



Chickens - Questions

1. Define the following terms: rooster, hen, cockerel, pullet, chicks, broiler and roaster
2. Outline the four components to chicken feed.
3. What is a gizzard and why do chickens have this?
4. Where are chickens produced in Nova Scotia and what is the percentage for this area?
5. How many registered farms are in Nova Scotia and how many kilograms of chickens are produced?
6. Explain the supply management system.
7. Outline how chickens are produced from the egg to the delivery of the chicks.
8. What does the farmer have to do to the barn before the chicks arrive?.
9. Provide 4 examples of how the chicken meat is sold.
10. What are the names of the two processing plants in Nova Scotia?
11. Explain some of the challenges chicken farmers face.
12. Nova Scotia's chicken processing industry employs over how many people?