

Poultry and egg statistics, February 2017

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Egg production rose 5.1% from February 2016 to 63.6 million dozen in February 2017.

In March 2017, placements of hatchery chicks on farms decreased 0.1% compared with March 2016 to 64.9 million birds.

Stocks of frozen poultry meat in cold storage decreased 4.3% from April 1, 2016, to 76 861 tonnes on April 1, 2017.

Note to readers

Poultry and egg statistics are available for Canada and the provinces.

Data on egg production are available for February. Data on the placements of hatchery chicks and turkey poults are available for March. Data on stocks of frozen eggs and poultry meats as well as edible dried egg products are available for April.

These data are subject to revision.

Available in CANSIM: tables [003-0021 to 003-0024](#), [003-0038](#) and [003-0039](#).

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey numbers [3425](#) and [5039](#).

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