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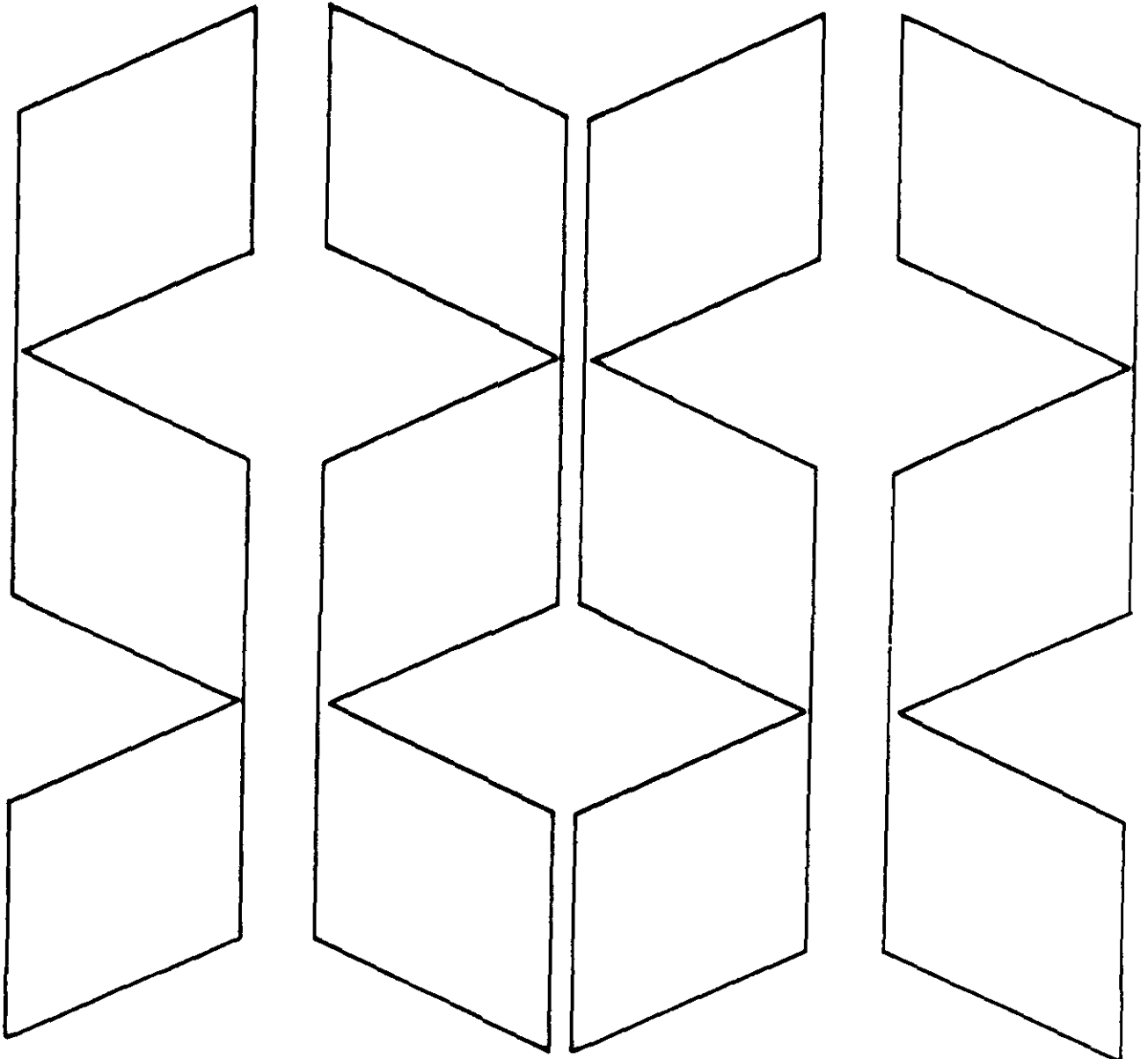
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1988 Summary

