,623	2,505
Dec	58,525	56,338	55,778	53,745	2,747	2,593

**All Layers: Average Number on Hand During the Month
by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Dec ¹	304,227	309,223	250,356	255,198	53,871	54,025
Jan	304,439	308,962	249,849	254,855	54,590	54,107
Feb	304,763	309,951	249,900	255,485	54,863	54,466
Mar	304,361	310,553	248,985	255,527	55,376	55,026
Apr	303,094	308,811	247,700	253,164	55,394	55,647
May	302,220	306,120	247,144	250,826	55,076	55,294
Jun	301,919	304,885	246,561	250,419	55,358	54,466
Jul	300,966	305,317	245,954	251,160	55,012	54,157
Aug	301,063	305,491	246,872	252,219	54,191	53,272
Sep	303,061	306,151	249,269	254,047	53,792	52,104
Oct	305,761	307,970	252,232	256,374	53,529	51,596
Nov	308,680	309,986	254,911	258,405	53,769	51,581

¹ December preceding year.

**All Layers: Number on Hand First Day of the Month
by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Jan	304,302	308,729	249,844	254,748	54,458	53,981
Feb	304,460	309,168	249,765	254,947	54,695	54,221
Mar	305,027	310,706	250,015	256,012	55,012	54,694
Apr	303,512	310,369	247,790	255,028	55,722	55,341
May	302,603	307,224	247,557	251,286	55,046	55,938
Jun	301,806	304,985	246,717	250,352	55,089	54,633
Jul	302,000	304,740	246,387	250,469	55,613	54,271
Aug	299,895	305,863	245,506	251,836	54,389	54,027
Sep	302,190	305,083	248,219	252,584	53,971	52,499
Oct	303,871	307,188	250,275	255,496	53,596	51,692
Nov	307,614	308,719	254,172	257,238	53,442	51,481
Dec	309,701	311,214	255,628	259,554	54,073	51,660

**Hatching Type Layers: Average Number on Hand During the Month
by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Dec ¹	53,871	54,025	51,304	51,402	2,567	2,623
Jan	54,590	54,107	51,953	51,495	2,637	2,612
Feb	54,863	54,466	52,145	51,854	2,718	2,612
Mar	55,376	55,026	52,566	52,373	2,810	2,653
Apr	55,394	55,647	52,629	52,897	2,765	2,750
May	55,076	55,294	52,354	52,520	2,722	2,774
Jun	55,358	54,466	52,631	51,791	2,727	2,675
Jul	55,012	54,157	52,313	51,521	2,699	2,636
Aug	54,191	53,272	51,535	50,606	2,656	2,666
Sep	53,792	52,104	51,173	49,481	2,619	2,623
Oct	53,529	51,596	50,942	49,103	2,587	2,493
Nov	53,769	51,581	51,181	49,120	2,588	2,461

¹ December preceding year.

**Hatching Type Layers: Number on Hand First Day of the Month
by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Jan	54,458	53,981	51,852	51,358	2,606	2,623
Feb	54,695	54,221	52,037	51,623	2,658	2,598
Mar	55,012	54,694	52,241	52,077	2,771	2,617
Apr	55,722	55,341	52,880	52,660	2,842	2,681
May	55,046	55,938	52,367	53,127	2,679	2,811
Jun	55,089	54,633	52,329	51,904	2,760	2,729
Jul	55,613	54,271	52,924	51,664	2,689	2,607
Aug	54,389	54,027	51,688	51,371	2,701	2,656
Sep	53,971	52,499	51,373	49,829	2,598	2,670
Oct	53,596	51,692	50,963	49,125	2,633	2,567
Nov	53,442	51,481	50,908	49,070	2,534	2,411
Dec	54,073	51,660	51,440	49,158	2,633	2,502

**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers During the Month
by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Dec ¹	2,190	2,214	2,267	2,292	1,840	1,849
Jan	2,165	2,178	2,239	2,248	1,833	1,857
Feb	1,946	2,016	2,009	2,077	1,663	1,731
Mar	2,185	2,186	2,261	2,254	1,850	1,879
Apr	2,110	2,130	2,182	2,200	1,797	1,821
May	2,166	2,177	2,232	2,243	1,875	1,885
Jun	2,104	2,093	2,169	2,154	1,821	1,820
Jul	2,158	2,169	2,227	2,233	1,857	1,878
Aug	2,177	2,181	2,248	2,247	1,864	1,876
Sep	2,128	2,101	2,195	2,159	1,826	1,826
Oct	2,193	2,173	2,259	2,229	1,886	1,901
Nov	2,138	2,125	2,210	2,182	1,803	1,846

¹ December preceding year.

**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers First Day of the Month
by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Jan	70.3	71.0	72.9	73.5	58.7	59.7
Feb	69.2	69.4	71.4	71.5	59.3	59.7
Mar	69.6	69.8	71.9	71.9	59.4	60.1
Apr	71.2	71.2	73.8	73.5	59.7	60.7
May	69.5	70.6	71.7	73.0	59.8	60.3
Jun	70.1	69.7	72.2	71.7	60.5	60.9
Jul	70.0	69.7	72.2	71.7	60.5	60.3
Aug	69.2	70.1	71.4	72.3	59.4	60.2
Sep	71.1	70.4	73.5	72.5	60.4	60.6
Oct	70.6	69.5	72.8	71.3	60.7	60.8
Nov	70.7	70.6	72.8	72.4	60.8	61.6
Dec	71.7	71.0	74.4	73.0	59.2	61.0

**Hatching Type Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers During
the Month by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Dec ¹	1,840	1,849	1,813	1,825	2,391	2,340
Jan	1,833	1,857	1,806	1,830	2,392	2,395
Feb	1,663	1,731	1,638	1,708	2,149	2,217
Mar	1,850	1,879	1,823	1,853	2,390	2,420
Apr	1,797	1,821	1,768	1,797	2,359	2,298
May	1,875	1,885	1,847	1,861	2,434	2,363
Jun	1,821	1,820	1,794	1,796	2,358	2,305
Jul	1,857	1,878	1,831	1,855	2,378	2,346
Aug	1,864	1,876	1,838	1,854	2,387	2,314
Sep	1,826	1,826	1,804	1,805	2,280	2,234
Oct	1,886	1,901	1,863	1,881	2,350	2,315
Nov	1,803	1,846	1,781	1,826	2,267	2,270

¹ December preceding year.

**Hatching Type Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers First Day
of the Month by Type, United States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Jan	58.7	59.7	57.8	58.9	77.2	77.3
Feb	59.3	59.7	58.4	58.9	76.3	76.1
Mar	59.4	60.1	58.6	59.2	75.1	77.9
Apr	59.7	60.7	58.7	59.8	77.8	78.3
May	59.8	60.3	58.9	59.6	78.3	74.8
Jun	60.5	60.9	59.7	60.1	78.2	76.7
Jul	60.5	60.3	59.7	59.6	77.1	76.8
Aug	59.4	60.2	58.5	59.4	76.0	76.0
Sep	60.4	60.6	59.6	59.9	76.4	75.1
Oct	60.7	60.8	60.0	60.1	75.9	74.7
Nov	60.8	61.6	60.1	61.0	75.5	76.3
Dec	59.2	61.0	58.4	60.3	75.4	74.9

**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers During the Month
by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Dec ¹	2,188	2,215	2,262	2,290	1,843	1,864
Jan	2,165	2,177	2,237	2,246	1,834	1,852
Feb	1,947	2,013	2,008	2,074	1,668	1,726
Mar	2,184	2,186	2,258	2,253	1,853	1,872
Apr	2,112	2,128	2,182	2,197	1,798	1,810
May	2,166	2,175	2,231	2,241	1,874	1,875
Jun	2,104	2,089	2,168	2,150	1,821	1,807
Jul	2,158	2,167	2,225	2,233	1,860	1,861
Aug	2,175	2,181	2,244	2,248	1,864	1,860
Sep	2,127	2,097	2,194	2,156	1,818	1,810
Oct	2,190	2,169	2,255	2,226	1,879	1,884
Nov	2,137	2,122	2,205	2,180	1,817	1,836

¹ December preceding year.

**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers First Day of the Month
by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	Total		Table Egg Type		All Hatching Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Jan	70.3	71.0	72.8	73.4	58.7	59.7
Feb	69.3	69.3	71.5	71.3	59.4	59.5
Mar	69.6	69.7	71.8	71.8	59.6	59.9
Apr	71.2	71.2	73.8	73.5	59.8	60.5
May	69.6	70.6	71.7	72.9	59.9	60.0
Jun	70.1	69.6	72.2	71.6	60.5	60.7
Jul	70.1	69.6	72.2	71.6	60.7	59.9
Aug	69.1	70.2	71.3	72.4	59.5	59.7
Sep	71.1	70.3	73.5	72.5	60.3	60.0
Oct	70.6	69.3	72.8	71.1	60.5	60.2
Nov	70.5	70.5	72.6	72.3	60.7	61.3
Dec	71.8	70.9	74.3	72.9	60.1	60.8

**Hatching Type Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers During
the Month by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Dec ¹	1,843	1,864	1,815	1,838	2,415	2,364
Jan	1,834	1,852	1,805	1,823	2,389	2,412
Feb	1,668	1,726	1,643	1,701	2,134	2,221
Mar	1,853	1,872	1,824	1,844	2,384	2,412
Apr	1,798	1,810	1,769	1,785	2,351	2,291
May	1,874	1,875	1,845	1,851	2,425	2,343
Jun	1,821	1,807	1,794	1,782	2,347	2,280
Jul	1,860	1,861	1,833	1,836	2,371	2,352
Aug	1,864	1,860	1,838	1,836	2,372	2,326
Sep	1,818	1,810	1,794	1,787	2,291	2,249
Oct	1,879	1,884	1,855	1,861	2,358	2,327
Nov	1,817	1,836	1,794	1,814	2,280	2,275

¹ December preceding year.

