

Breeding (a guide for your questions)



Density

- 1 day = 40/m², growing = 15/m

Water bowl

- Mini-drinking bowl 1/70 guinea poult-
- Maximum of 7 water bowls around heating
- Suspended (bell) 1/50 guinea poult
- Pipette 1/15 guinea poult
- It is recommended to do 1 bacterial analysis and 1 physicochemical analysis of the water each year.

Heating

- Gas heating (incubator) 3000 kcal/500 guinea poult

Feed

- Starter bowl (30 cm diameter)
- 1/100 guinea poult _ Maximum of 5 around heating
- Feed distribution chain 4 cm/guinea poult
- Feeding dishes on chain 1/60 guinea poult
- Dietary ingredients available upon request.

Bedding

- A bed of straw and fine wood shavings is not recommended. Opt for large wood shavings which will generate less dust and lower the risk of developing mould. It is recommended to spread lime (100 g/m² on clean ground).
- Pay strict attention to the amount of bedding. Lack of bedding will cause leg problems.

Temperature

Âge in days	Incubator	Ambient
0-7	36-38	27-29
7-14	36-38	26-28
14-21	34-29	25-27
21-28	27-29	25-27
28-35	24-26	24-25
35-84	24-26	20-24

Data in °C

- Changes in temperature must not exceed more than 2 ° C per day.
- During breeding, do not exceed an ambient temperature of 30°C. Do not lower temperature below 25°C during the first 4 weeks.

Lighting

Age in days

1 to 2	20 lux min. _	4 watts/m ² max.
3 to 10	15 lux _	3 watts/m ²
11 to 20	10 lux _	2 watts/m ²
21 and +	5 lux min. _	1 watt/ m ² min.

Here is a program lighting frequency and length of lighting cut-offs according to age.

	1 to 3 days	4 days to 3 weeks	4 to 6 weeks	7 to 9 weeks.	10 weeks to slaughter
Frequency of cut-offs /24 h	0	6	6	6	6
Duration of cut-off / 4 h cycle	0	15 min.	30 min.	45 min.	60 min.
Lighting duration / 4 h cycle	4h	3h45	3h30	3h15	3h
Total lighting duration/24 h	24h	22h30	21h	19h30	18h

Ventilation

1 to 4 weeks _0,1 m/s (lighter flame does not move)

4 weeks and over _ 0,2 to 0,3 m/s (lighter flame is approximately 10 degrees)

Clean out – 10 days