2025 CONTRACTOR EXPENSE SURVEY - BROILERS AND STARTER PULLETS

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1.	During 2025, were you a production contractor where you paid a fee to someone else to raise starter pullets or broilers that you owned? A production contract is a verbal or written agreement setting terms, conditions, and fees to be paid by the contractor to the operation for the production of crops, livestock, or poultry.
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2.	For 2025, please report the average cost of inputs provided to contract growers per head.

Inputs	Pullets for Hatching Flock	Pullets for Table Egg Flock	Broilers		
	Head	Head	Head		
a. Total Head Under Contract	1022	1023	1024		
	Number	Number	Number		
b. Total Number of Contractees	1122 	1123	1124		
	Dollars/Head	Dollars/Head	Dollars/Head		
c. Total Cost per Head	1222 	1223	1224		
Of the total cost per head, how much was for —					
	Dollars/Head	Dollars/Head	Dollars/Head		
i. fee paid to contractee?	1322 <u> </u>	1323	1324		
ii. marketing charges?	1422 <u> </u>	1423	1424		
iii. disinfectants & insecticides?	1522	1523 	1524		
iv. chicks placed on the operation?	placed on the operation?		1624		
v. feed?	1722 	1723	1724		
vi. litter?	1822	1823	1824		
vii. medication, vaccination, debeaking, veterinary & custom services?	1922	1923	1924		

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Inputs	Pullets for Hatching Flock	Pullets for Table Egg Flock	Broilers Dollars/Head	
	Dollars/Head	Dollars/Head		
viii. fuel?				
(a) Diesel Fuel	2022	2023	2024	
(b) Gasoline	2122	2123	2124	
(c) Natural Gas	2222	2223	2224	
(d) LP Gas	2322	2323	2324	
(e) Other Fuel (Specify: ²⁴²⁸)	. 2422 	2423 	2424	
ix. utilities?				
(a) Electricity	2522	2523 	2524	
(b) Water/Other	2622	2623 	2624	
x. supplies?	2722	2723	2724	
xi. taxes?	2822	2823	2824	
xii. hauling?	2922	2923	2924	
xiii. other expenses? (INCLUDE admin. cost, depreciation, technical services & other) (Specify: ³⁰²⁸)	3022	3023	3024	

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Respondent Name:	Respondent Phone (if	Respondent Phone (if different from above): Date:					
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This completes the survey. Thank you for your response.

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