**Hatching Type Eggs: Number Laid per 100 Layers First Day
of the Month by Type, 30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	All Hatching Type		Broiler Type		Egg Type	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Jan	58.7	59.7	57.8	58.8	77.7	77.4
Feb	59.4	59.5	58.6	58.7	76.3	76.0
Mar	59.6	59.9	58.8	59.0	75.4	77.8
Apr	59.8	60.5	58.8	59.5	77.8	78.4
May	59.9	60.0	59.0	59.2	78.4	74.3
Jun	60.5	60.7	59.6	59.8	78.1	76.4
Jul	60.7	59.9	59.8	59.0	77.5	76.5
Aug	59.5	59.7	58.6	58.9	75.8	75.8
Sep	60.3	60.0	59.5	59.2	76.2	75.1
Oct	60.5	60.2	59.6	59.5	76.1	74.8
Nov	60.7	61.3	60.0	60.6	75.7	75.9
Dec	60.1	60.8	59.3	60.1	75.7	74.7

**All Pullets: Number on Hand First Day of the Month
United States, 1999-2000**

Month	1999		2000	
	<i>1,000</i>		<i>1,000</i>	
Jan		94,494		97,767
Feb		94,387		96,616
Mar		95,279		93,812
Apr		94,952		95,737
May		98,231		97,959
Jun		99,099		99,178
Jul		99,662		100,929
Aug		99,815		100,204
Sep		98,566		97,745
Oct		96,954		95,179
Nov		96,928		94,228
Dec		97,362		94,408

**All Layers: Percent Force Molt First Day of the Month,
United States 1999-2000**

Month	Being Molted		Molt Completed	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jan	4.1	2.9	22.5	22.9
Feb	4.9	5.0	22.1	21.4
Mar	3.3	3.7	21.8	22.1
Apr	2.8	2.2	21.7	22.5
May	5.6	4.0	21.7	22.3
Jun	5.2	5.8	21.9	20.5
Jul	5.5	4.8	22.1	21.9
Aug	4.6	4.3	23.0	21.8
Sep	4.3	4.6	22.2	22.6
Oct	4.2	5.7	22.8	22.5
Nov	3.6	4.0	23.1	23.2
Dec	2.0	2.9	24.4	25.8

**Disposition: Number Slaughtered, Lost, and Added
During the Month, United States 1999-2000**

Month	Layers Sold for Slaughter		Layers Rendered, Died, Destroyed, Composted, or Disappeared for any reason		Day Old Pullets Added	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Dec ¹	16,687	16,549	3,301	1,820	20,545	20,088
Jan	16,678	16,754	3,658	4,163	21,326	22,181
Feb	14,877	16,489	3,249	1,703	21,593	21,246
Mar	15,833	17,842	3,666	3,820	19,418	24,920
Apr	18,213	16,216	4,084	1,790	25,115	22,172
May	17,407	18,522	3,707	5,155	22,695	24,793
Jun	17,607	16,875	3,900	1,796	23,263	23,191
Jul	18,081	15,998	5,377	4,104	22,726	22,959
Aug	16,935	17,328	4,486	1,851	23,881	21,971
Sep	16,878	15,052	3,608	4,432	22,124	21,688
Oct	15,319	15,359	3,351	1,877	23,621	21,278
Nov	16,187	15,939	3,831	3,450	23,726	22,949

¹ December preceding year.

**All Pullets: Number on Hand First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Jan	89,134	91,630
Feb	88,899	90,693
Mar	89,819	88,258
Apr	89,798	90,237
May	92,896	92,095
Jun	93,757	92,980
Jul	93,912	94,832
Aug	94,115	94,229
Sep	92,784	91,762
Oct	90,963	89,223
Nov	90,762	88,382
Dec	91,042	88,352

**All Layers: Percent Force Molt First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States, 1999-2000**

Month	Being Molted		Molt Completed	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jan	4.1	2.8	22.3	23.2
Feb	4.8	4.9	22.1	21.4
Mar	3.3	3.6	21.5	22.4
Apr	2.9	2.1	21.6	22.7
May	5.5	4.0	21.8	22.4
Jun	5.2	5.8	22.0	20.3
Jul	5.5	4.7	22.3	21.8
Aug	4.7	4.2	23.2	21.7
Sep	4.5	4.6	22.3	22.4
Oct	4.2	5.8	22.9	22.3
Nov	3.7	4.1	23.1	23.0
Dec	2.1	3.0	24.7	25.9

**Disposition: Number Slaughtered, Lost, and Added
During the Month, 30 Selected States 1999-2000**

Month	Layers Sold for Slaughter		Layers Rendered, Died, Destroyed, Composted, or Disappeared for any reason		Day Old Pullets Added	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
Dec ¹	16,207	15,894	3,178	1,833	19,469	19,324
Jan	15,552	15,841	3,464	3,946	20,537	21,272
Feb	14,282	15,640	3,112	1,695	20,854	20,041
Mar	15,192	17,100	3,515	3,601	18,704	24,027
Apr	17,176	15,425	3,929	1,781	24,193	20,893
May	16,549	17,564	3,538	4,807	21,486	23,449
Jun	16,816	15,930	3,724	1,784	22,086	22,102
Jul	17,546	14,834	5,106	3,927	21,937	21,534
Aug	15,908	16,344	4,301	1,832	22,361	20,773
Sep	16,067	14,314	3,444	4,253	20,783	20,939
Oct	14,486	14,237	3,185	1,861	22,513	19,819
Nov	15,273	14,876	3,668	3,265	22,381	21,786

¹ December preceding year.

**Table Egg Layers: Average Number in Flocks 30,000 and Above on Hand
During the Month, 30 Selected States and US, 1999**

State	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	3,793	3,616	3,669	3,699	3,695	3,636
AR	4,565	4,556	4,732	4,721	4,473	4,414
CA	25,657	25,834	25,508	25,036	24,433	24,385
CO	2,989	2,937	2,999	2,944	2,919	2,874
CT	2,933	2,943	2,927	2,949	2,952	2,876
FL	10,244	10,223	10,226	10,108	10,008	9,881
GA	11,892	12,028	12,143	11,580	11,201	11,243
HI	578	587	600	612	613	600
IL	2,713	2,644	2,527	2,790	3,049	2,997
IN	21,265	21,154	21,364	21,384	21,198	21,180
IA	24,261	24,183	23,769	23,713	24,470	24,711
ME	5,082	4,947	4,739	4,693	4,577	4,533
MD	3,137	3,160	3,176	3,111	3,069	2,994
MI	5,486	5,490	5,613	5,640	5,385	5,387
MN	11,403	11,448	11,493	11,483	11,590	11,635
MS	1,661	1,738	1,853	1,751	1,475	1,387
MO	5,179	5,152	5,155	5,189	5,296	5,228
NE	10,522	10,612	10,694	10,744	10,902	11,089
NY	3,322	3,370	3,472	3,457	3,373	3,311
NC	3,847	3,667	3,634	3,742	3,588	3,355
OH	29,639	29,700	29,919	30,094	30,119	30,174
OK	1,988	2,014	1,987	1,956	1,980	1,991
OR	2,874	2,883	2,807	2,779	2,713	2,634
PA	21,389	21,294	21,376	21,376	21,159	21,036
SC	3,660	3,739	3,872	3,832	3,901	4,126
SD	1,960	1,928	1,928	1,913	1,930	1,975
TX	13,719	13,601	13,357	13,422	13,446	13,271
VA	1,545	1,494	1,537	1,474	1,404	1,402
WA	4,893	4,820	4,805	4,695	4,619	4,633
WI	3,135	3,090	3,026	3,123	3,177	3,165
30 Sts	245,331	244,852	244,907	244,010	242,714	242,123
Oth Sts ²	12,302	12,484	12,577	12,819	12,852	12,741
US	257,633	257,336	257,484	256,829	255,566	254,864

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Table Egg Layers: Average Number in Flocks 30,000 and Above on Hand
During the Month, 30 Selected States and US, 1999 (continued)**

State	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	3,558	3,499	3,472	3,487	3,568	3,595
AR	4,657	4,967	4,954	4,933	4,917	4,990
CA	24,340	23,979	24,148	24,692	25,024	24,815
CO	2,866	2,908	3,036	3,112	3,155	3,254
CT	2,799	2,801	2,822	2,863	2,911	2,934
FL	9,649	9,621	9,763	9,862	10,041	10,097
GA	11,238	11,032	11,006	11,406	11,745	11,833
HI	593	575	577	571	565	569
IL	2,932	2,839	3,087	3,371	3,396	3,258
IN	21,374	21,248	21,141	21,260	21,360	21,886
IA	24,642	24,952	25,156	25,293	25,273	25,686
ME	4,465	4,424	4,511	4,551	4,490	4,477
MD	2,946	2,760	2,528	2,648	2,858	3,004
MI	5,519	5,582	5,548	5,571	5,822	5,923
MN	11,673	11,590	11,708	11,738	11,618	11,960
MS	1,460	1,560	1,660	1,719	1,770	1,759
MO	4,951	4,744	4,844	4,800	4,588	4,636
NE	11,107	11,104	11,143	11,240	11,427	11,620
NY	3,268	3,267	3,346	3,391	3,417	3,502
NC	3,412	3,508	3,470	3,549	3,686	3,647
OH	29,702	29,749	30,004	30,086	30,593	30,817
OK	1,977	1,975	1,996	1,989	1,954	1,962
OR	2,645	2,681	2,682	2,690	2,732	2,741
PA	21,052	21,086	21,034	21,131	21,508	21,631
SC	4,073	3,920	3,873	3,772	3,805	3,906
SD	1,968	1,940	1,913	1,894	1,893	1,904
TX	13,303	13,052	13,035	13,176	13,287	13,786
VA	1,520	1,572	1,489	1,505	1,595	1,580
WA	4,567	4,606	4,616	4,635	4,691	4,604
WI	3,272	3,378	3,296	3,356	3,593	3,639
30 Sts	241,528	240,919	241,858	244,291	247,282	250,015
Oth Sts ²	12,974	13,259	13,518	13,818	14,038	14,080
US	254,502	254,178	255,376	258,109	261,320	264,095

¹ December preceding year.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Table Egg Layers: Average Number in Flocks 30,000 and Above on Hand
During the Month, 30 Selected States and US, 2000**

