

NICHOLAS SELECT MALES

PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES

The performance objectives are an estimate of the results that can be achieved under conditions prevailing in large commercial operations.

In very favourable conditions, such as those found with very small flock sizes and where there is ample housing, optimum ventilation and feed availability, the results achieved could exceed the objectives significantly.

Nutrition has a major influence on performance. The basis of the objectives presume diets following Aviagen® Turkeys (Nicholas) recommendations, fed as quality crumbs or mini pellets up to 4 weeks of age and as good pellets thereafter. The latest nutritional recommendations can be found on the Aviagen Turkeys website.

As performance can be affected by various factors existing in particular operations, these objectives or advice cannot and should not be regarded as a form of guarantee and Aviagen Turkeys Limited accepts no liability in relation to your use of this information.

*To be adjusted depending on bodyweight. See Management Advice Sheet: Bodyweight Management of Breeder Males



QUANTITATIVE FEED MANAGEMENT, WEIGHT AND FEED CONSUMPTION

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Age		Bodyweight	Feed consumption	Cumulative feed
(wks)	(days)	(Kg)	(g/b/d)	(Kg)
1	7	0.14	20	0.14
2	14	0.23	15	0.25
3	21	0.56	54	0.62
4	28	1.10	93	1.28
5	35	1.83	133	2.21
6	42	2.71	173	3.42
7	49	3.71	214	4.92
8	56	4.82	257	6.72
9	63	6.00	300	8.82
10	70	7.25	345	11.24
11	77	8.53	391	13.97
12	84	9.84	437	17.03
13	91	11.15	483	20.41
14	98	12.45	528	24.11
15	105	13.73	574	28.12
16	112	14.98	618	32.44
17	119	16.19	660	37.06
18	126	17.34	701	41.97
19	133	18.05	450-680*	45.78
20	140	18.76	450-680*	49.59
21	147	19.47	450-680*	53.40
22	154	20.18	450-680*	57.21
23	161	20.89	450-680*	61.02
24	168	21.60	450-680*	64.83
25	175	22.31	450-680*	68.64
26	182	23.02	450-680*	72.46
27	189	23.73	450-680*	76.27
28	196	24.44	450-680*	80.08
29	203	25.15	450-680*	83.89

QUALITATIVE FEED MANAGEMENT,WEIGHT AND FEED CONSUMPTION

Age		Bodyweight	Feed consumption	Cumulative feed
(wks)	(days)	(Kg)	(g/b/d)	(Kg)
1	7	0.14	25	0.14
2	14	0.23	74	0.25
3	21	0.56	122	0.62
4	28	1.10	168	1.28
5	35	1.83	214	2.21
6	42	2.71	258	3.42
7	49	3.71	301	4.92
8	56	4.82	342	6.72
9	63	6.00	382	8.82
10	70	7.25	421	11.24
11	77	8.53	459	13.97
12	84	9.84	495	17.03
13	91	11.15	530	20.41
14	98	12.45	564	24.11
15	105	13.73	596	28.12
16	112	14.98	627	32.44
17	119	16.19	657	37.06
18	126	17.34	686	41.97
19	133	18.44	713	47.16
20	140	19.48	739	52.60
21	147	20.46	763	58.28
22	154	21.37	787	64.20
23	161	22.22	809	70.34
24	168	23.01	829	76.70
25	175	23.74	849	83.26
26	182	24.42	867	90.05
27	189	25.06	884	97.07
28	196	25.66	899	104.35
29	203	26.24	914	111.92