



**DECEMBER LIVESTOCK SURVEY
2011
CHICKENS and EGGS**



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Your answers to the questions below are needed to prepare reliable State and national chicken and egg production statistics. These statistics can be useful to you in making management decisions.

Under Title 7 of the U.S. Code and CIPSEA (Public Law 107-347), facts about your operation are kept **confidential** and used only for statistical purposes. Response is **voluntary**. Please fax your report or mail it in the enclosed postage paid envelope.

Thank you.

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IDENTIFICATION

Please verify the name and address of this operation. **Make corrections on label.**

1. Does this operation do business under any other name?

YES – [Enter Name.] _____

NO

2. On **December 1**, did you or this firm own any **chickens, excluding** commercial broilers?

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YES – [Continue on page 2.]

NO – [Go to item 14 on page 4.]

The following questions refer to all chickens (*excluding commercial broilers*) now in flocks owned by you or your firm on **December 1, including** all hens and pullets out on contract. Please complete **items 3 – 13** for each flock type.

3. In what State (or States) were these flocks located?
 (Record data for each State separately.)

		(1 st State – Specify)	
Table or Market Egg Flocks	Hatchery Supply and Primary Breeder Flocks		
	Broiler-Type	Egg-Type	
079	179	279	
Percent	%	%	%
082	182	282	
Number			
081	181	281	
Number +			

4. **EGGS PRODUCED** – Complete one of the following:

a. **December 1, rate of lay** for all **LAYERS?**
 (Include layers being force molted.)

-OR-

b. **EGGS PRODUCED** on **December 1** by all **LAYERS?**

5. On **December 1**, how many of the **chickens** on hand were **LAYERS?** (Include layers being force molted. Exclude pullets which have not laid marketable eggs.)

6. Of the (item 5) **LAYERS--**

a. how many were being **force molted?**

b. how many have **completed a forced molt** one or more times?

7. During **November**, how many **replacements** were moved into your (item 5) laying flock?

8. During **November**, how many of the **LAYERS--** (Exclude pullets which have not laid marketable eggs.)

a. were **SOLD** for slaughter?

b. were **RENDERED?**

c. **DIED, DESTROYED, COMPOSTED, or DISAPPEARED,** for any reason **except** sold or rendered?

d. were **SOLD** for further egg **PRODUCTION?**

9. How many **PULLETS** were on hand **December 1?** (Include **PULLET** chicks.)

10. Of the (item 9) **Pullets** on hand:

a. How many **PULLET CHICKS** 3 days old or less were added to your Pullet flock during **November?**

b. How many **PULLETS** more than 3 days old were added to your Pullet flock during **November?**

(i) Who supplied the pullets in item 10b?

11. How many **ROOSTERS** and **MALE CHICKENS** were on hand **December 1?**

(All breeding stock *excluding broilers*)

12. **TOTAL CHICKENS** on hand **December 1?**

(Add items 5 + 9 + 11)

13. What was the average **VALUE** per bird for--

a. **LAYERS?** Dollars and Cents

b. **PULLETS?** Dollars and Cents

c. **ROOSTERS?** (Breeding flock only.) Dollars and Cents

Report below for ALL Hatchery Supply and Primary Breeder Flocks

Number	091	191
Number	092	192
Number	095	195
Number	088	188
Number	083	183
Number	089	189
Number	093	199
Number +	094	194
Number	090	190
Number	086	186
	386	
Number +	087	187
Number =	080	180
Dollars and Cents	096	196
Dollars and Cents	097	197
Dollars and Cents	098	198

(2 nd State – Specify)		
Table or Market Egg Flocks	Hatchery Supply and Primary Breeder Flocks	
	Broiler-Type	Egg-Type
%	%	%

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(3 rd State – Specify)		
Table or Market Egg Flocks	Hatchery Supply and Primary Breeder Flocks	
	Broiler-Type	Egg-Type
%	%	%

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14. Were you caring for **hens** or **pullets** owned by another person or firm on **December 1**?

0357 **YES** **NO** – Go to item 15.

Please list name and address of company or individual who owns them—

_____ Name _____ Address _____

15. **EGG PRICE** – Please report average price received, per dozen, for eggs sold wholesale during **2011** for all grades and sizes. (*Exclude hatching eggs.*)

Average **WHOLESALE** price received Avg. Price per Dozen .__

SURVEY RESULTS: To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to www.nass.usda.gov/results
 Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date? Yes No

Respondent Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ MM DD YY
 Date: ____/____/____

OFFICE USE										
Response		Respondent		Mode		R Unit	Enum.	Eval.	Office Use for POID	
1-Comp	9901	1-Op/Mgr	9902	1-Mail	9903	0921	098	100	789	
2-R		2-Sp		2-Tel						
3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face						
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI						
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web						
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail						
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax						
8-Known Zero				8-CAPI						
								407		
								408		
S/E Name										