

Table 1: Economic Returns: Egg and Fowl Income Minus Feed and Pullet Costs per Hen-Housed per Year.

Egg Price (large eggs)	20 wk Pullet Cost	Feed Price	\$ per year 80 wks sale	Best Molt Program	\$ per year	65/40 Molt
Cents/dozen	\$/pullet	\$/100 lbs	\$	Cycles	\$	\$
50	2.00	6.00	5.10	75/50	5.01	4.95
50	2.00	7.50	3.95	75/50	3.88	3.82
50	2.50	6.00	4.68	80/50	4.77	4.65
50	2.50	7.50	3.53	80/50	3.65	3.53
60	2.00	6.00	7.51	65/50	7.18	7.15
60	2.00	7.50	6.36	65/50	6.06	6.04
60	2.50	6.00	7.09	75/50	6.92	6.85
60	2.50	7.50	5.94	70/50	5.80	5.74

Table 2: Typical Results for Selected Programs

Lg egg price	20 wk pullet \$	Feed (\$/100)	80 wks sale non-molted	Best Molt Program	65/40
50	2.50	7.50		80/50	
			87.10	78.70	80.00
Hen-day egg production (%)					
Avg. % large eggs			76.80	81.90	80.50
Avg. % undergrades			5.60	6.60	5.40
Avg. egg price (cts/dozen)			45.30	46.10	46.00
Lbs feed/100 hen/day			22.40	22.10	21.80
Feed conversion (lbs/dozen)			3.09	3.37	3.27
Feed efficiency (lbs/lb.)			1.93	2.05	2.01
Feed cost (cts/dozen)			22.70	24.40	23.90
Pullet cost (cts/dozen)			8.50	5.20	6.60
Feed + pullet costs (cts/dozen)			31.10	29.70	30.50
Egg income minus feed cost per hen-housed per year (\$)			3.53	3.65	3.53
60	2.50	7.50		Best Molt Program 70/50	65/40
			87.10	79.30	80.00
Hen-day egg production (%)					
Avg. % large eggs			76.80	81.50	80.50
Avg. % undergrades			5.60	6.10	5.40
Avg. egg price (cts/dozen)			55.00	55.80	55.70
Lbs feed/100 hen/day			22.40	22.00	21.80
Feed conversion (lbs/dozen)			3.09	3.32	3.27
Feed efficiency (lbs/lb.)			1.93	2.03	2.01
Feed cost (cts/dozen)			22.70	24.20	23.90
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