

IDEAL BREED DESCRIPTIONS

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BREED	PLUMAGE COLOR (Feathers)	EGG SHELL COLOR	EGG WEIGHT OUNCES PER DOZ.	MATURE BODY WEIGHT LBS.	RATE OF LAY	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
PRODUCTION REDS (Cherry Eggers)	Various Shades of Red - Mostly Dark	Brown	26-27	5.0	Excellent	Ideal's highest producing, most efficient brown egg layer that was originally developed from RI Red x New Hampshire crosses.
BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS	Black with White Barring	Brown	26-27	6.0	Excellent	One of America's oldest breeds - An excellent dual-purpose breed.
BLACK SEX LINKS	Female - Black with Gold Hackle & Breast - Male - Black & White Barred	Brown	26-27	5.5	Excellent	An outstanding color sexing breed cross of Rhode Island Reds x Barred Plymouth Rocks that has been bred for high, efficient egg production and excellent livability.
BROWN SEX LINKS	Female - Dark Red with Black Tails and Wings - Male - White	Brown	26-27	5.2	Excellent	An outstanding color sexing breed cross of Rhode Island Reds x White Plymouth Rocks that has been bred for high, efficient egg production and excellent livability.
GOLD SEX LINKS	Female - Light Red with White Tails & Wings - Male - White	Brown	26-27	5.2	Excellent	An outstanding color sexing cross of Rhode Island Reds x Rhode Island Whites that has been bred for high, efficient egg production and excellent livability.
RED SEX LINKS	Female - Dark Red with Black Tails & Wings - Male - White	Brown	26-27	5.2	Excellent	An outstanding color sexing cross of Rhode Island Reds x Delawares that has been bred for high, efficient egg production and excellent livability.
IDEAL 236	White with a few Black Flecks	White	26-27	4.5	Excellent	IDEAL'S best layer—Recommended for commercial laying operations—Excellent exterior egg quality and length of lay.
WHITE LEGHORNS	White	White	25-26	4.3	Excellent	Excellent layer—Ideal 236 may be substituted if <i>White Only</i> is not specified.
CALIFORNIA WHITES	White with Black Flecks	White	26-27	4.5	Excellent	Excellent exterior egg quality and length of lay.
BUFF ORPINGTONS	Rich Golden Buff	Brown	25-26	6.0	Good	These large, quiet dispositioned, loosely feathered birds have been a back-yard flock favorite for many years.
RHODE ISLAND REDS	Very Dark Red	Brown	25-26	5.5	Excellent	A well-known "old breed" that is a popular dual purpose producer of brown eggs.
NEW HAMPSHIRE REDS	Chestnut Red	Brown	25-26	6.0	Very Good	A very popular dual purpose breed that grows fast, feathers quickly and produces large brown eggs.
SILVER LACED WYANDOTTES	Silvery White, Edged with Black	Brown	24-25	5.5	Very Good	A beautiful old breed that has close-fitting rose combs. They are popular in cold weather areas since their combs do not normally freeze.
WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS	White	Brown	25-26	6.0	Very Good	A medium sized, quiet dispositioned, white plumaged, dual-purpose bird that is suitable for both meat and egg production.
BLACK AUSTRALORPS	Black with Greenish Sheen	Brown	25-26	5.2	Excellent	One of the hardiest of all breeds - Excellent small flock producer.
ANCONAS	Black - Some with White Tips	White	24-25	4.3	Very Good	Similar to the Brown Leghorn except for their color.
PRODUCTION BLACKS	Varied - Mostly Silver Barred	White	26-27	4.5	Excellent	Colored bird producing excellent quality large white eggs.
DANISH BROWN LEGHORNS	Multi-shades of Brown	White	24-25	4.3	Very Good	Very colorful, hardy white egg breed that will hustle and has color protection against varminis.
BLUE ANDALUSIANS	Blue Laced	White	24-25	4.5	Very Good	The Blue Laced Color does not breed true. A mating of blue x blue produces three colors - black, blue & splash (white with blue cast).
BLACK MINORCAS	Solid Black	White	24-25	4.5	Very Good	Beautiful pure black bird with white skin.
BUFF MINORCAS	Rich Golden Buff	White	24-25	4.5	Very Good	Beautiful bird with white skin. The shanks and toes are pinkish white.
CONTINUED	Black and White Barring	Brown	25-26	6.0	Very Good	They have rose combs and a more angular body than Barred Plymouth Rocks. These two breeds are many times confused.