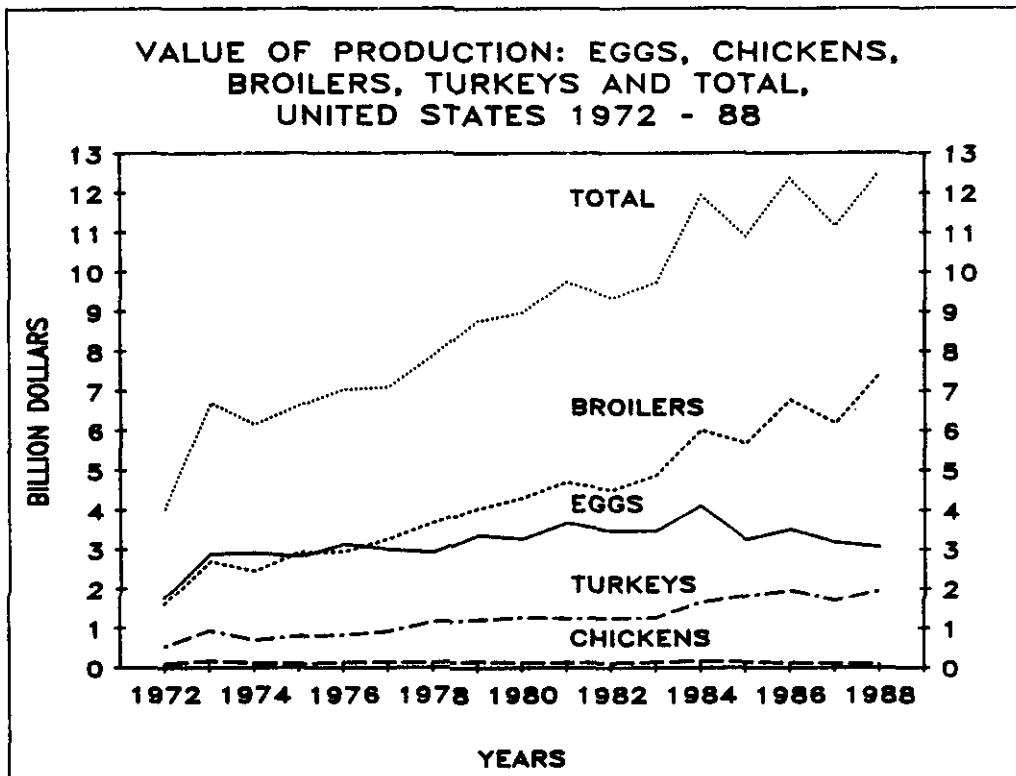


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VALUE OF PRODUCTION: BROILERS, EGGS, TURKEYS, CHICKENS AND TOTAL, UNITED STATES, 1972 - 88

YEAR	BROILERS	EGGS	TURKEYS	CHICKENS 1/:	TOTAL
1,000 DOLLARS					
1972	1,622,638	1,780,881	536,945	100,634	4,041,098
1973	2,690,362	2,885,770	935,882	169,495	6,681,509
1974	2,436,224	2,909,522	683,164	116,414	6,145,324
1975	2,915,017	2,819,275	793,271	104,093	6,631,656
1976	2,945,058	3,133,364	825,095	135,539	7,039,056
1977	3,059,497	2,994,957	910,396	132,675	7,097,525
1978	3,675,628	2,920,788	1,157,200	130,048	7,883,664
1979	4,031,945	3,359,872	1,214,357	160,088	8,766,262
1980	4,302,818	3,267,563	1,271,637	128,268	8,970,286
1981	4,699,379	3,671,143	1,247,803	132,271	9,750,596
1982	4,502,214	3,458,873	1,254,700	118,915	9,334,702
1983	4,872,707	3,469,368	1,269,051	147,454	9,758,580
1984	6,017,504	4,110,920	1,655,256	169,732	11,953,412
1985	5,680,188	3,252,519	1,818,626	152,175	10,903,508
1986	6,780,124	3,510,273	1,948,438	127,572	12,366,407
1987	6,175,721	3,178,185	1,702,784	112,129	11,168,819
1988	7,432,451	3,058,998	1,954,750	96,346	12,542,545

1/ CASH RECEIPTS FOR 1972-84. VALUE OF SALES FOR 1985-88.

