

DEKALB Delta White

High hen housed egg numbers, low feed intake, early large egg size, dry litter, and good shell and interior quality are the characteristics of the DEKALB Delta White. Introduced in 1998, this high producing white

egg layer responds well to most management systems, and provides highly persistent production of high quality eggs leading to a very efficient table or breaker egg output.

| Performance Characteristic | | Performance Goals | | |
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| Maturity | First Egg | 17-18 weeks | | |
| | 50% Production | 142 days | | |
| | Peak Production | 25-28 weeks | | |
| Livability | Growing | 96% | | |
| | Laying | 93% | | |
| Egg Production | Peak | 92.5 % + | | |
| | Eggs/Hen Housed | 241 | | |
| | to 60 weeks of age | 303 | | |
| | to 72 weeks of age | 333 | | |
| Egg Mass | Kg. Eggs/Hen Housed | 14.339 | | |
| | to 60 weeks of age | 18.242 | | |
| | to 72 weeks of age | 20.095 | | |
| Feed Efficiency | | kg/kg (lb/lb) | lb/dozen | gram/egg |
| | 19-60 weeks | 1.98 | 3.12 | 118 |
| | 19-72 weeks | 1.99 | 3.17 | 120 |
| | 19-78 weeks | 2.01 | 3.21 | 121 |
| Body Size | | grams | lbs. | oz. |
| | 18 weeks | 1350 | 2.98 | 47.6 |
| | 40 weeks & over | 1600 | 3.53 | 56.4 |
| Egg Size | Av. Egg Weight | grams/egg | ozs/dozen | lb/case |
| | to 78 weeks | 60.4 | 25.6 | 47.9 |
| | Egg Gradeout | Metric (EU) | | USA Grade A |
| | to 60 weeks of age | Large & above | | Large & above |
| | to 72 weeks of age | 23% | | 73% |
| to 78 weeks of age | 28% | | 76% | |
| | to 78 weeks of age | 29% | | 77% |
| Egg Quality | White eggs with excellent shell quality & texture Interior - excellent. | | | |
| Temperament | Easy to handle. Performs well under a variety of management systems | | | |

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