BUFF ROCKS	Rich Golden Buff	Brown	25-26	6.0	Good	A medium sized, quiet dispositioned bird with yellow skin. A good substitute for Buff Orpingtons because they lay better.
DELAWARES	White with Black and White Barred Hackle & Tail Feathers	Brown	25-26	5.5	Good	A medium sized, docile, white bird which is more decorative than solid white plumage birds.
NAKED NECKS (Turkens)	Multi-Colored	Tinted	24-25	5.0	Very Good	Unusual-Do not have feathers on the neck and only about half as many on the body. Look as if they may be a turkey-chicken cross.
DARK CORNISH (Indian Games)	Dark Brown to Black	Brown	24-25	6.5	Good	Well known "old breed" that have become rare - Excellent wide breast of firm meat.
LIGHT BRAHMAS	White with Black Tail and Hackle Feathers	Brown	24-25	6.0	Good	Tall, beautiful breed with white feathers on legs and both white and black feathers covering toes.
AMERAUCANAS (Araucanas)	Multi-Colored-Mixed White, Brown, Red & Black	Light Green & Blue	25-26	5.0	Excellent	Araucanas originated in Chile, S.A. and in the U. S. have been bred with a pygostyle (tail head) and muffs & beards have replaced the ear tufts to produce Ameraucanas. They lay green, blue, pink and light brown eggs and are known as the "Easter Egg Bird".
GOLDEN LACED WYANDOTTES	Golden, Edged with Greenish Black	Brown	24-25	6.0	Good	A beautiful old breed that has close-fitting rose combs. They are popular in cold weather areas since their combs do not normally freeze.
RHODE ISLAND WHITES	White	Brown	25-26	5.5	Very Good	They are related to the more popular Rhode Island Reds and are recognized by their long backs and brick shaped bodies.
JERSEY BLACK GIANTS	Black	Brown	24-25	6.5	Good	A very large docile breed that grows relatively slow and is not a good choice for the production of broiler meat.
SPECKLED SUSSEX	Dark Brown with each Feather Tipped with a White Spangle	Brown	25-26	6.0	Good	A medium sized bird with a quiet disposition. The color of the plumage is distinct, unique and beautiful.
PARTRIDGE ROCKS	Reddish Bay with Black Penciling	Brown	25-26	6.0	Good	A medium sized bird with a quiet disposition. Males and females have different plumage patterns which are beautiful and unique.
CORNISH X ROCKS (Broiler Cross)	White	Brown	27-28	8.0	Fair	Bred for the efficient production of broiler meat - You can expect to have fryers in 6 - 7 weeks. Females fed a high energy-high protein ration may be dressed at 5 - 6 weeks as CORNISH ROCK HENS.
BLACK BROILERS	Black	Brown	27-28	7.0	Fair	Bred for the efficient production of broiler meat, when broiler rations are fed, producers can expect to have 6 lb broilers in seven weeks or less.
RED BROILERS	Red	Brown	27-28	7.0	Fair	Bred for the efficient production of broiler meat, when broiler rations are fed, producers can expect to have 6 lb broilers in seven weeks or less.

ASSORTMENTS

ASSORTMENT INFORMATION

ASSORTED CHICKS	Hatchery's choice of Standard Breed chicks, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds or included in other assortments.
ASSORTED LIGHT CHICKS	Hatchery's choice of Standard Light Breed chicks, most of which lay white eggs, that have not been included in other assortments.
ASSORTED HEAVY CHICKS	Hatchery's choice of Standard Heavy Breed chicks, most of which lay brown eggs, that have not been included in other assortments.
CRESTED SPECIAL	Hatchery's choice of the Crested Breeds listed in the Specific Breed Crested price section, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds.
RARE BREED SPECIAL	Hatchery's choice of Rare Breeds including those listed in the Rare Breed List or listed in the pricing section that includes Dominiques, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds or Specific Rare Breed Assortments.
SURPRISE SPECIAL	Best buy of Standard Breed chicks which have not been sold as Specific Breeds or included in other assortments.
BANTAM SPECIAL	Hatchery's choice of the varieties of Pure Bred Bantams including those listed as Specific Bantam Breeds, which have not been sold as Specific Varieties of Pure Bred Bantams or Specified Assortments by Breeds.

IDEAL RARE BREED DESCRIPTIONS

BREED	PLUMAGE COLOR	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
DARK ASEELS	Male - Lustrous, Greenish Black Female - Laced Reddish Brown	Aseels have an upright carriage of their highly compact muscular bodies. Their brow projects over their colored, large eyes, giving them a cruel appearance.