State	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	3,462	3,344	3,313	3,230	3,019	2,789
AR	5,151	5,081	5,008	4,957	4,956	5,084
CA	24,282	23,816	23,644	23,645	23,388	23,155
CO	3,314	3,295	3,344	3,425	3,468	3,355
CT	2,954	2,980	3,009	2,975	2,927	2,917
FL	10,036	9,946	9,878	9,940	9,878	9,630
GA	11,800	11,809	11,963	12,070	11,582	11,193
HI	552	552	567	586	586	579
IL	3,121	3,261	3,348	3,356	3,383	3,257
IN	22,107	21,963	22,063	22,213	22,383	22,270
IA	26,399	26,585	26,678	26,822	26,851	27,004
ME	4,359	4,226	4,128	4,127	4,152	4,064
MD	3,036	3,027	3,012	3,027	2,937	2,893
MI	5,929	5,901	5,992	6,201	6,037	5,855
MN	12,138	12,010	12,000	11,935	11,715	11,740
MS	1,765	1,780	1,796	1,839	1,861	1,835
MO	4,724	4,599	4,721	4,829	4,584	4,675
NE	11,700	11,726	11,698	11,638	11,592	11,717
NY	3,657	3,713	3,690	3,799	3,772	3,687
NC	3,587	3,584	3,593	3,402	3,149	3,231
OH	30,778	31,421	31,483	30,840	30,963	30,698
OK	1,967	1,962	1,964	1,959	1,957	1,956
OR	2,737	2,795	2,856	2,868	2,848	2,762
PA	21,306	21,278	21,780	22,046	21,428	20,848
SC	3,846	3,680	3,693	3,938	4,019	4,037
SD	1,899	1,882	1,900	1,926	1,932	1,930
TX	13,830	13,727	13,609	13,158	12,960	12,888
VA	1,580	1,641	1,541	1,432	1,416	1,363
WA	4,616	4,625	4,612	4,664	4,706	4,826
WI	3,686	3,749	3,717	3,795	3,830	3,703
30 Sts	250,318	249,958	250,600	250,642	248,279	245,941
Oth Sts ²	14,127	14,117	14,245	14,487	14,515	14,326
US	264,445	264,075	264,845	265,129	262,794	260,267

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**Table Egg Layers: Average Number in Flocks 30,000 and Above on Hand
During the Month, 30 Selected States and US, 2000 (continued)**

State	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	2,779	2,881	2,935	3,009	2,981	2,948
AR	5,012	4,956	5,194	5,164	5,122	5,388
CA	23,133	23,035	23,036	23,202	23,352	23,544
CO	3,123	3,115	3,055	2,951	2,927	2,929
CT	2,991	3,088	3,075	3,030	2,996	3,024
FL	9,470	9,523	9,683	9,759	9,949	10,148
GA	11,487	11,887	11,743	11,615	11,806	11,778
HI	585	580	582	579	589	596
IL	3,286	3,376	3,259	3,241	3,245	3,276
IN	21,979	21,884	21,769	21,804	21,847	22,006
IA	27,028	26,831	26,867	27,609	28,866	29,905
ME	4,121	4,243	4,216	4,115	4,012	3,933
MD	2,866	2,614	2,549	2,649	2,781	2,935
MI	6,046	6,100	5,892	5,799	5,836	5,946
MN	11,905	11,903	11,878	11,803	11,668	11,645
MS	1,755	1,713	1,779	1,881	1,845	1,789
MO	4,806	4,668	4,668	4,934	5,204	5,350
NE	11,902	11,921	11,940	11,964	11,846	11,736
NY	3,704	3,722	3,776	3,872	3,907	3,893
NC	3,237	3,160	3,301	3,496	3,580	3,628
OH	30,279	30,494	30,434	30,030	29,422	28,805
OK	1,952	1,956	1,961	1,934	1,885	1,861
OR	2,717	2,736	2,782	2,871	2,872	2,786
PA	20,944	21,517	22,038	22,403	22,853	22,957
SC	4,122	4,193	4,219	4,049	4,046	4,274
SD	1,933	1,938	1,934	1,940	1,964	1,985
TX	12,527	12,216	12,762	13,405	13,782	14,221
VA	1,393	1,503	1,481	1,426	1,505	1,554
WA	4,834	4,792	4,690	4,656	4,786	4,821
WI	3,622	3,738	3,882	4,050	4,096	3,935
30 Sts	245,538	246,283	247,380	249,240	251,570	253,596
Oth Sts ²	14,224	14,311	14,467	14,522	14,637	14,981
US	259,762	260,594	261,847	263,762	266,207	268,577

¹ December preceding year.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**All Layers: Average Number on Hand During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999**

State	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	10,576	10,561	10,612	10,661	10,656	10,641
AR	14,851	15,048	15,275	15,281	15,069	14,863
CA	26,357	26,606	26,238	25,710	25,129	25,098
CO	3,556	3,478	3,536	3,485	3,458	3,413
CT	3,114	3,126	3,105	3,128	3,134	3,083
FL	10,981	10,968	10,973	10,840	10,719	10,580
GA	21,429	21,564	21,711	21,250	20,937	20,870
HI	604	614	629	641	643	630
IL	2,959	2,891	2,783	3,081	3,337	3,258
IN	21,965	21,859	22,095	22,148	21,934	21,907
IA	25,177	25,104	24,696	24,665	25,398	25,627
ME	5,195	5,064	4,860	4,814	4,694	4,646
MD	3,599	3,611	3,580	3,468	3,454	3,410
MI	5,763	5,770	5,898	5,923	5,656	5,659
MN	12,119	12,168	12,216	12,208	12,303	12,348
MS	6,651	6,809	6,991	6,941	6,628	6,517
MO	6,641	6,576	6,558	6,612	6,713	6,619
NE	10,672	10,762	10,844	10,894	11,052	11,239
NY	3,577	3,616	3,722	3,724	3,655	3,589
NC	11,552	11,471	11,440	11,633	11,504	11,258
OH	30,344	30,410	30,627	30,805	30,829	30,887
OK	4,025	3,974	3,990	4,104	4,151	4,129
OR	3,031	3,039	2,973	2,950	2,878	2,799
PA	22,752	22,701	22,790	22,790	22,590	22,449
SC	4,667	4,773	4,917	4,866	4,967	5,203
SD	2,203	2,169	2,168	2,153	2,174	2,224
TX	17,608	17,587	17,384	17,483	17,477	17,333
VA	3,644	3,598	3,697	3,680	3,559	3,531
WA	5,013	4,940	4,925	4,815	4,739	4,753
WI	3,602	3,582	3,530	3,608	3,657	3,657
30 Sts	304,227	304,439	304,763	304,361	303,094	302,220
Oth Sts ²	17,745	17,917	18,064	18,421	18,445	18,290
US	321,972	322,356	322,827	322,782	321,539	320,510

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**All Layers: Average Number on Hand During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999 (continued)**

State	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	10,703	10,749	10,769	10,711	10,608	10,533
AR	15,165	15,466	15,173	15,205	15,340	15,550
CA	25,048	24,672	24,845	25,396	25,716	25,502
CO	3,412	3,448	3,568	3,643	3,678	3,773
CT	3,006	2,982	3,003	3,039	3,082	3,087
FL	10,349	10,347	10,507	10,584	10,724	10,727
GA	20,976	20,750	20,401	20,704	21,046	21,065
HI	622	604	606	599	594	598
IL	3,180	3,080	3,345	3,640	3,683	3,601
IN	22,117	21,989	21,885	21,955	22,038	22,546
IA	25,596	25,935	26,114	26,258	26,257	26,601
ME	4,577	4,537	4,627	4,670	4,623	4,611
MD	3,352	3,127	2,862	2,992	3,241	3,438
MI	5,799	5,863	5,827	5,847	6,089	6,189
MN	12,373	12,270	12,384	12,416	12,286	12,631
MS	6,598	6,686	6,762	6,815	6,881	6,845
MO	6,319	6,094	6,219	6,205	6,020	6,111
NE	11,257	11,254	11,293	11,390	11,577	11,770
NY	3,531	3,514	3,599	3,659	3,687	3,732
NC	11,259	11,236	11,058	10,929	11,114	11,338
OH	30,418	30,448	30,673	30,739	31,186	31,400
OK	4,155	4,111	4,055	4,024	3,931	3,945
OR	2,814	2,846	2,837	2,844	2,895	2,917
PA	22,437	22,462	22,395	22,477	22,809	22,965
SC	5,139	4,968	4,910	4,790	4,817	4,881
SD	2,218	2,190	2,158	2,135	2,134	2,125
TX	17,395	17,071	17,029	17,169	17,268	17,796
VA	3,654	3,674	3,638	3,626	3,543	3,462
WA	4,687	4,726	4,736	4,755	4,811	4,724
WI	3,763	3,867	3,785	3,845	4,083	4,217
30 Sts	301,919	300,966	301,063	303,061	305,761	308,680
Oth Sts ²	18,522	18,853	19,125	19,348	19,526	19,588
US	320,441	319,819	320,188	322,409	325,287	328,268

¹ December preceding year.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**All Layers: Average Number on Hand During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000**

State	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	10,443	10,483	10,580	10,636	10,531	10,302
AR	15,782	15,509	15,483	15,684	15,654	15,496
CA	24,931	24,517	24,343	24,243	23,973	23,729
CO	3,830	3,774	3,822	3,936	3,970	3,856
CT	3,088	3,114	3,143	3,109	3,061	3,051
FL	10,683	10,641	10,560	10,620	10,565	10,314
GA	21,002	20,975	21,139	21,370	20,946	20,408
HI	580	580	596	615	615	607
IL	3,432	3,511	3,607	3,622	3,654	3,532
IN	22,743	22,639	22,755	22,901	23,071	22,947
IA	27,242	27,407	27,485	27,631	27,685	27,847
ME	4,472	4,333	4,236	4,238	4,240	4,127
MD	3,493	3,460	3,415	3,416	3,335	3,295
MI	6,206	6,178	6,271	6,484	6,321	6,136
MN	12,831	12,710	12,713	12,663	12,446	12,473
MS	6,675	6,605	6,725	6,859	7,010	6,987
MO	6,182	6,001	6,123	6,210	5,897	5,958
NE	11,850	11,876	11,848	11,788	11,742	11,867
NY	3,851	3,899	3,874	4,001	3,989	3,906
NC	11,429	11,456	11,487	11,302	11,042	11,141
OH	31,454	32,120	32,158	31,503	31,633	31,389
OK	3,961	4,006	4,079	4,097	4,127	4,118
OR	2,916	2,974	3,035	3,047	3,023	2,932
PA	22,720	22,739	23,250	23,530	23,116	22,552
SC	4,764	4,606	4,624	4,879	4,986	5,031
SD	2,129	2,142	2,160	2,186	2,192	2,190
TX	17,899	17,853	17,756	17,278	17,172	17,208
VA	3,559	3,718	3,598	3,476	3,502	3,424
WA	4,736	4,745	4,732	4,784	4,826	4,946
WI	4,340	4,391	4,354	4,445	4,487	4,351
30 Sts	309,223	308,962	309,951	310,553	308,811	306,120
Oth Sts ²	19,605	19,595	19,892	20,309	20,412	20,206
US	328,828	328,557	329,843	330,862	329,223	326,326

