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This report contains the results from the **Weekly Broiler Hatchery Report**. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ar> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

**Broiler-Type Eggs Set Up 1 Percent from Last Year**

Arkansas hatcheries set 24.9 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending March 25, 2023, up 1 percent from the comparable week in 2022 and up 1 percent from the previous week.

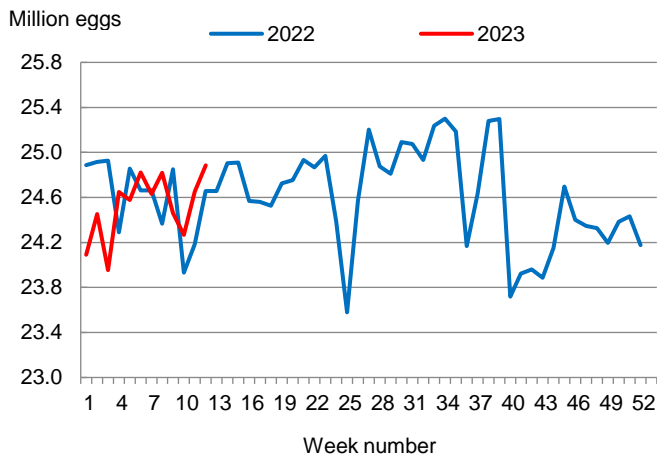
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 242 million eggs in incubators during the week ending March 25, 2023, up 1 percent from a year ago.

**Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Down 8 Percent**

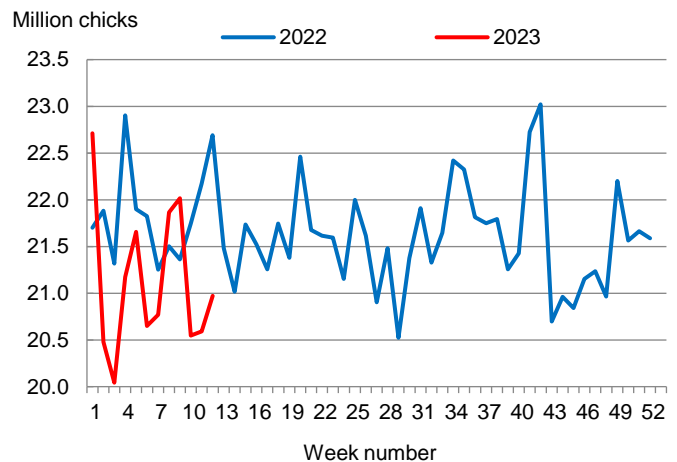
Arkansas broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 21.0 million chicks during the week ending March 25, 2023, down 8 percent from the comparable week in 2022 but up 2 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 187 million chicks for meat production during the week ending March 25, 2023, down slightly from a year ago.

**Broiler-Type Eggs Set  
Arkansas: 2022 and 2023**



**Broiler-Type Chicks Placed  
Arkansas: 2022 and 2023**



## Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2023

State	Week ending					
	February 18, 2023	February 25, 2023	March 4, 2023	March 11, 2023	March 18, 2023	March 25, 2023
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
Alabama .....	34,650	34,767	34,577	34,884	34,326	34,855
<b>Arkansas</b> .....	24,630	24,818	24,461	24,268	24,650	24,885
Delaware .....	5,379	5,372	5,369	5,491	5,369	5,396
Florida .....	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225	1,225
Georgia .....	35,377	35,074	35,256	35,240	35,500	35,747
Kentucky .....	6,133	6,626	6,580	5,659	6,097	6,224
Louisiana .....	3,411	3,411	3,289	3,290	3,290	3,305
Maryland .....	8,095	8,094	8,095	8,095	8,091	8,013
Mississippi .....	16,777	16,924	17,000	16,680	17,108	16,869
Missouri .....	9,562	9,776	9,714	9,660	9,489	9,998
North Carolina .....	24,362	24,082	25,057	24,834	24,988	24,556
Oklahoma .....	7,416	7,344	7,510	7,401	7,213	7,723
Pennsylvania .....	6,809	6,772	6,801	6,738	6,752	6,842
South Carolina .....	5,727	5,950	6,046	6,040	5,974	6,061
Texas .....	18,484	18,058	18,202	18,127	18,416	18,332
Virginia .....	6,749	6,760	6,756	6,724	6,634	6,663
CA, TN, and WV .....	13,210	13,049	13,265	13,450	13,310	13,303
Other States .....	12,538	12,657	12,625	12,929	12,294	12,459
United States .....	240,534	240,759	241,828	240,735	240,726	242,456

## Broiler-Type Chicks Placed - Selected States and United States: 2023

State	Week ending					
	February 18, 2023	February 25, 2023	March 4, 2023	March 11, 2023	March 18, 2023	March 25, 2023
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama .....	23,677	23,925	23,945	24,799	24,747	24,107
<b>Arkansas</b> .....	20,768	21,864	22,016	20,548	20,590	20,971
Delaware .....	5,075	4,627	5,556	5,030	4,437	4,742
Florida .....	1,266	1,225	1,165	1,287	1,207	1,290
Georgia .....	27,990	27,631	27,950	27,551	27,479	27,254
Kentucky .....	5,560	5,234	6,153	5,445	5,697	5,722
Louisiana .....	2,784	2,749	2,859	2,898	2,892	2,862
Maryland .....	5,719	5,958	4,982	5,568	5,268	5,728
Mississippi .....	14,136	14,107	13,977	13,686	13,518	13,580
Missouri .....	6,954	6,351	5,804	6,401	6,105	6,258
North Carolina .....	19,154	18,652	19,063	19,102	18,766	19,841
Oklahoma .....	4,277	3,604	3,996	4,663	5,132	4,349
Pennsylvania .....	4,496	4,491	4,081	4,450	4,543	4,541
South Carolina .....	4,916	4,658	4,520	4,619	4,626	4,380
Texas .....	13,969	14,374	14,512	14,265	14,364	14,437
Virginia .....	6,344	5,990	6,092	5,975	6,668	5,889
CA, TN, and WV .....	10,820	11,462	10,691	11,049	11,286	11,869
Other States .....	9,688	9,265	9,237	9,039	9,164	9,315
United States .....	187,593	186,167	186,599	186,375	186,489	187,135