BARNEVELDERS	Male - Reddish Brown & Black Female - Reddish Brown/Black Laced	Extremely rare and highly sought because they lay very dark brown eggs in good numbers. The very beautiful, unique plumage pattern is known as double laced partridge.
BUFF BRAHMAS	Primarily Rich Golden Buff - Some Feathers are Black Laced with Buff	Brahmas have massive bodies, pea combs, fully feathered shanks and toes and a striking, stately appearance. Dark Brahmas "Additional Information" also applies.
DARK BRAHMAS	Primarily Silver White - Some Feathers are Black Laced with White	Brahmas are very hardy and have a quiet temperament that makes them an excellent choice for pets. Buff Brahmas "Additional Information" also applies.
BUCKEYES	An even shade of Rich Mahogany Red with some Black in the Wings and Tail	This very rare American Breed that originated in Ohio, the "Buckeye State", has the same color as Rhode Island Reds. They have pea combs and have a stout, muscular appearance.
BUFF CHANTECLERS	Buff or Straw Colored	This extremely rare variety belongs to the first breed of Canadian creation. They were bred as a general purpose breed with a rustic temperament that could withstand the cold of Canada.
PARTRIDGE CHANTECLERS	Male - Rich, Brilliant Red & Black Female - Black Penciled Reddish Bay	This very rare variety was developed in Canada to withstand their cold climatic conditions. They are kept in the U.S. primarily for exhibition and display of their beautiful, unique plumage.
RED CHANTECLERS	Light Red	This Extremely Rare Variety is an original variety developed by Ideal Poultry from Buff Chanteclers mated with Partridge Chanteclers. They are bred to withstand cold climates.
BARRED COCHINS	All Feathers are Black & White Barred Females are darker than Males	Cochins are the most docile of all breeds and make excellent pets. They are a loose ball of feathers and do not weigh nearly as much as they appear to weigh.
BLACK COCHINS	Surface Color is Lustrous, Greenish-Black - Undercover is Slate	Black Cochins may have white wing tips or white on other parts of the body through the juvenile period but the adult plumage will be completely black. Read about other Cochin varieties.
BLUE COCHINS	Even Shade of Bluish Slate Distinctively Laced with Glossy Black	Blue color is the result of heterozygous blue, which does not breed true. Blue mated with blue produces three colors of chicks: black, blue and white with a blue cast.
BUFF COCHINS	Medium Shade of Orange Yellow Color with a Rich Golden Cast	Cochins are very massive in appearance with an extraordinary profusion of long, soft plumage and a great abundance of down fiber in the under-fluff. Read about other Cochin varieties.
GOLDEN LACED COCHINS	Male - Rich Golden Bay & Black Female - Gold with Black Lacing	This extremely rare breed has a beautiful, distinctive, and attractive plumage pattern that attracts considerable attention. Read about other Cochin varieties.
PARTRIDGE COCHINS	Male - Rich Brilliant Red & Black Female - Black Penciled Reddish Bay	Partridge is one of the most beautiful of all plumage color patterns with a distinct difference between males and females. Read about other Cochin varieties.
RED COCHINS	An even shade of Rich Brilliant Red	All genes involved in producing red plumage color are recessive; therefore, when red birds are crossed with birds having other plumage, the red plumage color will be subdued.
SILVER LACED COCHINS	Male - Silvery White & Black Female - Black Laced Silvery-White	Cochins are the most broody of all standard breeds and make excellent mothers. They are very calm and make excellent pets for young children.
WHITE COCHINS	Solid White	One of the most popular exhibition Cochin varieties. When free of dirt and debris, they present an excellent show bird appearance with their pure white fluffy feathers.
BUFF CORNISH	Rich Golden Buff	Cornish have the thickest, most compact bodies of any breed. They are known for their very broad, deep, prominent breasts, with tight, thick muscles.
WHITE LACED RED CORNISH	Rich Dark Lustrous Red with Most Feathers Laced with White	One of the most attractive of all varieties of chicks with plumage that is short, narrow and tight fitting. Buff Cornish confirmation information also applies to this variety.
BLACK BREASTED RED CUBALAYAS	Male - Red with Black Breast & Tail Female - Cinnamon with Black Tail	Cubalayas have a stately carriage with long, broad tails that are carried well below horizontal. Their drooping, long tail sickles and coverts many times touch the ground.
