

DEKALB AMBER

Rugged viability, docility, egg quality, and efficiency are the characteristics of the DEKALB AMBER.

Introduced in 1973, this high producing brown

egg layer responds well to most management systems, and provides maximum egg numbers with moderate egg size, and superior shell color.

Performance Characteristic		Performance Goals		
Maturity	First Egg	17 - 18 weeks		
	50% Production	147 days		
	Peak Production	26-28 weeks		
Livability	Growing	97%		
	Laying	95%		
Egg Production	Peak	94 % +		
	Eggs/Hen Housed to 60 weeks of age	243		
	to 72 weeks of age	307		
	to 78 weeks of age	337		
Egg Mass	Kg. Eggs/Hen Housed to 60 weeks of age	14.542		
	to 72 weeks of age	18.648		
	to 78 weeks of age	20.597		
Feed Efficiency		kg/kg (lb/lb)	lb/dozen	gram/egg
	18-60 weeks	2.15	3.40	128
	18-72 weeks	2.15	3.46	131
	18-78 weeks	2.16	3.49	132
Body Size		grams	lbs.	oz.
	18 weeks	1670	3.68	58.9
	40 weeks & over	2150	4.74	75.8
Egg Size	Av. Egg Weight to 78 weeks	grams/egg	ozs/dozen	lb/case
		61.1	25.9	48.5
	Egg Gradeout	Metric (EU)		USA Grade A
	to 60 weeks of age	Class L & XL		Large & above
	to 72 weeks of age	28%		73%
	to 78 weeks of age	35%		77%
	37%		78%	
Egg Quality	Brown eggs of excellent shell quality & texture Interior - excellent.			
Temperament	Easy to handle. Performs well under a variety of management systems			

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