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**All Layers: Average Number on Hand During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000 (continued)**

State	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	10,426	10,563	10,457	10,316	10,121	10,100
AR	15,269	15,162	15,218	15,016	14,874	14,931
CA	23,735	23,661	23,624	23,812	23,960	24,148
CO	3,605	3,541	3,486	3,440	3,408	3,380
CT	3,125	3,222	3,209	3,164	3,130	3,135
FL	10,126	10,141	10,304	10,403	10,601	10,754
GA	20,480	20,986	20,730	20,359	20,636	20,754
HI	610	603	607	604	612	621
IL	3,552	3,655	3,531	3,479	3,483	3,539
IN	22,643	22,567	22,477	22,490	22,536	22,730
IA	27,863	27,634	27,649	28,405	29,673	30,686
ME	4,187	4,314	4,281	4,170	4,079	4,011
MD	3,266	3,003	2,875	2,941	3,121	3,327
MI	6,325	6,379	6,168	6,073	6,110	6,209
MN	12,631	12,621	12,593	12,518	12,393	12,378
MS	6,747	6,606	6,607	6,614	6,540	6,536
MO	6,079	5,938	5,961	6,235	6,487	6,626
NE	12,052	12,071	12,048	12,029	11,911	11,819
NY	3,913	3,919	3,978	4,086	4,119	4,158
NC	11,151	10,980	10,872	10,877	10,984	11,058
OH	30,972	31,178	31,104	30,671	30,009	29,367
OK	4,068	4,040	4,012	3,943	3,830	3,809
OR	2,887	2,908	2,956	3,046	3,039	2,954
PA	22,491	23,061	23,578	23,908	24,292	24,353
SC	5,126	5,177	5,225	5,067	5,011	5,183
SD	2,193	2,198	2,194	2,200	2,224	2,215
TX	16,749	16,426	17,004	17,490	17,847	18,422
VA	3,388	3,465	3,418	3,346	3,322	3,334
WA	4,954	4,912	4,810	4,776	4,899	4,909
WI	4,272	4,386	4,515	4,673	4,719	4,540
30 Sts	304,885	305,317	305,491	306,151	307,970	309,986
Oth Sts ²	20,072	20,246	20,262	20,086	20,208	20,692
US	324,957	325,563	325,753	326,237	328,178	330,678

¹ December preceding year.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 For All Layers During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999**

State	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
AL	1,957	1,932	1,772	1,979	1,914	1,973
AR	1,919	1,901	1,709	1,924	1,891	1,951
CA	2,261	2,180	1,963	2,217	2,089	2,120
CO	2,193	2,128	1,867	2,123	2,140	2,227
CT	2,312	2,303	2,061	2,293	2,170	2,173
FL	2,259	2,298	2,096	2,255	2,090	2,127
GA	2,133	2,078	1,870	2,127	2,020	2,033
HI	2,119	2,068	1,876	2,075	2,037	2,079
IL	2,140	2,179	2,048	2,272	2,158	2,271
IN	2,213	2,246	2,010	2,230	2,156	2,237
IA	2,157	2,175	2,017	2,287	2,205	2,244
ME	2,464	2,468	2,222	2,486	2,407	2,454
MD	2,334	2,354	2,151	2,364	2,200	2,258
MI	2,290	2,203	1,952	2,181	2,161	2,142
MN	2,178	2,153	1,940	2,146	2,073	2,154
MS	1,940	1,997	1,831	2,046	1,946	1,949
MO	2,259	2,205	1,998	2,238	2,145	2,266
NE	2,202	2,146	1,964	2,185	2,081	2,127
NY	2,432	2,406	2,149	2,390	2,298	2,340
NC	1,974	1,944	1,766	1,951	1,878	1,936
OH	2,304	2,243	1,907	2,204	2,271	2,360
OK	1,963	1,963	1,754	1,974	1,927	1,986
OR	2,270	2,264	2,082	2,271	2,154	2,251
PA	2,334	2,335	2,089	2,326	2,249	2,285
SC	1,971	1,948	1,851	2,076	2,033	2,114
SD	2,270	2,305	2,076	2,276	2,254	2,338
TX	2,175	2,098	1,910	2,162	2,031	2,100
VA	1,894	1,890	1,761	1,984	1,911	1,954
WA	2,322	2,356	2,099	2,334	2,224	2,281
WI	2,281	2,289	2,096	2,273	2,215	2,297
30 Sts	2,188	2,165	1,947	2,184	2,112	2,166
Oth Sts ²	2,232	2,171	1,921	2,193	2,087	2,154
US	2,190	2,165	1,946	2,185	2,110	2,166

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**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 For All Layers During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999 (continued)**

State	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
AL	1,897	1,926	1,904	1,858	1,961	1,937
AR	1,886	1,920	1,931	1,907	1,949	1,878
CA	2,124	2,197	2,198	2,170	2,220	2,141
CO	2,140	2,175	2,186	2,223	2,365	2,253
CT	2,129	2,314	2,298	2,205	2,336	2,332
FL	2,068	2,146	2,160	2,116	2,201	2,144
GA	1,988	2,043	2,044	2,024	2,124	2,098
HI	2,010	2,020	1,964	1,987	2,037	1,940
IL	2,327	2,338	2,242	2,308	2,417	2,305
IN	2,211	2,274	2,262	2,200	2,246	2,209
IA	2,141	2,155	2,240	2,236	2,289	2,210
ME	2,294	2,336	2,421	2,313	2,379	2,321
MD	2,118	2,175	2,236	2,072	2,160	2,269
MI	2,019	2,219	2,351	2,206	2,201	2,197
MN	2,093	2,184	2,188	2,102	2,165	2,114
MS	1,895	1,944	1,937	1,864	1,933	1,928
MO	2,231	2,199	2,187	2,192	2,292	2,242
NE	2,088	2,133	2,116	2,090	2,159	2,116
NY	2,294	2,362	2,362	2,268	2,387	2,304
NC	1,865	1,913	1,926	1,894	1,943	1,870
OH	2,239	2,246	2,269	2,193	2,238	2,188
OK	1,925	1,946	2,022	1,938	2,010	1,926
OR	2,239	2,319	2,217	2,141	2,245	2,228
PA	2,179	2,239	2,286	2,251	2,315	2,216
SC	2,082	2,134	2,159	2,150	2,138	2,090
SD	2,209	2,329	2,363	2,295	2,343	2,212
TX	2,098	2,185	2,196	2,114	2,166	2,152
VA	1,998	2,096	2,007	1,903	2,032	1,993
WA	2,249	2,336	2,352	2,259	2,274	2,231
WI	2,206	2,353	2,404	2,289	2,327	2,324
30 Sts	2,104	2,158	2,175	2,127	2,190	2,137
Oth Sts ²	2,100	2,164	2,207	2,145	2,238	2,144
US	2,104	2,158	2,177	2,128	2,193	2,138

¹ December preceding year.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 For All Layers During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000**

State	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
AL	1,982	1,927	1,786	1,937	1,890	1,922
AR	1,926	1,954	1,847	1,957	1,885	1,968
CA	2,250	2,219	2,054	2,252	2,152	2,170
CO	2,298	2,332	2,119	2,236	2,166	2,230
CT	2,429	2,344	2,164	2,316	2,221	2,294
FL	2,284	2,218	2,008	2,241	2,139	2,104
GA	2,181	2,122	1,954	2,143	2,077	2,058
HI	2,086	2,103	1,946	2,081	2,033	2,076
IL	2,331	2,193	2,079	2,347	2,189	2,237
IN	2,335	2,288	2,114	2,279	2,224	2,284
IA	2,247	2,255	2,132	2,276	2,236	2,341
ME	2,393	2,400	2,219	2,383	2,311	2,416
MD	2,405	2,370	2,138	2,225	2,129	2,185
MI	2,257	2,171	2,011	2,209	2,139	2,122
MN	2,198	2,179	2,084	2,218	2,105	2,237
MS	2,022	1,998	1,859	2,027	1,954	1,975
MO	2,232	2,183	2,090	2,238	2,137	2,216
NE	2,186	2,097	1,916	2,146	2,129	2,107
NY	2,337	2,360	2,220	2,374	2,306	2,355
NC	1,934	1,912	1,785	1,902	1,829	1,885
OH	2,283	2,235	2,009	2,162	2,165	2,227
OK	1,944	1,947	1,814	1,977	1,914	1,991
OR	2,366	2,354	2,208	2,265	2,183	2,285
PA	2,271	2,238	2,103	2,303	2,241	2,306
SC	2,204	2,084	1,925	2,050	2,006	2,067
SD	2,208	2,241	2,037	2,150	2,144	2,329
TX	2,252	2,151	1,949	2,153	2,137	2,144
VA	2,023	1,937	1,779	2,043	2,027	2,074
WA	2,310	2,306	2,206	2,349	2,267	2,313
WI	2,419	2,368	2,205	2,385	2,318	2,275
30 Sts	2,215	2,177	2,013	2,186	2,128	2,175
Oth Sts ²	2,193	2,205	2,061	2,196	2,170	2,207
US	2,214	2,178	2,016	2,186	2,130	2,177

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**Eggs: Number Laid per 100 For All Layers During the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000 (continued)**