BLUE RED CUBALAYAS	Male - Red with Blue Breast & Tail Female - Cinnamon with Blue Tail	They have a stately carriage with tails that are carried well below horizontal. When Blue Red Cubalayas are mated with Blue Red Cubalayas, three varieties of adults will be produced: B.R. Red, Blue Red and Spotted.
IOWA BLUES	Male - Black with White Saddle & Hackles Female - Same except for Black Back	This very rare breed, which originated in Iowa, is a dual-purpose, brown egg breed that has not been admitted to the Standard of Perfection.
JERSEY WHITE GIANTS	Solid White with Black Shanks & Feet - Bottoms of Feet are Yellow	Giants are one of the largest of all breeds with Black Giants being the most common variety. White Giant chicks are smoky black in color but the adult plumage is solid white.
MOTTLED JAVAS	Black with some of the Feathers Ending with a V-Shaped White Tip	Javas are a medium size, brown egg breed that was bred for egg production, but this variety is kept mainly because of their beautiful, unique plumage and for exhibition.
SAIPAN JUNGLE FOWL	Male - Red with Black Breast & Tail Female - Laced Reddish Brown	Saipan Jungle Fowl are not recognized as a true Jungle Fowl. They are an Asiatic breed characterized by having very tall, muscular bodies, which are carried nearly vertical.
BLACK LANGSHANS	Surface is Solid Lustrous, Greenish Black Undercover of All Sections is Dull Black	Langshans are very tall and have long, bluish black shanks with feathers down the outer side of the shanks. The outer toes are feathered but the inner toes do not have feathers.
MADAGASCAR GAMES	Multi-Colored - Mixed Red, Brown, Black & Blue	Unusual - Same as Naked Necks with very little plumage on the neck. They have an upright appearance much like Thailand's.
BLACK BREASTED RED MALAYS	Male - Red with Black Breast & Tail Female - Laced Reddish Brown	The most notable characteristics of Malays are their long legs, upright, sloping body carriage and three distinct downward curves to the back from the head to tip of the tail.
CUCKOO MARANS	All Feathers Crossed Throughout with Irregular Dark and Light Slate Bars	Marans are recognized for their beautiful dark brown eggs. No other breed produces eggs that are darker than those of this breed. Otherwise, they are much like Barred Rocks with clean legs.
FEATHER LEGGED CUCKOO MARANS	All Feathers Crossed Throughout with Irregular Dark and Light Slate Bars	Same as Cuckoo Marans, except the white shanks and toes are sparsely feathered rather than without feathers.
SPANGLED RUSSIAN ORLOFFS	Male - White Tips on Orange to Black Female - White Tips on Light Mahogany	Orloffs, which have muffs & beards, have an upright carriage with a slightly sloping back. Their eyes are deeply set under well projected eyebrows, giving a gloomy, vindictive look.
BLACK SHAMOS	Solid Black with Lustrous, Greenish Sheen	Shamos are very tall with broad, meaty bodies that are carried almost vertically on strong muscular legs. They have a glaring expression similar to birds of prey.
THAILANDS	Multi-Colored	This breed is extremely rare in the United States, although very common in Southeast Asia. They are very tall, with broad muscular bodies and very short, closely held feathers.
WELSUMMERS	Golden Brown and Reddish Brown Males also have Black with Red Mottling	This is an extremely rare Dutch breed, which is in demand because they produce very dark brown eggs, but not as dark as Marans.
COLUMBIAN WYANDOTTES	White with Black Hackle and Tail Feathers	Same as Silver Laced Wyandottes with the beautiful and unique Columbian plumage pattern.
PARTRIDGE WYANDOTTES	Male - Rich Brilliant Red & Black Female - Black Penciled Reddish Bay	Partridge is one of the most beautiful of all plumage color patterns with a distinct difference between males and females. They are a beautiful breed with close-fitting rose combs.
RED SHOULDER YOKOHAMAS	White with Red Backs & Necks Males are Darker than Females	Yokohamas have pheasant-like bodies with profuse lengthy saddle feathers and long tail furnishings including saddle and side hangers or tail coverts.
SILVER-GRAY DORKINGS	Male - Silvery White & Black Female - Salmon, Gray & Black	They appear to be a squatty bird since they have very short shanks and thighs. Dorkings have five toes on each foot and are one of only a very few red ear lobe breeds that lay white eggs.
SALMON FAVEROLLES	Male - Black, Salmon & a Little Red Female - Creamy White & Salmon	The plumage color of males and females is very different. Faverolles, which have beards and muffs, have a very stocky appearance and uniquely have five toes on each foot.