POULTRY

PRODUCTION AND VALUE, BY STATES, 1987-88

VALUE OF PRODUCTION AND SALES UP 12 PERCENT

The combined value of production from broilers, eggs and turkeys and the value of sales from chickens, in 1988 was \$12.5 billion, up 12 percent from the \$11.2 billion in 1987, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board. Of the combined total, 59 percent was from broilers, 24 percent from eggs, 16 percent from turkeys, and 1 percent from other chickens.

VALUE OF BROILER PRODUCTION UP 20 PERCENT

The value of broilers produced during 1988 was \$7.43 billion, up 20 percent from the \$6.18 billion in 1987. The total number of broilers produced in 1988 was 5.24 billion, up 5 percent from 1987. Prices in 1988 averaged 33.1 cents per pound on a live weight equivalent basis, compared with 28.7 cents during 1987.

VALUE OF EGG PRODUCTION DOWN 4 PERCENT

Value of egg production in 1988 was \$3.06 billion, down 4 percent from the \$3.18 billion in 1987. In 1988 eggs averaged 52.8 cents per dozen, compared with 54.9 cents in 1987.

VALUE OF TURKEY PRODUCTION UP 15 PERCENT

The value of turkeys produced during 1988 was \$1.95 billion, up 15 percent from \$1.70 billion the previous year. Turkey production in 1988 totaled 5.07 billion pounds live weight, compared with 4.89 billion pounds in 1987. The prices received by producers during 1988 averaged 38.6 cents per pound of live weight, compared with 34.8 cents a year earlier.

VALUE OF SALES OF CHICKENS DOWN 14 PERCENT

The value of sales from chickens (excluding broilers) in 1988 was \$96.3 million, down 14 percent from the \$112 million a year ago. Prices averaged 9.2 cents per pound live weight compared with 11.0 in 1987.

BROILERS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1987 1/

DECEMBER 1, 1986 - NOVEMBER 30, 1987				
STATE	NUMBER PRODUCED	POUNDS PRODUCED	PRICE PER POUND 2/	VALUE OF PRODUCTION 3/
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	CENTS	1,000 DOLLARS
ALA	666,538	2,732,806	27.0	737,858
ARK	878,574	3,690,011	30.0	1,107,003
CALIF	196,120	921,764	37.0	341,053
DEL	209,818	1,049,090	30.5	319,972
FLA	116,980	479,618	26.5	127,099
GA	733,417	3,153,693	26.5	835,729
HAW	2,311	9,475	52.0	4,927
IOWA	2,600	23,400	27.0	6,318
KY	2,894	12,155	27.0	3,282
MD	264,196	1,162,462	30.5	354,551
MICH	675	2,903	29.0	842
MINN	31,700	145,820	26.0	37,913
MISS	343,395	1,407,920	29.5	415,336
MO	7/	7/	7/	7/
NEBR	1,074	5,907	31.0	1,831
N Y	2,100	9,450	30.0	2,835
N C	477,700	2,197,420	26.5	582,316
OHIO	11,000	47,300	23.0	10,879
OKLA	90,600	362,400	29.0	105,096
OREG	17,000	79,900	28.0	22,372
PA	115,635	485,667	29.0	140,843
S C	68,051	272,204	26.5	72,134
TENN	92,500	388,500	25.5	99,068
TEX	259,000	1,087,800	31.0	337,218
VA	154,036	708,566	28.5	201,941
WASH	26,200	120,520	29.0	34,951
W VA	32,770	121,249	25.5	30,918
WIS	13,200	55,440	30.5	16,909
OTH STS 4/	192,850	786,803	28.5	224,526
TOTAL 5/	5,002,934	21,520,242	28.7	6,175,721
15 WEEKLY				
STS 6/	4,608,730	19,858,770	28.7	5,703,039

1/ BROILER PRODUCTION INCLUDING OTHER MEAT-TYPE BREEDS. 2/ LIVELWEIGHT EQUIVALENT PRICE. 3/ GROSS INCOME INCLUDING HOME CONSUMPTION. 4/ IND, LA, MAINE, S DAK, & N DAK COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. 5/ EXCLUDES STATES PRODUCING LESS THAN 500,000 BIRDS. 6/ 15 STATES IN THE WEEKLY ESTIMATING PROGRAM: ALA, ARK, CALIF, DEL, FLA, GA, MD, MISS, N C, PA, S C, TENN, TEX, VA AND W VA. 7/ MO. NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY FOR 1987.

