

Freedom Ranger Hatchery

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Freedom Ranger Growing Instructions & Results

Brooding

3-4 weeks, starting at 95 degrees, decrease 5 degrees per week

Feed - Broilers

- 21-22% protein starter 2-3 weeks
- 18-19 % protein grower until week 7
- 16-17% protein finisher

Feed Conversions

- 2.5lbs feed per lb. pound of grain - harvest at 8-9 weeks
- 2.7-2.8 feed per lb. of gain harvested at 10-11 weeks

Weights

Freedom Rangers take approximately 1-2 weeks longer to reach the same weights as Cornish

- Broilers harvested at 9-11 weeks average 4.5-6lbs dressed weight
- Approximately 6lbs. live weight
- 68%-70% - Dressed weight vs live weight

Leg problems

Almost always due to deficiency in diet - add vitamin packet to water - should help within 24 to 48 hrs