RED JUNGLE FOWL	Male - Orange-Red, Red & Black Female - Salmon, Brown & Black	They are smaller than all standard breeds and look like Brown Laghorns but have willow green shanks. All of the present varieties of chickens descended from Jungle Fowl.
BLACK BREASTED RED KRAIENKOPPES	Male - Red with Black Breast & Tail Female - Salmon, Black & Light Brown	Kraienkoppes are extremely rare in the U.S. and are kept primarily for the preservation of this unique breed which are recognized by the British Standards but not by the American Standard.
SILVER KRAIENKOPPES	Male - Black and Silvery White Female - Salmon, Ash & Silvery Gray	The carriage of Kraienkoppes is upright and elegant with a powerful expression. They have tight fitting plumage. The "Additional Information" for B B Red Kraienkoppes also applies.

TURKEYS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
BROAD BREASTED BRONZE	Available February to the middle of June only. Fast growing double-breasted Bronze Turkeys. Poults must be started on a highly enriched, high protein ration, either Turkey Starter or Game Bird Starter. Broad Breasted Bronze Turkeys do not naturally reproduce.
BROAD BREASTED WHITE	Available February through June only. Fast growing double-breasted White Turkeys. Poults must be started on a highly enriched, high protein ration, either Turkey Starter or Game Bird Starter. Broad Breasted White Turkeys do not naturally reproduce.
BLACK	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. This is a beautiful solid black, small turkey that does not have a broad breast and reproduces naturally.
BLUE SLATE	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. This is a beautiful solid pale blue to gray, medium sized turkey that is not broad breasted and naturally reproduces.
BOURBON RED	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. They are a very colorful turkey that has a rich dark chestnut and mahogany body and white wings and tail. They do not have a broad breast and reproduce naturally.
EASTERN WILD TURKEYS	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. This beautiful turkey is an excellent choice for those that are in locations that do not allow the Rio Grande Wild Turkey. The Eastern Wild will reproduce naturally.
MIDGET WHITE	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. This is a beautiful white turkey that has the following adult weights: Tom 18-20 pounds and hens about 10-12 pounds. Midget Whites will reproduce naturally.
NARRAGANSETT	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. This is a rare, multicolored, medium sized turkey that is not broad breasted and reproduces naturally. The body plumage is primarily black with bands of steel gray. The tail is dull black, regularly penciled with parallel lines of tan and edged with steel gray.
ROYAL PALM	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. They are a small turkey which is primarily white with many individual feathers edged in black. They mate naturally and are single breasted.
STANDARD BRONZE	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. The Standard Bronze Turkey is about 3/4 the size of the Broad Breasted Bronze Turkey. Standard Bronze will reproduce naturally.
WHITE HOLLAND	Minimum order is 10 and they are available March through June. White Holland's are an extremely rare variety of turkey, that will reproduce naturally.
WILD TURKEYS (RIO GRANDE)	Minimum order is 10 and they are available May through July in limited supply. They are very hardy bronze turkeys that are much smaller than the domesticated broad breasted varieties. They are popular game birds and an excellent source for lean turkey meat.
ASSORTMENT OF 15 RARE	This assortment will contain the hatchery's choice of at least three (3) of the following breeds: Black, Blue Slate, Bourbon Red, Narragansett, Royal Palm, Wild Rio Grande and Standard Bronze.
ASSORTMENT OF 20 RARE	This assortment will contain the hatchery's choice of at least four (4) of the following breeds: Black, Blue Slate, Bourbon Red, Narragansett, Royal Palm, Wild Rio Grande and Standard Bronze.

GUINEAS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
	<i>Guineas must be started on a highly enriched, high protein ration such as a Game Bird Starter.</i>
PEARL	Available May through August. They are purplish gray with small white dots and are the most popular of all Guinea varieties.
PIED	Available May through August. This rare variety is the same color as the Pearl Variety except they have white throats, chests and wings. All guineas are excellent "watch dogs."
WHITE	Available May through August. They are almost pure white. All Guineas are excellent "watch dogs," they keep snakes away from the premises and require very little feed for maintenance.
LAVENDER	Available May through August. They are a rare variety that is lavender gray with small white dots and are much lighter in color than Pearl Guineas. All guineas consume grasshoppers, ticks (including those that carry Lyme Disease) and all other insects.