BROILERS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1988 1/

DECEMBER 1, 1987 - NOVEMBER 30, 1988				
STATE	NUMBER PRODUCED	POUNDS PRODUCED	PRICE PER POUND 2/	VALUE OF PRODUCTION 3/
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	CENTS	1,000 DOLLARS
ALA	702,784	2,881,414	32.5	936,460
ARK	896,832	3,677,011	34.0	1,250,184
CALIF	212,199	997,335	34.0	339,094
DEL	217,455	1,087,275	36.5	396,855
FLA	123,198	505,112	31.0	156,585
GA	772,825	3,400,430	31.5	1,071,135
HAW	2,261	9,496	52.0	4,938
IOWA	3,000	27,000	32.0	8,640
KY	2,704	11,086	32.0	3,548
MD	252,400	1,085,320	36.5	396,142
MICH	750	3,225	35.0	1,129
MINN	33,100	155,570	32.0	49,782
MISS	360,971	1,479,981	34.0	503,194
MO	54,500	239,800	33.0	79,134
NEBR	1,129	6,210	38.0	2,360
N Y	2,500	11,250	34.0	3,825
N C	500,100	2,300,460	31.0	713,143
OHIO	12,000	51,600	28.5	14,706
OKLA	120,900	471,510	33.0	155,598
OREG	17,300	83,040	33.0	27,403
PA	126,900	532,980	33.0	175,883
S C	70,832	283,328	31.5	89,248
TENN	87,000	365,400	31.0	113,274
TEX	266,300	1,118,460	35.0	391,461
VA	175,748	790,866	33.5	264,940
WASH	28,200	129,720	31.5	40,862
W VA	35,166	130,114	33.5	43,588
WIS	13,100	56,330	32.0	18,026
OTH STS 4/	143,451	563,827	32.2	181,315
TOTAL 5/	5,235,605	22,455,150	33.1	7,432,451
15 WEEKLY STS 6/	4,800,710	20,635,486	33.2	6,841,186

1/ BROILER PRODUCTION INCLUDING OTHER MEAT-TYPE BREEDS. 2/ LIVEWEIGHT EQUIVALENT PRICE. 3/ GROSS INCOME INCLUDING HOME CONSUMPTION. 4/ IND, LA, MAINE, S DAK, & N DAK COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. 5/ EXCLUDES STATES PRODUCING LESS THAN 500,000 BIRDS. 6/ 15 STATES IN THE WEEKLY ESTIMATING PROGRAM: ALA, ARK, CALIF, DEL, FLA, GA, MD, MISS, N C, PA, S C, TENN, TEX, VA AND W VA.