State	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
AL	1,842	1,893	1,913	1,871	1,976	1,901
AR	1,912	1,972	1,945	1,871	1,997	1,969
CA	2,111	2,210	2,243	2,150	2,199	2,145
CO	2,247	2,313	2,295	2,180	2,259	2,219
CT	2,208	2,328	2,400	2,244	2,364	2,360
FL	2,054	2,169	2,222	2,134	2,236	2,176
GA	1,963	2,035	2,055	1,979	2,035	2,029
HI	1,934	2,023	1,977	1,821	1,846	1,820
IL	2,111	2,161	2,266	2,213	2,297	2,176
IN	2,217	2,282	2,247	2,170	2,241	2,173
IA	2,232	2,294	2,279	2,181	2,219	2,196
ME	2,142	2,012	1,979	2,098	2,349	2,167
MD	1,929	1,998	2,157	2,142	2,275	2,044
MI	2,073	2,228	2,221	2,157	2,226	2,174
MN	2,161	2,179	2,208	2,133	2,187	2,109
MS	1,927	2,013	1,968	1,875	1,972	1,974
MO	2,171	2,273	2,356	2,197	2,112	2,098
NE	1,975	2,063	2,158	2,137	2,183	2,090
NY	2,300	2,424	2,413	2,276	2,355	2,285
NC	1,811	1,867	1,858	1,793	1,875	1,881
OH	2,137	2,268	2,276	2,158	2,189	2,111
OK	1,893	1,955	1,969	1,927	1,984	1,917
OR	2,182	2,235	2,267	2,134	2,270	2,302
PA	2,210	2,294	2,320	2,213	2,305	2,287
SC	1,970	2,028	2,124	2,171	2,235	2,161
SD	2,234	2,229	2,325	2,273	2,338	2,257
TX	2,078	2,161	2,129	2,041	2,118	2,074
VA	2,037	2,020	1,989	1,823	1,987	2,070
WA	2,229	2,329	2,295	2,102	2,188	2,200
WI	2,060	2,189	2,303	2,226	2,373	2,357
30 Sts	2,089	2,167	2,181	2,097	2,169	2,122
Oth Sts ²	2,152	2,193	2,181	2,156	2,232	2,165
US	2,093	2,169	2,181	2,101	2,173	2,125

¹ December preceding year.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**All Layers: Percent Being Molted First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	4.5	1.0	1.5	0.5	4.0	5.0
AR	2.5	3.0	1.5	2.5	2.5	1.5
CA	7.5	8.0	7.5	5.0	11.0	10.5
CO	2.5	6.5	1.5	4.5	2.5	4.0
CT	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	5.5
FL	4.5	6.5	8.0	8.5	11.5	13.0
GA	4.0	6.5	3.0	2.5	5.5	5.5
HI	7.5	6.5	10.5	3.5	10.0	7.0
IL	8.5	11.5	8.5	3.5	10.0	8.5
IN	1.0	3.5	3.0	2.5	4.0	3.0
IA	4.5	4.5	3.0	4.5	5.5	4.0
ME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MD	1.0	4.5	2.0	0.0	3.0	7.5
MI	6.5	6.0	2.5	0.5	10.0	4.0
MN	5.0	2.5	3.0	2.0	5.0	4.5
MS	4.5	12.0	2.5	4.0	6.0	3.5
MO	1.0	7.0	3.0	0.0	2.5	1.5
NE	5.5	4.5	1.0	6.0	6.0	8.0
NY	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0
NC	1.5	1.5	1.0	0.5	2.5	3.5
OH	4.5	5.0	2.0	1.5	3.0	3.5
OK	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0
OR	2.5	3.0	3.0	7.5	3.0	8.0
PA	4.5	5.5	4.5	4.0	6.0	7.5
SC	5.0	3.0	1.0	2.5	13.5	1.0
SD	3.0	2.5	2.5	3.5	4.5	7.5
TX	6.0	6.0	5.5	0.5	6.5	7.0
VA	3.5	0.5	0.5	5.0	8.5	0.0
WA	4.5	5.0	8.5	4.0	8.0	4.5
WI	3.5	4.5	0.0	6.0	0.0	5.0
30 Sts	4.1	4.8	3.3	2.9	5.5	5.2
Oth Sts ¹	3.5	6.2	3.5	1.3	6.7	4.3
US	4.1	4.9	3.3	2.8	5.6	5.2

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**All Layers: Percent Being Molted First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999 (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	3.0	2.5	2.0	2.5	2.0	0.0
AR	3.0	2.5	1.0	1.5	2.5	1.0
CA	11.0	10.0	6.5	6.5	8.0	5.0
CO	5.0	1.5	5.0	5.5	0.0	2.0
CT	3.5	0.0	3.5	3.5	0.0	0.0
FL	8.5	7.0	6.5	6.5	4.5	1.5
GA	6.0	6.0	3.5	3.5	1.0	1.0
HI	7.5	9.0	8.0	9.5	6.0	6.5
IL	1.5	2.5	0.0	1.5	0.5	1.5
IN	3.5	1.0	2.5	3.0	5.0	1.5
IA	7.5	7.0	3.5	5.5	4.0	2.5
ME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MD	10.5	9.0	10.5	11.0	6.5	3.5
MI	10.0	2.5	2.0	3.5	2.5	1.0
MN	4.5	6.0	5.0	3.5	3.0	2.5
MS	2.5	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.5
MO	15.0	14.5	6.0	2.0	3.0	2.0
NE	8.0	8.0	8.0	9.0	7.5	3.5
NY	0.0	3.5	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.5
NC	3.5	1.5	2.5	3.0	2.0	0.5
OH	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	1.0
OK	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.5	3.5
OR	4.5	2.5	10.5	7.0	4.0	2.5
PA	7.5	6.5	6.0	5.5	6.0	5.5
SC	6.0	7.0	12.5	5.0	6.5	0.0
SD	7.5	4.5	2.5	4.0	2.5	2.5
TX	3.0	3.0	12.0	5.5	2.0	0.5
VA	0.5	4.0	3.0	6.5	1.0	3.0
WA	6.0	4.0	4.0	6.5	5.5	4.0
WI	2.0	1.0	2.5	3.5	2.5	0.5
30 Sts	5.5	4.7	4.5	4.2	3.7	2.1
Oth Sts ¹	6.2	3.1	2.8	3.8	2.9	0.7
US	5.5	4.6	4.3	4.2	3.6	2.0

¹ Estimates for individual States are not available.

**All Layers: Percent Being Molted First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	1.5	4.5	5.0	1.5	2.5	5.0
AR	1.0	3.0	6.0	2.5	2.0	2.5
CA	4.0	7.0	5.0	3.0	7.5	11.0
CO	0.0	1.5	2.5	0.0	2.0	3.0
CT	0.0	6.0	2.5	0.0	2.0	2.0
FL	3.0	8.0	6.0	2.5	4.0	8.0
GA	3.0	6.5	3.5	1.0	7.0	9.0
HI	6.5	5.5	6.5	7.5	7.5	9.5
IL	1.5	15.5	14.0	0.5	3.0	12.0
IN	2.0	4.0	2.5	1.5	3.5	3.0
IA	5.0	3.5	4.5	3.5	1.5	4.5
ME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MD	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	10.0
MI	6.5	6.0	2.0	2.0	10.0	10.0
MN	1.5	4.0	3.0	3.5	4.5	6.5
MS	2.0	4.0	3.0	0.5	0.5	5.5
MO	0.0	3.0	1.0	3.0	2.0	2.5
NE	6.0	9.0	3.5	3.5	4.5	7.5
NY	1.0	1.5	1.5	0.5	1.0	2.0
NC	1.0	3.0	1.5	1.0	0.5	2.0
OH	0.5	4.5	1.5	2.0	4.0	5.5
OK	1.5	1.0	1.0	2.5	1.0	1.0
OR	6.5	0.0	4.0	5.5	7.5	3.0
PA	4.5	5.5	3.5	2.5	5.0	6.5
SC	5.5	11.5	7.0	1.5	5.0	7.0
SD	4.0	4.0	3.5	3.5	2.0	2.0
TX	2.5	4.5	3.0	1.0	4.5	6.0
VA	5.5	8.5	4.5	0.0	2.5	0.5
WA	4.5	5.0	6.5	6.0	5.5	9.0
WI	6.0	4.0	4.0	1.0	4.5	8.5
30 Sts	2.8	4.9	3.6	2.1	4.0	5.8
Oth Sts ¹	4.5	6.2	5.3	3.4	4.2	5.2
US	2.9	5.0	3.7	2.2	4.0	5.8

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**All Layers: Percent Being Molted First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000 (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	1.5	0.5	2.0	0.5	0.0	2.0
AR	1.5	2.0	3.0	5.0	3.0	1.0
CA	9.0	6.0	6.5	6.0	7.5	4.0
CO	3.5	1.5	0.0	7.0	0.0	2.0
CT	3.0	0.0	3.0	5.5	2.0	0.0
FL	7.5	6.0	5.5	6.0	2.0	2.0
GA	5.0	5.0	3.0	7.0	4.0	1.5
HI	12.5	6.5	4.0	5.0	6.0	8.0
IL	22.0	13.0	6.0	2.0	2.5	4.0
IN	2.0	5.0	3.5	5.0	2.0	3.0
IA	4.5	4.0	4.0	5.5	5.5	5.5
ME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MD	2.0	0.0	6.5	6.5	8.0	2.0
MI	4.5	2.5	4.0	3.0	7.0	4.5
MN	2.5	1.5	3.0	4.5	4.5	2.5
MS	4.0	1.0	4.0	0.0	1.5	0.0
MO	2.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	4.5	0.0
NE	10.0	7.5	5.0	6.5	7.5	10.0
NY	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.5	2.5	2.5
NC	2.0	0.5	1.5	1.0	1.5	0.0
OH	6.5	9.0	10.5	12.0	9.5	4.5
OK	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0
OR	4.0	4.0	9.0	6.0	4.5	8.5
PA	4.5	2.5	5.0	6.0	1.5	1.5
SC	6.5	3.0	2.0	3.5	0.0	0.0
SD	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.5	3.5	4.0
TX	2.5	1.5	4.0	7.5	1.5	1.0
VA	6.5	8.5	3.0	6.0	3.0	3.5
WA	6.0	6.0	9.0	9.0	10.5	7.0
WI	7.0	12.5	7.5	5.0	0.5	2.0
30 Sts	4.7	4.2	4.6	5.8	4.1	3.0
Oth Sts ¹	6.3	6.5	5.8	4.3	2.3	1.3
US	4.8	4.3	4.6	5.7	4.0	2.9

¹ Estimates for individual States are not available.