FRENCH	Available from the middle of February through October. They are the same color as Pearl Guinea, and the adults are about two pounds heavier than Pearl Guineas. They do not reproduce naturally.
ASSORTED GUINEAS	Hatchery's choice of Pearl, Pied, White, Lavender and French Guineas, which have not been sold as Specific Breed Guineas.

DUCKS	DAY-OLD COLOR	ADULT COLOR	SIZE
BUFF	Tan with Dark Circles Around Eyes	Male - Tan with Gray Head • Hen - Tan	Medium
KHAKI CAMPBELL	Solid Khaki	Male - Khaki with Green Head • Hen - Solid Khaki	Medium
CAYUGA	Solid Black with Black Legs	Solid Black with Black Legs	Medium
BLACK & WHITE MAGPIE	Black & Yellow	Black and White Striking, Unique, Beautiful Plumage	Small
GRAY MALLARD	Black with Yellow Streaks	Male - Green Head • Hen - Brown with Black Stripes	Very Small
ROUEN	Black with Yellow Streaks	Male - Green Head • Hen - Brown with Black Stripes	Large
BLACK RUNNER	Solid Black with a small amount of Yellow on Chest	Solid Lustrous, Greenish Black Standing Tail	Small
FAWN & WHITE RUNNER	Yellow, Tan & Black	White & Brown - Standing Tail	Small
BLUE SWEDISH	Black to Gray - Yellow Chest	Black to Gray with White Chest	Medium
WHITE PEKIN	Solid Yellow	Solid White with Orange Feet and Bill	Large
ASSORTED DUCKS	Hatchery's choice of Ducks listed as Specific Breed Ducks, including Crested Ducks, which have not been sold as Specific Breed Ducks.		
ASSORTED CRESTED DUCKS	Hatchery's choice of breeds listed as Crested Ducks, which have not been sold as Specific Breed Crested Ducks.		

GEESE	DAY-OLD COLOR	ADULT COLOR & ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	SIZE
AFRICAN	Gray	Gray in appearance with a black knob on their head and a dark gray stripe down their back much like Brown Chinese.	Males 15 - 18 pounds Females 11 - 12 pounds
BROWN CHINESE	Gray	Very stately with gray appearance. They have a large black knob on their head and a dark gray stripe down the back of their neck.	Males 12 - 13 pounds Females 9 - 10 pounds
WHITE CHINESE	Yellow	Pure White with yellow bill and knob. Very hardy, known as weeder geese and are excellent watch dogs.	Males 12 - 13 pounds Females 9 - 10 pounds
EMBDEN	Smoky Gray mixed with Light Gray & Yellow	Pure white with massive body. Because of the white plumage, they are much easier to dress.	Males 18 - 20 pounds Females 12 - 13 pounds
TOULOUSE	Gray	Dark Gray with light gray abdomen and massive body.	Males 18 - 19 pounds Females 12 - 13 pounds
ASSORTED GEESE	Hatchery's choice of Geese listed as Specific Geese, which have not been sold as Specific Breed Geese.		

GAME BIRDS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
CHUKAR PARTRIDGE	Minimum order is 50, available April through July. A very attractive little bird that is just the right size for an individual serving of succulent meat. They will yield about 16 ounces when dressed at 18 weeks.
RINGNECK PHEASANT	Minimum order is 35, available April through July. A beautiful bird that matures at about 23 weeks and yields two pounds or more when dressed.

RARE BREEDS CONT'	PLUMAGE COLOR	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
GOLDEN PHOENIX	Same as Silver Phoenix except Male's Back is Golden & Saddle is Light Golden	Long tails, single combs and light leaden blue legs and feet are the identifying characteristics of the Phoenix breed. Golden Phoenix are extremely rare. Read about Silver Phoenix.
SILVER PHOENIX	Male - Silver White & Black Female - Salmon, Gray & Black.	Phoenix are recognized as a long-tailed oriental breed. Many times pictures display males with tails four feet or longer, which are obtained only under specific, individual management.
BLACK SUMATRAS	Rich Glossy Black with Lustrous Greenish Sheen	Sumatras are a long-tailed oriental breed and have a very graceful form and distinct carriage. Because they breed true to both type and color, they are an excellent choice for exhibitors.
CREAM BRABANTERS	Cream with Each Feather Ending with a Half-Moon Black Spangle	This extremely rare, very ancient breed originated in Belgium. Their most recognizable characteristics are the flat-sided crest with the front feathers bent a little forward and their well developed muffs and beards.