EGGS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1987-88 1/

STATE	EGGS PRODUCED		PRICE PER DOZEN		VALUE OF PRODUCTION	
	1987	1988	1987	1988	1987	1988
	MILLION		CENTS		1,000 DOLLARS	
ALA	2,605	2,596	71.8	66.3	155,866	143,429
ALAS	6.6	0.7	133.0	143.0	731	83
ARIZ	98	86	41.0	43.0	3,348	3,082
ARK	3,874	3,784	71.5	72.1	230,826	227,355
CALIF	8,023	7,718	46.0	46.3	307,548	297,786
COLO	641	784	58.0	55.0	30,982	35,933
CONN	1,200	1,121	85.0	88.0	85,000	82,207
DEL	144	146	101.0	106.0	12,120	12,897
FLA	2,568	2,758	44.0	41.1	94,160	94,461
GA	4,476	4,294	68.4	64.4	255,132	230,445
HAW	223.3	224.4	76.8	73.8	14,291	13,801
IDAHO	238	217	45.0	47.1	8,925	8,517
ILL	709	780	52.1	57.0	30,782	37,050
IND	5,750	5,644	50.0	43.4	239,583	204,125
IOWA	1,534	1,979	39.1	37.7	49,983	62,174
KANS	486	396	36.0	32.3	14,580	10,659
KY	466	457	50.3	47.7	19,533	18,166
LA	323	311	88.1	87.1	23,714	22,573
MAINE	1,327	1,300	79.0	83.0	87,361	89,917
MD	926	932	58.0	56.0	44,757	43,493
MASS	273	262	90.0	93.0	20,475	20,305
MICH	1,656	1,553	39.6	36.5	54,648	47,237
MINN	2,263	2,250	43.0	38.0	81,091	71,250
MISS	1,259	1,251	70.0	71.0	73,442	74,018
MO	1,525	1,526	39.6	36.5	50,325	46,416
MONT	205	194	50.0	48.0	8,542	7,760
NEBR	869	902	45.0	41.5	32,587	31,194
NEV	2.2	2.2	40.2	38.8	74	71
N H	76	51	83.0	89.0	5,257	3,783
N J	475	486	63.0	59.0	24,937	23,895
N MEX	302	287	55.0	54.0	13,842	12,915
N Y	1,115	1,013	49.5	47.0	45,994	39,676
N C	3,251	3,396	69.2	67.3	187,474	190,459
N DAK	58	59	40.0	35.0	1,933	1,721
OHIO	4,351	4,477	40.0	37.2	145,033	138,787
OKLA	805	803	91.0	79.4	61,046	53,132
OREG	638	617	47.0	52.0	24,988	26,737
PA	4,853	5,302	43.0	42.0	173,899	185,570
R I	55	52	79.0	83.0	3,621	3,597
S C	1,604	1,432	52.0	52.1	69,507	62,173
S DAK	358	348	32.0	31.0	9,547	8,990
TENN	670	532	46.0	46.0	25,683	20,393
TEX	3,424	3,363	67.2	64.9	191,744	181,882
UTAH	496	493	45.0	52.0	18,600	21,363
VT	60	54	94.0	94.0	4,700	4,230
VA	937	911	66.0	65.6	51,535	49,801
WASH	1,303	1,327	44.4	50.1	48,211	55,402
W VA	128	126	80.2	94.8	8,555	9,954
WIS	877	873	43.0	38.4	31,426	27,936
WYO	4.3	3.6	69.0	66.5	247	199
U S 2/	69,351	69,476	54.9	52.8	3,178,185	3,058,998

1/ ESTIMATES COVER THE 12 MONTH PERIOD DEC 1, PREVIOUS YEAR THROUGH NOV 30.

2/ STATES MAY NOT ADD TO U S TOTAL DUE TO ROUNDING.

TURKEYS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1987 1/

STATE	NUMBER RAISED 1/	POUNDS PRODUCED 2/	PRICE PER POUND 3/	VALUE OF PRODUCTION
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	CENTS	1,000 DOLLARS
ARK	18,000	369,000	32.0	118,080
CALIF	25,500	545,700	33.0	180,081
CONN	30	660	94.0	620
GA	2,432	67,366	33.0	22,231
ILL	698	14,379	40.0	5,752
IND	13,000	256,100	37.0	94,757
IOWA	8,500	193,800	35.0	67,830
KANS	193	4,632	30.0	1,390
MD-DEL	133	2,660	60.0	1,596
MASS	140	2,800	99.0	2,772
MICH	3,000	79,500	36.0	28,620
MINN	40,500	712,800	32.0	228,096
MO	15,500	310,000	35.0	108,500
NEBR	1,942	35,344	36.0	12,724
N H	26	520	99.0	515
N J	115	2,576	100.0	2,576
N Y	437	9,439	35.0	3,304
N C	48,350	918,650	34.0	312,341
N DAK	1,240	28,892	30.0	8,668
OHIO	3,400	88,400	32.0	28,288
OREG	1,830	33,855	37.0	12,526
PA	8,000	160,000	42.0	67,200
S C	3,950	109,415	34.0	37,201
S DAK	2,376	67,003	32.0	21,441
UTAH	3,731	90,290	42.0	37,922
VA	16,200	299,700	37.0	110,889
W VA	2,400	44,640	30.0	13,392
OTH STS 4/	18,766	445,586	38.9	173,474
U S 5/	240,389	4,893,707	34.8	1,702,784

1/ BASED ON TURKEYS PLACED SEP 1, 1986 THROUGH AUG 31, 1987. EXCLUDES YOUNG TURKEYS LOST.

2/ INCLUDES HOME CONSUMPTION.

3/ LIVWEIGHT EQUIVALENT PRICE.

