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1.1. Contact organisation	Statistical Service of Cyprus (CYSTAT)
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2. Metadata update

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3. Statistical presentation	Top
3.1. Data description	
<p>Statistics on eggs for hatching and farmyard poultry chicks are collected under the Regulation (EU) No 617/2008, laying down detailed rules for implementing Regulation (EU) No 1234/2007 as regards marketing standards for eggs for hatching and farmyard poultry chicks.</p> <p>Cyprus is using administrative sources for collecting the required data i.e. from the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment. The procedure followed is according to the relevant Regulation. On the practical level, each establishment is providing data on a monthly basis regarding the number of eggs placed for incubation, the number and type of chicks produced and the number of imported eggs or chicks. Similarly, the number of poultry slaughtered and quantity of meat produced is given by slaughterhouses.</p>	
3.1.1. Model description	
All producers of hatching eggs are covered.	
3.2. Classification system	
The classification used is annexed to the Commission Regulation (EU) 617/2008; the information provided is arranged based on the common characteristics of each variable.	
3.3. Coverage - sector	
Information not collected in 2021.	
3.4. Statistical concepts and definitions	
See details by data set under 3.4.1.1, 3.4.1.2, 3.4.1.3 and 3.4.1.4.	
3.4.1. Definition of chicks categories (TC)	
Fully compatible	
3.4.2. Definition of chicks categories (AH)	
Fully compatible	
3.4.3. Scope of intra-EU and extra-EU trade (TC)	
Fully compatible	
3.4.4. Other concept or definition (TC/AH/SH)	
Fully compatible	
3.5. Statistical unit	
See details by data set under 3.5.1, 3.5.2 and 3.5.3.	
3.5.1. Statistical units identified	
3.5.1.1. Statistical units for hatchery statistics	
The statistical unit is every hatchery in Cyprus.	
3.5.1.2. Statistical units for imported chicks	
The statistical unit is every hatchery importing chicks in Cyprus.	
3.5.1.3. Statistical units for exported chicks	
The statistical unit is every hatchery exporting chicks from Cyprus.	
3.5.2. Hatcheries with seasonal activity	

3.5.2.1. Hatcheries with seasonal activity (AH)
Do not exist
3.5.2.2. Hatcheries with seasonal activity (TC)
Do not exist
3.5.2.3. Hatcheries with seasonal activity (SH)
Do not exist
3.5.2.4. Further explanations (TC/AH/SH)
The hatcheries are fully operating the whole year.
3.5.3. Thresholds
3.5.3.1. Thresholds for hatchery statistics
Not applicable.
3.5.3.2. Thresholds for imported chicks
Not applicable.
3.5.3.3. Thresholds for exported chicks (if different)
Not applicable.
3.6. Statistical population
See details by data set under 3.6.1, 3.6.2 and 3.6.3.
3.6.1. Source of the list of statistical units (AH)
The list is provided by the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment.
3.6.2. Source of the list of statistical units (TC)
The list is provided by the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment.
3.6.3. Source of the list of statistical units (SH)
The list is provided by the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment.
3.7. Reference area
Information not collected in 2021
3.8. Coverage - Time
Information not collected in 2021
3.9. Base period
Not applicable.

4. Unit of measure	Top
See details by data set under 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.4 and 4.5.	
4.1. Number of eggs placed (AH)	
For year 2020 there are 17,945,070 Measurement unit is the number of eggs.	
4.2. Number of chicks hatched (AH)	
For year 2020 there are 13,945,680 chicks hatched. Measurement unit is the number of chicks.	
4.3. Number of chicks (TC)	

4.4. Capacity (SH)
Restricted from publication
4.5. Number of hatcheries (SH)
Restricted from publication

5. Reference Period	Top
See details by data set under 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3.	
5.1. Reference period (AH)	
Data refer to the period between 1/1/2020-31/12/2020. Monthly data is provided to us regarding the eggs placed for incubation.	
5.2. Reference period (TC)	
Data refer to the period between 1/1/2020-31/12/2020. Data is provided on a monthly basis.	
5.3. Reference period (SH)	
Data refer to the period between 1/1/2020-31/12/2020.	

