

## ONTARIO CHICKEN LIVE PRICE

**QUOTA PERIOD A-97**  
March 28, 2010 – May 22, 2010

**LIVE PRICE FOR A-97: \$ 1.391/kg**

<b>Live Price A-96: \$ 1.4214/kg</b>	
<b>Change in:</b>	
Feed Price	- \$ 0.0272/kg
Chick Price	- \$ 0.0035/kg
<b>TOTAL CHANGE</b>	<b>- \$ 0.0307/kg</b>

	<b>Feed Price</b> Average price from January 4 to February 22	<b>Chick Price</b>
<b>A-96</b>	\$ 314.70/tonne	61.50 ¢/chick
<b>A-97</b>	\$ 301.11/tonne	60.80 ¢/chick
<b>Change</b>	- \$ 13.59/tonne	- 0.70 ¢/chick
<b>Change in Live Price</b>	<b>- 2.72 ¢/kg</b> ( $\$5/\text{tonne} = 1\text{¢}/\text{kg LP}$ )	<b>- 0.35 ¢/kg</b> ( $1\text{¢}/\text{chick} = 0.5\text{¢}/\text{kg LP}$ )

### 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 44.94 ¢/kg; previous Producer Margin 44.31 ¢/kg; change 0.63 ¢/kg.