4/ COLO, OKLA, TEX, AND WISC COMBINED TO AVOID DICLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

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TURKEYS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1988 1/

STATE	NUMBER RAISED 1/	POUNDS PRODUCED 2/	PRICE PER POUND 3/	VALUE OF PRODUCTION
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	CENTS	1,000 DOLLARS
ARK	18,000	370,800	32.0	118,656
CALIF	26,500	572,400	35.0	200,340
CONN	30	600	98.0	588
GA	2,400	70,800	42.0	29,736
ILL	1,700	34,850	45.0	15,683
IND	12,900	255,420	41.0	104,722
IOWA	7,800	187,200	40.0	74,880
KANS	227	5,221	35.0	1,827
MD-DEL	135	2,835	60.0	1,701
MASS	150	3,000	102.0	3,060
MICH	3,000	84,000	38.0	31,920
MINN	38,500	704,550	38.0	267,729
MO	16,500	334,950	40.0	133,980
NEBR	1,772	30,833	38.0	11,716
N H	26	520	106.0	551
N J	100	2,430	102.0	2,479
N Y	343	6,380	37.0	2,361
N C	47,900	938,840	36.0	337,982
N DAK	1,200	27,120	40.0	10,848
OHIO	3,600	93,600	36.0	33,696
OREG	1,650	29,700	43.0	12,771
PA	7,900	158,000	44.0	69,520
S C	5,570	164,315	37.0	60,797
S DAK	2,370	66,597	37.0	24,641
UTAH	3,900	90,090	54.0	48,649
VA	16,300	306,440	38.0	116,447
W VA	2,300	43,240	38.0	16,431
OTH STS 4/	19,250	484,735	45.6	221,039
U S 5/	242,023	5,069,466	38.6	1,954,750

- 1/ BASED ON TURKEYS PLACED SEP 1, 1987 THROUGH AUG 31, 1988. EXCLUDES YOUNG TURKEYS LOST.
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5/ MAY NOT ADD DUE TO ROUNDING

CHICKENS: LOST, SOLD AND VALUE OF SALES, 1987 1/

STATE	NUMBER LOST 2/	NUMBER SOLD	POUNDS SOLD	PRICE PER POUND	VALUE OF SALES
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	CENTS	1,000 DOLLARS
ALA	1,400	10,000	46,000	10.9	5,014
ALAS	50	10	45	50.0	23
ARIZ	54	403	1,612	10.0	161
ARK	2,400	18,200	80,080	14.7	11,772
CALIF	4,100	18,600	74,400	7.5	5,580
COLO	235	1,690	7,943	12.0	953
CONN	477	4,451	22,255	9.0	2,003
DEL	200	757	5,678	11.0	625
FLA	1,560	4,600	22,080	9.0	1,987
GA	2,750	16,070	86,778	11.5	9,979
HAW	172	350	1,260	15.2	192
IDAHO	110	460	1,748	5.0	87
ILL	400	2,100	9,660	12.2	1,179
IND	2,750	15,800	56,880	10.0	5,688
IOWA	1,000	5,000	17,500	10.9	1,908
KANS	190	1,450	7,975	15.0	1,196
KY	300	1,300	4,550	14.0	637
LA	260	1,100	6,050	13.0	787
MAINE	306	3,810	20,955	9.0	1,886
MD	520	2,700	14,310	11.0	1,574
MASS	77	1,072	5,896	9.0	531
MICH	920	4,400	20,240	9.0	1,822
MINN	1,300	7,700	27,720	11.0	3,049
MISS	1,300	8,100	49,410	11.0	5,435
MO	1,100	5,000	30,000	13.0	3,900
MONT	110	620	2,480	6.0	149
NEBR	420	1,790	6,981	10.0	698
NEV	4	4	16	9.1	1
N H	14	319	1,755	9.0	158
N J	250	1,060	4,452	18.0	801
N MEX	98	670	2,881	8.0	230
N Y	500	6,500	25,350	7.1	1,800
N C	1,600	11,800	94,400	14.0	13,216
N DAK	120	250	1,000	6.0	60
OHIO	1,900	11,200	40,320	9.0	3,629
OKLA	500	3,000	22,800	14.7	3,352
OREG	350	1,850	8,880	8.0	710
PA	1,800	14,200	71,000	9.0	6,390
R I	13	240	1,200	9.0	108
S C	790	4,300	19,350	11.5	2,225
S DAK	190	1,050	4,200	7.0	294
TENN	310	1,650	6,600	10.0	660
TEX	2,080	10,900	35,970	13.4	4,820
UTAH	212	955	3,820	6.0	229
VT	15	212	1,166	9.0	105
VA	300	2,715	20,363	12.5	2,545
WASH	600	3,600	13,680	8.0	1,094
W VA	90	370	1,665	10.0	167
WIS	270	2,100	7,980	9.0	718
WYO	12	9	42	5.0	2
U S	36,479	216,487	1,019,376	11.0	112,129