GOLD BRABANTERS	Gold with Each Feather Ending with a Half-Moon Black Spangle	This extremely rare, very ancient breed originated in Belgium. Their most recognizable characteristics are the flat-sided crest with the front feathers bent a little forward and their well developed muffs and beards.
SICILIAN BUTTERCUPS	Male - Lustrous Reddish Orange Female - Primarily Golden Buff	The unique, distinguishing characteristic of Buttercups is their bright red cup-shaped comb. Males and females of this very active breed have very different, beautiful color patterns.
GOLDEN CAMPINES	Golden Bay Head & Neck - Body is Black Barred with Golden Bay	The Campine male and female plumage color pattern is uniquely the same because Campine males possess a modified form of "hen feathering." Read about the Silver Campine variety.
SILVER CAMPINES	White Head & Neck - Body is Greenish Black Barred with White	Campines, which originated in Belgium, are a very active breed that has been bred for many years for the production of white-shelled eggs. Read about the Golden Campine variety.
BUFF CATALANAS	Male - Reddish Buff with Black Tail Female - Buff with Black Tail	This rare, dual-purpose, white egg breed originated in Spain. Females weigh between 5 and 6 pounds, which is more than most other breeds that produce white eggs.
SILVER PENCILED EGYPTIAN FAYOUMI	Silvery, White, Beetle Green Black & White Penciled with Black	A relatively small breed with a rather upright carriage that is very alert, graceful and very active. They are early maturing, very hardy and strong fliers, which are vocal when handled.
BLUE HAMBURGS	Even Shade of Clear Bluish Slate Distinctively Laced with Black	Blue color is the result of heterozygous blue, which does not breed true. Blue mated to blue produces three colors: black, blue and white. Read about other Hamburg varieties.
GOLDEN PENCILED HAMBURGS	Bay, Beetle Green Black & Reddish Bay Penciled with Black	Hamburgs, because of the productivity, in years gone by, were known as "Dutch Everyday Layers." Blue, Golden Penciled and Silver Penciled are very rare varieties.
GOLDEN SPANGLED HAMBURGS	Golden Bay with Each Feather Ending with a Black Spangle	Hamburgs, which are of Dutch origin, are known as "pheasant fowls" because of their refined body shape that resembles a pheasant. Read about other Hamburg varieties.
SILVER PENCILED HAMBURGS	Male - White with Black Tail Female - White, Penciled with Black	Hamburgs have a streamline body shape and a distinctively shaped rose comb, which ends with a moderately long spike that inclines upward very slightly. Read about other Hamburgs.
SILVER SPANGLED HAMBURGS	White with Each Feather Ending with a Black Spangle	Hamburgs are an ornamental, non-sitting breed which efficiently produces white eggs. Silver Spangled is the best known of the Hamburg varieties. Read about other Hamburg varieties.
BARRED HOLLANDS	All Feathers are Black & White Barred Females are Darker than Males.	Hollands were developed to get a large bird that laid white eggs. They are a heavy, general purpose breed that is kept both for meat and production of white eggs.
LA FLECHE	Lustrous, Greenish Black Surface Plumage with Dull Black Undercover	The identifying feature of this rare breed is the relatively large V-shaped comb. They are a general purpose breed used for both white egg production and meat.
GOLDEN LAKENVELDERS	Head, Neck, Hackles & Saddles are Rich Black - Others are Buff	Golden Lakenvelders have not been admitted to the Standard but have the same inheritance as the silver variety except the silver (s) genes have been replaced by the recessive gold (s) genes.
SILVER LAKENVELDERS	Head, Neck, Hackles & Saddle are Rich Black - Others are White	Lakenvelders are of German Origin and are known for their unique, distinct color plumage pattern. They are very active, good hustlers, relatively small and efficient egg producers.
SINGLE COMB DARK BROWN LEGHORNS	Male - Rich, Brilliant Red & Black Female - Black with Reddish Brown	This very rare variety of Leghorns is kept primarily for exhibition and for their unique beauty. Like most other varieties of Leghorns, they are excellent layers of white eggs.
SINGLE COMB LIGHT BROWN LEGHORNS	Male - Orange-Red, Brown & Black Female - Salmon, Dark & Light Brown	The combination of beautiful flowing plumage, angular body shape and unique plumage color pattern makes this variety one of the most attractive varieties in exhibition shows.
ROSE COMB BROWN LEGHORNS	Multi-shades of Brown	They are a very colorful, attractive, hardy variety that will hustle and has good color protection against vermin. They are not as well known as Single Comb Brown Leghorns.
