

LIVE PRICE OF CHICKEN IN ONTARIO



Quota Period A-83

(Feb.03—Mar.29/08)

Live Price

Live Price A-82	\$1.2971/ kg
Change in:	
• Feed Price	+\$0.01754 / kg
• Chick Price	- <u>\$0.00120 / kg</u>
Sub Total	<u>+\$0.01634/ kg</u>
Live Price A-83	<u>\$1.3135 / kg</u>

Producer Margin

The producer margin is adjusted once every six Quota Periods to include changes in the costs of production except for feed and chick costs. The procedure is as follows:

- Use 1990 Cost of Production (COP) as base.
- Update prices using Statistics Canada data.
- Compare average prices of recent six Quota Periods to average of previous six Quota Periods and apply difference to Producer Margin in previous six Quota Periods.
- Current Producer Margin 42.64 cents / kg.

Feed Price

A-83: Average Feed Price from
November 12th to December 31

A-82: \$273.11

A-83: \$281.88

Change: \$ 8.77

\$5/Tonne = 1¢ / kg LP

Change in LP= +1.754¢ / kg

Chick Price

A-82: 57.88¢

A-83: 57.64¢

Change: -0.24¢

1¢ / chick = 0.5¢ / kg LP

Change in LP = -0.12¢ / kg