1/ ESTIMATES COVER THE 12 MONTH PERIOD, DECEMBER 1, PREVIOUS YEAR THROUGH NOVEMBER 30 AND EXCLUDES BROILERS.

2/ INCLUDES DEATH AND OTHER LOSSES DURING THE 12 MONTH PERIOD.

CHICKENS: LOST, SOLD AND VALUE OF SALES, 1988 1/

STATE	NUMBER LOST 2/	NUMBER SOLD	POUNDS SOLD	PRICE PER POUND	VALUE OF SALES
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	CENTS	1,000 DOLLARS
ALA	1,450	12,500	66,250	8.2	5,433
ALAS	1	8	4	59.0	2
ARIZ	61	245	980	7.0	69
ARK	2,500	19,200	86,400	13.0	11,232
CALIF	3,700	22,200	88,800	4.5	3,996
COLO	250	1,840	7,912	13.0	1,029
CONN	304	2,067	10,335	5.0	517
DEL	210	838	6,285	9.0	566
FLA	1,690	5,000	24,000	10.0	2,400
GA	2,780	17,200	89,440	10.5	9,391
HAW	159	346	1,246	13.8	172
IDAHO	114	598	2,272	5.8	132
ILL	400	2,300	10,580	9.0	952
IND	3,100	16,500	59,400	6.8	4,039
IOWA	1,100	5,400	18,900	9.5	1,796
KANS	95	1,320	5,940	13.0	772
KY	300	1,400	4,760	10.0	476
LA	280	1,100	6,270	13.0	815
MAINE	650	2,196	10,980	5.0	549
MD	490	2,600	13,780	9.0	1,240
MASS	81	717	3,585	5.0	179
MICH	625	5,300	24,380	7.5	1,829
MINN	1,400	6,500	23,400	8.9	2,083
MISS	1,000	8,100	49,410	9.5	4,694
MO	1,050	5,500	30,250	13.0	3,933
MONT	195	724	2,896	6.0	174
NEBR	450	1,890	7,560	11.0	832
NEV	4	4	16	9.7	2
N H	8	193	965	5.0	48
N J	200	1,230	4,920	19.0	935
N MEX	114	647	2,523	5.0	126
N Y	600	4,500	17,100	5.2	889
N C	1,900	12,700	99,060	11.0	10,897
N DAK	120	200	800	8.0	64
OHIO	2,100	11,270	40,572	12.2	4,950
OKLA	480	3,000	21,300	13.0	2,769
OREG	270	1,400	7,000	6.0	420
PA	2,300	17,300	77,850	7.0	5,450
R I	12	68	340	5.0	17
S C	700	4,900	22,050	9.3	2,051
S DAK	250	1,200	4,800	6.0	288
TENN	280	1,570	6,280	10.0	628
TEX	1,960	9,400	31,020	12.0	3,722
UTAH	202	1,070	4,280	6.7	287
VT	11	158	790	5.0	40
VA	216	3,011	22,583	6.5	1,468
WASH	450	3,600	13,320	6.0	799
W VA	80	480	2,160	8.6	186
WIS	500	2,950	11,210	9.0	1,009
WYO	12	18	77	5.0	4
U S	37,204	224,458	1,047,031	9.2	96,346

1/ ESTIMATES COVER THE 12 MONTH PERIOD, DECEMBER 1, PREVIOUS YEAR THROUGH NOVEMBER 30 AND EXCLUDES BROILERS.

2/ INCLUDES DEATH AND OTHER LOSSES DURING THE 12 MONTH PERIOD.