BUFF LEGHORNS	Even Shade Rich Golden Buff	Leghorns are one of the most stylish of all breeds. They are very active, non-sitters known for their efficient production of white eggs. The Buff variety is a very rare, beautiful variety.
EXCHEQUER LEGHORNS	Black & White Evenly Distributed in Large Blobs	This very rare variety of Leghorns, which is kept because of their unique plumage pattern, is recognized by the British Standard but not the American Standard of Perfection.
RED LEGHORNS	Even Shade Rich Brilliant Red	This is a very rare, beautiful, distinctive variety with enamel white ear lobes which make for a dramatic contrast with their brilliant red plumage. Read about the Buff Leghorn variety.
NORWEGIAN JAERHONS	Silver Barred with an Infusion of Gold Females are Darker than Males	This very rare breed is the only breed originating in Norway. The advantages of this breed are small body size and production of relatively large white eggs with excellent shell quality.
WHITE FACED BLACK SPANISH	Solid Black	The identifying feature of this breed is their white face, as their name indicates. Their solid black plumage presents a dramatic contrast with their white faces and ear lobes.
SILVER SPANGLED SPITZHAUBENS	Silvery White with Each Feather Ending with a Black Spangle	This very rare variety is very active and is uniquely characterized by having strong cavernous nostrils, a horn type comb and a medium sized pointed crest that is bent forward.

ASSORTMENTS	ASSORTMENT DESCRIPTIONS
ASSORTED BRAHMAS	Hatchery's choice of Buff, Dark and Light Brahmans, which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breed Brahmans.
ASSORTED CHANTECLERS	Hatchery's choice of Buff, Partridge and Red Chanteclers, which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breed Chanteclers.
ASSORTED COCHINS	Hatchery's choice of Barred, Black, Blue, Buff, Golden Laced, Partridge, Red, Silver Laced and White Cochins, which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breed Cochins.
ASSORTED CORNISH	Hatchery's choice of Dark, White Laced Red and White Cornish, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds.
ASSORTED HAMBURGS	Hatchery's choice of Blue, Golden Penciled, Golden Spangled, Silver Penciled and Silver Spangled Hamburgs, which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breed Hamburgs.
ASSORTED RARE LEGHORNS	Hatchery's choice of Dark Brown, Light Brown, Rose Comb Brown, Buff, Exchequer and Red Leghorns, which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breed Leghorns.
ASSORTED PLYMOUTH ROCKS	Hatchery's choice of Barred, Buff, Partridge and White Plymouth Rocks, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds of Plymouth Rocks.
ASSORTED WYANDOTTES	Hatchery's choice of Columbian, Golden Laced, Partridge and Silver Laced Wyandottes, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds of Wyandottes.
ASSORTED ORIENTAL BREEDS / VARIETIES	Hatchery's choice of Rare Breed Oriental Breeds including Dark Aseels, Cubalayas, B.B. Red Malays, Saipan Jungle Fowl, Black Shamos, Thaiands and other Oriental Breeds, which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breeds.
ASSORTED LONG-TAILED BREEDS / VARIETIES	Hatchery's choice of Black Breasted Red Cubalayas, Blue Red Cubalayas, Golden Phoenix, Silver Phoenix, Black Sumatras and Red Shouldered Yokohamas, which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breeds.
DARK BROWN EGG BREEDS / VARIETIES	Hatchery's choice of Barnevelders, Cuckoo Marans, Feather Legged Cuckoo Marans and Welsummers which have not been sold as Specific Rare Breeds.
BANTAM ASSORTMENTS	BANTAM ASSORTMENT DESCRIPTIONS
BANTAM SPECIAL	Hatchery's choice of listed and other non-listed Clean Leg and Feather Leg Bantams, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds or sold as one of the other listed Bantam Assortments.
ASSORTED CLEAN LEGS	Hatchery's choice of the listed Clean Leg Bantams and other non-listed Pure Bred Clean Leg Bantams, which have not been sold as Specific Varieties of Pure Bred Bantams.
ASSORTED FEATHER LEGS	Hatchery's choice of the listed Feather Leg Bantams and other non-listed Pure Bred Feather Leg Bantams, which have not been sold as Specific Varieties of Pure Bred Bantams.
BREED ASSORTMENTS Assortments,	Hatchery's choice of available Varieties for any of the requested Specific Breed Assortments that are listed under Bantam Assortments, which have not been sold as Specific Breeds.