6. Institutional Mandate	Top
6.1. Institutional Mandate - legal acts and other agreements	
Information not collected in 2021.	
6.1.1. Institutional Mandate - legal acts and other agreements for specific national data collections	
No	
6.1.2. Legal reporting obligation	
No	
6.1.3. Legal text/ additional explanations	
<p>The Official Statistics Law of 2021 (Law No. 25(I)/2021) provides the legal basis for the development, production and dissemination of official statistics in Cyprus. This law replaces and repeals the Statistics Law of 2000 (Law No. 15(I)/2000). It also specifies the tasks of the Statistical Service and defines its role and function as the agency responsible for the production of official statistics.</p> <p>The purpose of the new Law, which entered into force on the 18th March 2021, is to review and modernise the legislation governing the development, production and dissemination of official statistics. Its provisions are also in line with Regulation (EC) No. 223/2009 on European Statistics, with an emphasis on its latest amendment by Regulation (EU) 2015/759. The new law also attempted to include recommendations that were highlighted during the peer review process of the national statistical system, conducted in Cyprus in March 2015.</p>	
Annexes:	
The Official Statistics Law of 2021	
6.2. Institutional Mandate - data sharing	

Not applicable.

7. Confidentiality

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7.1. Confidentiality - policy

See details by data set under 7.1 and 7.2.

7.1.1. Part of the national statistical system

Yes

7.1.2. Further explanations

Under the provisions of the Statistics Law, the information collected is treated as confidential and is used solely for statistical purposes. No data for any individual enterprise is published or disclosed to either public bodies or private individuals.

7.2. Confidentiality - data treatment

In order to implement the requirements of the Statistics Law and since the total number of hatcheries in Cyprus is only 2, the information collected is only transmitted to Eurostat and is marked as confidential.

8. Release policy

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8.1. Release calendar

Information not collected in 2021

8.2. Release calendar access

Information not collected in 2021

8.3. Release policy - user access

Information not collected in 2021

9. Frequency of dissemination

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Information related to eggs for hatching and farmyard poultry chicks is disseminated on a monthly basis.

10. Accessibility and clarity

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10.1. Dissemination format - News release

Information not collected in 2021

10.2. Dissemination format - Publications

Aggregated data are available in the electronic publication of the Department of Agriculture of the Ministry of Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment.

10.3. Dissemination format - online database

There is no online database available. Instead, a table is uploaded monthly to the website of the Statistical Service including information on eggs for hatching and farmyard poultry chicks.

Annexes:
Monthly production of eggs 2006-2021
10.3.1. Data tables - consultations
Information not collected in 2021
10.4. Dissemination format - microdata access
Information not collected in 2021
10.5. Dissemination format - other
Information not collected in 2021
10.5.1. Metadata - consultations
Information not collected in 2021
10.6. Documentation on methodology
The data is collected according to Eurostat's guidelines and under the relevant Regulation.
10.6.1. Metadata completeness - rate
Information not collected in 2021
10.6.2. Attached methodology can be disseminated
10.7. Quality management - documentation
Information not collected in 2021

11. Quality management	Top
11.1. Quality assurance	
Information not collected in 2021	
11.2. Quality management - assessment	
Information not collected in 2021	

12. Relevance	Top
See details by data set under 12.1, 12.2 and 12.3.	
12.1. Relevance - User Needs	
Statistics on eggs for hatching and farmyard poultry chicks are required by Eurostat and individual users. Statistics on the structure of hatcheries are transmitted only to Eurostat and are also marked as confidential.	
12.1.1. EU data sets -Activity of hatcheries	
All	
12.1.2. EU data sets -Trade of chicks	
All	
12.1.3. EU data sets -Structure of hatcheries	
All	
12.1.4. Other indicators -Number of chicks placed	
No	
12.1.5. Other indicators -Egg production forecast	

No
12.1.6. Other indicators -Poultry meat production forecast
No
12.2. Relevance - User Satisfaction
Information not collected in 2021
12.3. Completeness
Information not collected in 2021
12.3.1. Data completeness - rate
Information not collected in 2021

13. Accuracy	Top
13.1. Accuracy - overall	
Information not collected in 2021.	
13.2. Sampling error	
Information not collected in 2021	
13.2.1. Sampling error - indicators	
Information not collected in 2021	
13.3. Non-sampling error	
See details by data set under 13.3.1, 13.3.2, 13.3.3, 13.3.4 and 13.3.5.	
13.3.1. Coverage error	
Information not collected in 2021	
13.3.1.1. Over-coverage - rate	
Information not collected in 2021.	
13.3.1.2. Common units - proportion	
Information not collected in 2021.	
13.3.2. Measurement error	
Information not collected in 2021.	
13.3.3. Non response error	
Information not collected in 2021.	
13.3.3.1. Unit non-response - rate	
Not applicable.	
13.3.3.1.1. Type of data collection (AH)	
Other source	
13.3.3.1.2. Type of data collection (TC)	
Other source	
13.3.3.1.3. Type of data collection (SH)	
Other source	
13.3.3.1.4. Response rate (%) (AH)	
Not applicable	
13.3.3.1.5. Response rate (%) (TC)	