**All Layers: Percent Molt Completed First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	13.5	13.0	13.0	13.0	11.0	12.0
AR	8.0	7.5	9.5	9.5	9.0	11.0
CA	38.5	36.5	36.5	37.5	37.5	41.0
CO	36.0	34.0	34.5	34.0	28.5	28.0
CT	12.5	12.0	10.0	9.5	5.0	3.5
FL	35.0	35.0	30.5	34.0	35.0	32.0
GA	17.5	19.0	20.0	17.0	17.5	15.5
HI	42.0	38.0	38.0	39.0	38.5	44.0
IL	25.5	14.5	17.5	22.5	28.0	31.0
IN	29.5	31.0	30.0	31.0	30.0	31.0
IA	30.0	29.0	28.5	27.5	31.5	28.0
ME	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.0
MD	31.0	37.0	36.5	36.0	30.0	37.0
MI	21.5	24.5	18.5	22.0	18.0	22.0
MN	34.5	34.5	35.5	34.5	33.0	34.5
MS	8.5	9.0	3.0	6.0	9.5	8.0
MO	18.0	11.5	20.0	19.5	23.5	23.0
NE	15.0	15.0	15.0	18.0	22.0	21.5
NY	5.5	5.5	5.5	4.5	4.5	4.0
NC	9.5	7.0	8.0	8.5	7.5	7.5
OH	12.0	14.5	16.0	15.0	12.5	12.5
OK	8.5	7.5	7.0	6.5	6.5	5.5
OR	27.5	43.5	41.5	42.0	36.5	33.5
PA	21.0	19.0	17.5	17.5	17.0	17.0
SC	26.5	23.0	19.0	19.0	18.0	27.0
SD	26.0	27.0	27.0	27.5	26.5	26.5
TX	25.5	24.5	17.0	17.5	21.0	22.0
VA	4.0	8.0	9.0	1.5	8.5	13.0
WA	49.5	47.5	46.0	47.0	45.0	47.0
WI	29.0	26.5	27.0	30.5	35.5	22.0
30 Sts	22.3	22.1	21.5	21.6	21.8	22.0
Oth Sts ¹	26.1	22.0	27.7	23.8	20.4	19.6
US	22.5	22.1	21.8	21.7	21.7	21.9

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**All Layers: Percent Molt Completed First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 1999 (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	13.0	11.0	11.5	12.0	11.0	15.5
AR	10.0	11.5	11.0	10.0	9.5	7.0
CA	43.0	42.5	41.5	41.5	42.5	41.0
CO	25.5	26.5	25.0	21.0	26.0	24.0
CT	6.0	9.0	9.5	9.0	12.5	10.5
FL	39.5	39.0	30.5	33.0	41.5	40.5
GA	16.5	14.5	17.0	17.0	16.0	13.5
HI	47.5	45.5	43.5	43.5	41.0	44.5
IL	26.0	29.0	16.5	21.5	21.5	12.5
IN	28.0	29.5	28.5	27.0	26.5	42.5
IA	27.0	30.0	28.0	31.0	32.5	32.0
ME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MD	39.0	38.5	31.0	35.0	39.0	37.0
MI	27.0	28.5	28.5	28.0	22.0	27.0
MN	33.5	34.0	34.5	33.0	35.5	34.0
MS	11.0	12.5	12.5	12.0	12.5	12.0
MO	16.0	16.5	24.5	27.5	26.0	28.0
NE	23.0	25.5	26.0	28.0	27.5	28.5
NY	4.0	3.0	3.5	6.0	3.5	4.0
NC	9.5	9.0	9.5	8.0	8.0	9.5
OH	14.5	15.5	13.5	13.5	12.5	16.5
OK	5.5	8.0	9.0	8.0	8.0	7.5
OR	33.0	29.5	33.0	32.5	35.5	40.0
PA	16.5	20.0	21.0	22.0	20.0	22.0
SC	19.0	22.5	16.0	26.0	25.5	29.5
SD	26.5	31.5	30.5	31.5	31.0	29.0
TX	25.0	24.5	22.0	24.5	23.0	23.0
VA	6.5	10.5	10.0	8.0	14.0	16.0
WA	46.5	44.5	43.5	42.0	42.5	44.0
WI	24.5	22.5	18.0	17.0	20.5	22.5
30 Sts	22.3	23.2	22.3	22.9	23.1	24.7
Oth Sts ¹	18.2	20.1	20.9	20.3	22.1	19.5
US	22.1	23.0	22.2	22.8	23.1	24.4

¹ Estimates for individual States are not available.

**All Layers: Percent Molt Completed First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	13.0	8.5	8.5	11.0	10.5	5.5
AR	8.0	8.5	9.0	5.0	6.0	6.0
CA	39.0	38.5	42.5	40.0	38.0	34.0
CO	24.0	23.5	20.5	20.0	20.0	25.5
CT	11.5	11.5	11.0	14.0	14.0	11.0
FL	42.0	38.0	36.0	33.0	36.0	36.0
GA	15.5	15.5	15.0	16.0	15.5	13.5
HI	47.0	45.0	46.5	43.0	44.0	49.0
IL	8.5	5.5	12.5	25.0	13.0	16.5
IN	32.0	29.0	29.0	34.0	33.5	29.5
IA	33.0	30.0	33.5	30.5	32.0	24.5
ME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MD	37.0	40.0	42.0	38.5	38.0	32.5
MI	29.5	22.5	27.0	25.5	22.5	19.5
MN	29.0	31.5	30.0	31.5	30.5	31.0
MS	17.5	14.5	12.0	10.0	11.5	2.0
MO	25.0	22.5	25.5	23.0	22.0	21.5
NE	27.5	25.0	26.5	27.0	26.0	22.0
NY	4.0	5.0	4.5	5.5	6.5	5.5
NC	10.5	8.5	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
OH	13.0	12.0	14.0	11.5	13.5	15.0
OK	10.0	9.5	9.5	9.5	11.0	11.0
OR	32.5	37.5	38.5	35.5	38.5	36.5
PA	21.0	20.0	20.0	22.0	19.5	18.5
SC	27.5	26.0	32.5	33.0	33.0	28.5
SD	28.0	28.0	27.5	26.0	27.0	27.0
TX	21.0	15.5	13.0	21.5	19.0	18.0
VA	14.5	8.5	15.0	18.5	18.5	13.0
WA	44.0	38.5	39.5	42.0	43.0	42.5
WI	19.0	24.0	24.0	25.0	24.5	22.5
30 Sts	23.2	21.4	22.4	22.7	22.4	20.3
Oth Sts ¹	18.9	20.6	18.0	19.7	20.1	22.3
US	22.9	21.4	22.1	22.5	22.3	20.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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**All Layers: Percent Molt Completed First Day of the Month,
30 Selected States and US, 2000 (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	9.0	10.0	12.0	11.5	10.0	15.0
AR	7.5	10.0	9.5	10.0	12.0	14.0
CA	36.5	39.5	36.5	38.5	37.0	39.0
CO	24.0	20.0	26.5	22.5	22.5	26.0
CT	13.0	15.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	1.0
FL	34.0	31.0	33.5	33.0	31.0	38.5
GA	16.5	18.5	21.0	21.5	21.5	22.5
HI	49.0	54.0	49.0	52.5	46.5	44.5
IL	21.5	27.5	42.5	44.0	40.5	42.0
IN	28.0	23.5	27.5	25.5	26.5	34.0
IA	28.5	27.5	28.5	27.0	27.5	33.0
ME	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MD	35.0	34.0	29.5	35.0	34.5	39.0
MI	26.5	26.5	28.5	27.5	38.0	41.5
MN	34.5	29.0	31.5	35.0	34.0	31.0
MS	13.0	7.5	16.0	11.5	12.0	11.5
MO	17.0	21.5	13.0	9.5	25.0	21.0
NE	19.5	24.0	25.0	22.5	23.0	19.5
NY	6.5	7.0	6.0	4.0	5.5	7.0
NC	9.5	8.5	9.0	9.0	8.5	9.0
OH	15.5	13.5	15.5	16.0	17.0	26.5
OK	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.0	7.0	7.0
OR	36.0	32.5	35.0	36.5	36.5	36.5
PA	19.0	21.0	17.0	17.0	15.0	20.5
SC	36.0	36.5	33.5	33.5	28.0	28.0
SD	27.0	27.0	25.5	25.5	28.0	26.5
TX	19.5	18.5	19.0	17.5	22.5	21.5
VA	12.5	15.5	16.0	16.0	19.0	19.0
WA	42.0	42.5	38.5	41.5	39.5	48.0
WI	25.0	25.5	29.0	33.5	36.0	32.5
30 Sts	21.8	21.7	22.4	22.3	23.0	25.9
Oth Sts ¹	22.9	23.8	26.3	25.9	26.3	23.4
US	21.9	21.8	22.6	22.5	23.2	25.8

¹ Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During December,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000 ¹**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ²		All Hatching Type ²	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	207	207	88	79	119	128
AR	285	304	103	116	182	188
CA	596	561				
CO	78	88				
CT	72	75				
FL	248	244	234	233	14	11
GA	457	458	274	276	183	182
HI	12.8	12.1	12.8	12.1	0	0
IL	63	80	59	75	4	5
IN	486	531	474	519	12	12
IA	543	612				
ME	128	107				
MD	84	84	76	76	8	8
MI	132	140				
MN	264	282	254	273	10	9
MS	129	135	38	43	91	92
MO	150	138				
NE	235	259	235	259	0	0
NY	87	90				
NC	228	221	94	90	134	131
OH	699	718				
OK	79	77	46	45	33	32
OR	69	69	68	67	1	2
PA	531	516	515	498	16	18
SC	92	105	76	88	16	17
SD	50	47	50	47	0	0
TX	383	403				
VA	69	72	33	37	36	35
WA	116	109				
WI	82	105				
30 Sts	6,655	6,850	5,662	5,843	993	1,007
Oth Sts ³	396	430	317	355	79	74
US	7,051	7,279	5,979	6,198	1,072	1,081

¹ December preceding year.

² Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

³ Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During January,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	204	202	82	73	122	129
AR	286	303	100	117	186	186
CA	580	544				
CO	74	88				
CT	72	73				
FL	252	236	238	224	14	12
GA	448	445	266	265	182	180
HI	12.7	12.2	12.7	12.2	0	0
IL	63	77	59	73	4	4
IN	491	518	479	506	12	12
IA	546	618				
ME	125	104				
MD	85	82	78	74	7	8
MI	130	134				
MN	262	277	252	268	10	9
MS	136	132	42	42	94	90
MO	145	131				
NE	231	249	231	249	0	0
NY	87	92				
NC	223	219	88	88	135	131
OH	682	718				
OK	78	78	46	46	32	32
OR	69	70	68	68	1	2
PA	530	509	513	491	17	18
SC	93	96	79	80	14	16
SD	50	48	50	48	0	0
TX	369	384				
VA	68	72	32	36	36	36
WA	116	109				
WI	82	104				
30 Sts	6,590	6,725	5,589	5,723	1,001	1,002
Oth Sts ²	389	432	309	347	80	85
US	6,979	7,157	5,898	6,070	1,081	1,087

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During February,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	188	189	76	66	112	123
AR	261	286	93	109	168	177
CA	515	500				
CO	66	81				
CT	64	68				
FL	230	212	217	200	13	12
GA	406	399	241	237	165	162
HI	11.8	11.6	11.8	11.6	0	0
IL	57	75	53	71	4	4
IN	444	481	433	469	11	12
IA	498	586				
ME	108	94				
MD	77	73	71	67	6	6
MI	115	126				
MN	237	265	227	256	10	9
MS	128	125	41	39	87	86
MO	131	128				
NE	213	227	213	227	0	0
NY	80	86				
NC	202	205	78	82	124	123
OH	584	646				
OK	70	74	41	43	29	31
OR	62	67	61	65	1	2
PA	476	489	460	472	16	17
SC	91	89	76	73	15	16
SD	45	44	45	44	0	0
TX	332	346				
VA	65	64	32	31	33	33
WA	103	104				
WI	74	96				
30 Sts	5,934	6,238	5,019	5,298	915	940
Oth Sts ²	347	410	276	327	71	83
US	6,281	6,648	5,295	5,625	986	1,023

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During March,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	211	206	86	71	125	135
AR	294	307	105	111	189	196
CA	570	546				
CO	74	88				
CT	72	72				
FL	244	238	231	226	13	12
GA	452	458	268	276	184	182
HI	13.3	12.8	13.3	12.8	0	0
IL	70	85	66	81	4	4
IN	494	522	482	508	12	14
IA	564	629				
ME	120	101				
MD	82	76	77	70	5	6
MI	129	143				
MN	262	281	251	271	11	10
MS	142	139	44	45	98	94
MO	148	139				
NE	238	253	238	253	0	0
NY	89	95				
NC	227	215	88	83	139	132
OH	679	681				
OK	81	81	46	46	35	35
OR	67	69	66	67	1	2
PA	530	542	513	524	17	18
SC	101	100	83	83	18	17
SD	49	47	49	47	0	0
TX	378	372				
VA	73	71	36	34	37	37
WA	112	112				
WI	82	106				
30 Sts	6,648	6,788	5,622	5,758	1,026	1,030
Oth Sts ²	404	446	321	352	83	94
US	7,052	7,234	5,943	6,110	1,109	1,124

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During April,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	204	199	83	68	121	131
AR	285	295	99	107	186	188
CA	525	516				
CO	74	86				
CT	68	68				
FL	224	226	212	214	12	12
GA	423	435	244	257	179	178
HI	13.1	12.5	13.1	12.5	0	0
IL	72	80	68	76	4	4
IN	473	513	461	500	12	13
IA	560	619				
ME	113	98				
MD	76	71	71	65	5	6
MI	122	135				
MN	255	262	245	252	10	10
MS	129	137	36	45	93	92
MO	144	126				
NE	230	250	230	250	0	0
NY	84	92				
NC	216	202	82	74	134	128
OH	700	685				
OK	80	79	45	44	35	35
OR	62	66	61	64	1	2
PA	508	518	491	497	17	21
SC	101	100	83	83	18	17
SD	49	47	49	47	0	0
TX	355	367				
VA	68	71	32	33	36	38
WA	105	109				
WI	81	104				
30 Sts	6,400	6,570	5,404	5,563	996	1,007
Oth Sts ²	385	443	304	348	81	95
US	6,785	7,013	5,708	5,911	1,077	1,102

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During May,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	210	198	84	63	126	135
AR	290	305	100	114	190	191
CA	532	515				
CO	76	86				
CT	67	70				
FL	225	217	213	205	12	12
GA	424	420	237	237	187	183
HI	13.1	12.6	13.1	12.6	0	0
IL	74	79	70	74	4	5
IN	490	524	478	511	12	13
IA	575	652				
ME	114	100				
MD	77	72	71	65	6	7
MI	121	130				
MN	266	279	255	269	11	10
MS	127	138	33	44	94	94
MO	150	132				
NE	239	250	239	250	0	0
NY	84	92				
NC	218	210	79	78	139	132
OH	729	699				
OK	82	82	46	46	36	36
OR	63	67	62	66	1	1
PA	513	520	495	497	18	23
SC	110	104	91	86	19	18
SD	52	51	52	51	0	0
TX	364	369				
VA	69	71	31	32	38	39
WA	108	114				
WI	84	99				
30 Sts	6,547	6,658	5,515	5,621	1,032	1,037
Oth Sts ²	394	446	309	349	85	97
US	6,941	7,104	5,824	5,970	1,117	1,134

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During June,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	203	192	77	59	126	133
AR	286	292	101	110	185	182
CA	532	501				
CO	73	81				
CT	64	69				
FL	214	208	202	197	12	11
GA	417	402	232	230	185	172
HI	12.5	11.8	12.5	11.8	0	0
IL	74	75	70	71	4	4
IN	489	502	477	490	12	12
IA	548	622				
ME	105	90				
MD	71	63	65	57	6	6
MI	117	131				
MN	259	273	249	263	10	10
MS	125	130	33	41	92	89
MO	141	132				
NE	235	238	235	238	0	0
NY	81	90				
NC	210	202	77	76	133	126
OH	681	662				
OK	80	77	44	44	36	33
OR	63	63	62	62	1	1
PA	489	497	472	477	17	20
SC	107	101	89	83	18	18
SD	49	49	49	49	0	0
TX	365	348				
VA	73	69	35	32	38	37
WA	105	110				
WI	83	88				
30 Sts	6,353	6,369	5,345	5,385	1,008	984
Oth Sts ²	389	432	307	337	82	95
US	6,742	6,801	5,652	5,722	1,090	1,079

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During July,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	207	200	77	62	130	138
AR	297	299	108	114	189	185
CA	542	523				
CO	75	83				
CT	69	75				
FL	222	220	209	209	13	11
GA	424	427	235	249	189	178
HI	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	0	0
IL	72	79	68	75	4	4
IN	500	515	487	502	13	13
IA	559	634				
ME	106	87				
MD	68	60	62	54	6	6
MI	130	142				
MN	268	275	258	265	10	10
MS	130	133	36	42	94	91
MO	134	135				
NE	240	249	240	249	0	0
NY	83	95				
NC	215	205	81	78	134	127
OH	684	707				
OK	80	79	45	45	35	34
OR	66	65	65	64	1	1
PA	503	529	487	508	16	21
SC	106	105	88	87	18	18
SD	51	49	51	49	0	0
TX	373	355				
VA	77	70	38	34	39	36
WA	110	114				
WI	91	96				
30 Sts	6,495	6,617	5,472	5,609	1,023	1,008
Oth Sts ²	408	444	325	343	83	101
US	6,903	7,061	5,797	5,952	1,106	1,109

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During August,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	205	200	75	61	130	139
AR	293	296	107	115	186	181
CA	546	530				
CO	78	80				
CT	69	77				
FL	227	229	214	218	13	11
GA	417	426	234	251	183	175
HI	11.9	12.0	11.9	12.0	0	0
IL	75	80	72	76	3	4
IN	495	505	482	492	13	13
IA	585	630				
ME	112	85				
MD	64	62	58	57	6	5
MI	137	137				
MN	271	278	261	269	10	9
MS	131	130	39	41	92	89
MO	136	140				
NE	239	260	239	260	0	0
NY	85	96				
NC	213	202	81	80	132	122
OH	696	708				
OK	82	79	47	46	35	33
OR	63	67	62	65	1	2
PA	512	547	496	526	16	21
SC	106	111	88	93	18	18
SD	51	51	51	51	0	0
TX	374	362				
VA	73	68	33	34	40	34
WA	111	110				
WI	91	104				
30 Sts	6,549	6,662	5,539	5,671	1,010	991
Oth Sts ²	422	442	337	344	85	98
US	6,971	7,104	5,876	6,015	1,095	1,089

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During September,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	199	193	72	61	127	132
AR	290	281	105	107	185	174
CA	551	512				
CO	81	75				
CT	67	71				
FL	224	222	212	211	12	11
GA	419	403	242	238	177	165
HI	11.9	11.0	11.9	11.0	0	0
IL	84	77	81	73	3	4
IN	483	488	472	476	11	12
IA	587	619				
ME	108	88				
MD	62	63	56	58	6	5
MI	129	131				
MN	261	267	251	258	10	9
MS	127	124	38	40	89	84
MO	136	137				
NE	238	257	238	257	0	0
NY	83	93				
NC	207	195	82	79	125	116
OH	674	662				
OK	78	76	45	44	33	32
OR	61	65	60	63	1	2
PA	506	529	491	510	15	19
SC	103	110	86	92	17	18
SD	49	50	49	50	0	0
TX	363	357				
VA	69	61	33	30	36	31
WA	107	100				
WI	88	104				
30 Sts	6,446	6,421	5,468	5,478	978	943
Oth Sts ²	415	433	329	342	86	91
US	6,861	6,854	5,797	5,820	1,064	1,034

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During October,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	208	200	79	67	129	133
AR	299	297	109	114	190	183
CA	571	527				
CO	87	77				
CT	72	74				
FL	236	237	224	225	12	12
GA	447	420	261	246	186	174
HI	12.1	11.3	12.1	11.3	0	0
IL	89	80	85	76	4	4
IN	495	505	484	492	11	13
IA	601	659				
ME	110	96				
MD	70	71	64	65	6	6
MI	134	136				
MN	266	271	257	261	9	10
MS	133	129	40	43	93	86
MO	138	137				
NE	250	260	250	260	0	0
NY	88	97				
NC	216	206	89	85	127	121
OH	698	657				
OK	79	76	46	45	33	31
OR	65	69	64	68	1	1
PA	528	560	513	542	15	18
SC	103	112	85	94	18	18
SD	50	52	50	52	0	0
TX	374	378				
VA	72	66	37	34	35	32
WA	109	107				
WI	95	112				
30 Sts	6,695	6,679	5,689	5,707	1,006	972
Oth Sts ²	437	451	350	356	87	95
US	7,132	7,130	6,039	6,063	1,093	1,067

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Eggs: Production by Type During November,
30 Selected States and US, 1999-2000**

State	Total		Table Egg Type ¹		All Hatching Type ¹	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>	<i>Million Eggs</i>
AL	204	192	80	64	124	128
AR	292	294	108	118	184	176
CA	546	518				
CO	85	75				
CT	72	74				
FL	230	234	219	224	11	10
GA	442	421	263	252	179	169
HI	11.6	11.3	11.6	11.3	0	0
IL	83	77	78	73	5	4
IN	498	494	486	481	12	13
IA	588	674				
ME	107	87				
MD	78	68	71	61	7	7
MI	136	135				
MN	267	261	259	252	8	9
MS	132	129	41	43	91	86
MO	137	139				
NE	249	247	249	247	0	0
NY	86	95				
NC	212	208	87	85	125	123
OH	687	620				
OK	76	73	44	43	32	30
OR	65	68	64	67	1	1
PA	509	557	493	541	16	16
SC	102	112	85	95	17	17
SD	47	50	47	50	0	0
TX	383	382				
VA	69	69	36	38	33	31
WA	105	108				
WI	98	107				
30 Sts	6,597	6,579	5,620	5,632	977	947
Oth Sts ²	420	448	347	357	73	91
US	7,017	7,027	5,967	5,989	1,050	1,038

¹ Data by type of flock not shown for some States to avoid disclosing individual operations.

² Estimates for individual States are not available.

**Chickens: Layers on Hand by State and United States,
December 1, 1999-2000**

State	Layers 1 Year Old and Older		Layers 20 Weeks Old But Less Than 1 Year		Total Layers	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	4,782	3,851	5,713	6,332	10,495	10,183
AR	5,448	5,293	10,365	9,560	15,813	14,853
CA	13,568	12,208	11,647	12,095	25,215	24,303
CO	1,052	1,440	2,748	1,970	3,800	3,410
CT	1,396	968	1,697	2,202	3,093	3,170
DE	473	643	1,055	667	1,528	1,310
FL	5,659	5,292	5,012	5,446	10,671	10,738
GA	7,990	8,984	12,965	11,794	20,955	20,778
HI	404	435	184	174	588	609
ID	582	535	369	356	951	891
IL	1,580	2,130	1,880	1,489	3,460	3,619
IN	10,786	10,453	12,150	12,585	22,936	23,038
IA	12,890	15,840	14,147	15,223	27,037	31,063
KS	915	960	565	851	1,480	1,811
KY	1,655	1,070	2,045	2,700	3,700	3,770
LA	770	920	1,172	1,108	1,942	2,028
ME	2,210	1,934	2,391	2,063	4,601	3,997
MD	1,609	1,559	1,895	1,821	3,504	3,380
MA	69	148	275	159	344	307
MI	2,174	3,480	4,013	2,825	6,187	6,305
MN	6,535	7,000	6,430	5,480	12,965	12,480
MS	2,150	2,383	4,643	4,218	6,793	6,601
MO	3,330	3,590	2,854	3,075	6,184	6,665
MT	45	75	245	245	290	320
NE	6,064	5,140	5,778	6,700	11,842	11,840
NH	42	21	92	137	134	158
NJ	685	1,437	1,365	726	2,050	2,163
NY	1,510	1,480	2,230	2,750	3,740	4,230
NC	3,653	3,582	7,674	7,440	11,327	11,022
OH	17,433	15,976	13,899	13,155	31,332	29,131
OK	1,600	1,520	2,400	2,350	4,000	3,870
OR	1,416	1,674	1,480	1,235	2,896	2,909
PA	11,061	9,362	11,727	14,817	22,788	24,179
RI	8	10	43	46	51	56
SC	2,778	2,257	2,100	3,036	4,878	5,293
SD	108	1,150	2,007	1,040	2,115	2,190
TN	240	460	941	787	1,181	1,247
TX	9,236	7,708	8,929	10,952	18,165	18,660
UT	974	1,832	1,320	1,343	2,294	3,175
VT	40	35	208	178	248	213
VA	708	1,025	2,707	2,342	3,415	3,367
WA	2,092	3,508	2,563	1,375	4,655	4,883
WV	306	155	850	842	1,156	997
WI	2,020	2,291	2,231	2,157	4,251	4,448
WY	8	8	4	4	12	12
Oth Sts ¹	1,860	1,400	398	1,133	2,258	2,533
US	151,914	153,222	177,406	178,983	329,320	332,205

¹ AK, AZ and NV, NM, ND combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

**Chickens: Pullets Not of Laying Age and Other Chickens
by State and United States, December 1, 1999-2000**

State	Pullets 13 Weeks Old and Older But Less Than 20 Weeks		Pullet Chicks and Pullets Under 13 Weeks of Age		Other Chickens	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	2,036	1,785	2,477	2,581	1,124	1,098
AR	2,852	2,725	4,530	4,067	2,578	1,500
CA	2,430	2,035	3,523	3,084	80	134
CO	210	206	300	395	169	159
CT	309	213	516	489	73	73
DE	36	157	183	74	33	35
FL	644	792	1,467	1,203	60	85
GA	3,504	2,520	4,303	5,352	1,255	1,155
HI	70	56	63	57	0	0
ID	157	130	187	210	6	10
IL	222	309	416	85	26	35
IN	2,214	1,686	4,393	3,953	64	64
IA	2,756	2,657	3,471	4,059	64	46
KS	134	32	134	155	2	1
KY	857	760	823	1,050	270	220
LA	295	214	277	285	116	53
ME	558	762	1,066	887	9	6
MD	246	629	942	440	76	72
MA	29	3	46	47	0	0
MI	537	569	1,060	721	3	1
MN	1,130	1,730	2,470	1,542	60	63
MS	1,440	1,173	2,059	1,966	784	555
MO	412	480	1,665	910	182	170
MT	44	58	75	81	1	1
NE	203	424	1,801	1,628	0	3
NH	36	14	51	80	27	10
NJ	144	88	43	86	0	0
NY	690	465	545	890	25	15
NC	1,901	1,937	2,985	3,610	922	1,027
OH	3,620	2,853	5,435	3,806	51	42
OK	570	570	500	680	240	200
OR	264	245	546	546	8	3
PA	2,462	3,756	2,520	2,599	115	85
RI	1	6	0	3	0	0
SC	332	673	610	829	141	151
SD	154	60	171	280	0	0
TN	367	420	437	383	170	160
TX	1,890	2,785	3,850	3,475	495	440
UT	245	261	345	390	0	2
VT	25	4	0	27	1	2
VA	681	435	298	509	247	242
WA	914	841	663	993	1	4
WV	463	274	411	471	140	117
WI	301	414	845	931	40	30
WY	2	2	2	2	1	1
Oth Sts ¹	200	117	271	172	2	4
US	38,587	38,325	58,775	56,083	9,661	8,074

¹ AK, AZ and NV, NM, ND combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

**Chickens: Number, Value per Head and Total Value by State
and United States, December 1, 1999-2000 ¹**

State	Number		Value per Head		Total Value	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>1,000 Dollars</i>	<i>1,000 Dollars</i>
AL	16,132	15,647	5.40	5.30	87,113	82,929
AR	25,773	23,145	5.10	4.30	131,442	99,266
CA	31,248	29,556	1.80	2.10	56,246	62,068
CO	4,479	4,170	2.70	2.40	12,093	9,984
CT	3,991	3,945	2.10	2.20	8,381	8,679
DE	1,780	1,576	2.60	4.20	4,628	6,619
FL	12,842	12,818	2.30	2.20	29,537	28,200
GA	30,017	29,805	3.40	3.50	102,058	104,318
HI	721	722	2.30	2.00	1,658	1,444
ID	1,301	1,241	2.00	2.00	2,602	2,482
IL	4,124	4,048	1.60	1.70	6,598	6,882
IN	29,607	28,741	1.50	0.99	44,411	28,454
IA	33,328	37,825	1.50	1.30	49,992	49,173
KS	1,750	1,999	1.50	1.30	2,625	2,599
KY	5,650	5,800	2.60	2.80	14,690	16,240
LA	2,630	2,580	2.80	2.90	7,364	7,482
ME	6,234	5,652	2.20	2.30	13,715	13,000
MD	4,768	4,521	2.00	3.50	9,536	15,824
MA	419	357	2.70	3.00	1,131	1,071
MI	7,787	7,596	1.50	1.80	11,681	13,673
MN	16,625	15,815	1.70	1.80	28,263	28,467
MS	11,076	10,295	5.10	5.40	56,488	55,593
MO	8,443	8,225	2.90	2.50	24,485	20,563
MT	410	460	2.90	3.00	1,189	1,380
NE	13,846	13,895	1.70	1.80	23,538	25,011
NH	248	262	3.00	3.20	744	838
NJ	2,237	2,337	1.40	1.90	3,132	4,440
NY	5,000	5,600	1.40	1.40	7,000	7,840
NC	17,135	17,596	5.00	4.00	85,675	70,384
OH	40,438	35,832	1.90	1.50	76,832	53,748
OK	5,310	5,320	5.40	3.90	28,674	20,748
OR	3,714	3,703	1.40	1.40	5,200	5,184
PA	27,885	30,619	1.80	1.60	50,193	48,990
RI	52	65	2.30	2.50	120	163
SC	5,961	6,946	2.70	2.20	16,095	15,281
SD	2,440	2,530	2.20	2.00	5,368	5,060
TN	2,155	2,210	5.80	6.00	12,499	13,260
TX	24,400	25,360	2.80	2.20	68,320	55,792
UT	2,884	3,828	1.40	1.80	4,038	6,890
VT	274	246	2.40	2.60	658	640
VA	4,641	4,553	4.60	4.20	21,349	19,123
WA	6,233	6,721	1.70	1.90	10,596	12,770
WV	2,170	1,859	5.30	4.80	11,501	8,923
WI	5,437	5,823	2.00	2.00	10,874	11,646
WY	17	17	2.00	2.80	34	48
Oth Sts ²	2,731	2,826	1.66	1.80	4,532	5,083
US	436,343	434,687	2.65	2.43	1,154,898	1,058,252

¹ Excludes commercial broilers.

² AK, AZ and NV, NM, ND combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

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