Not applicable
13.3.3.1.6. Response rate (%) (SH)
Not applicable
13.3.3.1.7. Treatment of unit non-response
Not applicable
13.3.3.1.8. Further explanations on non-response error
Data is collected from administrative sources.
13.3.3.2. Item non-response - rate
Information not collected in 2021.
13.3.4. Processing error
See details by data set under 13.3.4.1, 13.3.4.2, 13.3.4.3, 13.3.4.4, 13.3.4.5, 13.3.4.6, 13.3.4.7, 13.3.4.8, 13.3.4.9, 13.3.4.10, 13.3.4.11, 13.3.4.12, 13.3.4.13, 13.3.4.14, 13.3.4.15 and 13.3.4.16.
13.3.4.1. Unit conversion (AH)
No
13.3.4.2. Unit conversion (TC)
No
13.3.4.3. Unit conversion (SH)
No
13.3.4.4. Time accumulation (AH)
No
13.3.4.5. Time accumulation (TC)
No
13.3.4.6. Time accumulation (SH)
No
13.3.4.7. Adjustment / Application of technical coefficient (AH)
No
13.3.4.8. Adjustment / Application of technical coefficient (TC)
No
13.3.4.9. Adjustment / Application of technical coefficient (SH)
No
13.3.4.10. Other treatment / Further explanations (AH)
Not applicable.
13.3.4.11. Other treatment / Further explanations (TC)
Not applicable.
13.3.4.12. Other treatment / Further explanations (SH)
Not applicable.
13.3.4.13. Hatched chicks include exported chicks
Yes
13.3.4.14. 'Almost hatched' chick eggs: presence
No
13.3.4.15. 'Almost hatched' chick eggs: treatment
'Almost hatched' chick eggs are excluded from the number of hatched eggs.

13.3.4.16. Other treatment / Further explanations (SH)
Not applicable.
13.3.5. Model assumption error
See details by data set under 13.3.5.1, 13.3.5.2, 13.3.5.3, 13.3.5.4 and 13.3.5.5.
13.3.5.1. Model-based statistics AH
No
13.3.5.2. Over-coverage by model
13.3.5.3. Parameter update frequency
Not applicable.
13.3.5.4. Ground comparison frequency
Not applicable.
13.3.5.5. Model-based statistics (TC, SH)
Not applicable.

14. Timeliness and punctuality Top
14.1. Timeliness
Information not collected in 2021
14.1.1. Time lag - first result
Information not collected in 2021
14.1.2. Time lag - final result
Information not collected in 2021
14.1.3. Deadline for respondents (AH)
Not applicable.
14.1.4. Deadline for respondents (TC)
Not applicable.
14.1.5. Deadline for respondents (SH)
Not applicable.
14.2. Punctuality
Information not collected in 2021
14.2.1. Punctuality - delivery and publication
Information not collected in 2021

15. Coherence and comparability Top
Information not collected in 2021
15.1. Comparability - geographical
Information not collected in 2021
15.1.1. Asymmetry for mirror flow statistics - coefficient
Information not collected in 2021

15.2. Comparability - over time
Information not collected in 2021
15.2.1. Length of comparable time series
Information not collected in 2021
15.3. Coherence - cross domain
Information not collected in 2021
15.3.1. Coherence - sub annual and annual statistics
Information not collected in 2021
15.3.2. Coherence - National Accounts
Information not collected in 2021
15.4. Coherence - internal
Information not collected in 2021

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Information not collected in 2021

17. Data revision Top
Information not collected in 2021
17.1. Data revision - policy
Information not collected in 2021
17.2. Data revision - practice
Information not collected in 2021
17.2.1. Data revision - average size
Information not collected in 2021

18. Statistical processing Top
18.1. Source data
Administrative data sources are used. The Department of Agriculture of the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment collects and provides all required information to the Statistical Service.
18.2. Frequency of data collection
Information not collected in 2021 (see S.5.1 reference period)
18.3. Data collection
See details by data set under 18.3.1, 13.3.2 and 18.3.3.
18.3.1. Main way (AH)
Not applicable.
18.3.2. Main way (TC)
Not applicable.
18.3.3. Main way (SH)

Not applicable.
18.4. Data validation
Information not collected in 2021
18.5. Data compilation
Not applicable.
18.5.1. Imputation - rate
Information not collected in 2021
18.6. Adjustment
Information not collected in 2021
18.6.1. Seasonal adjustment
Information not collected in 2021

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