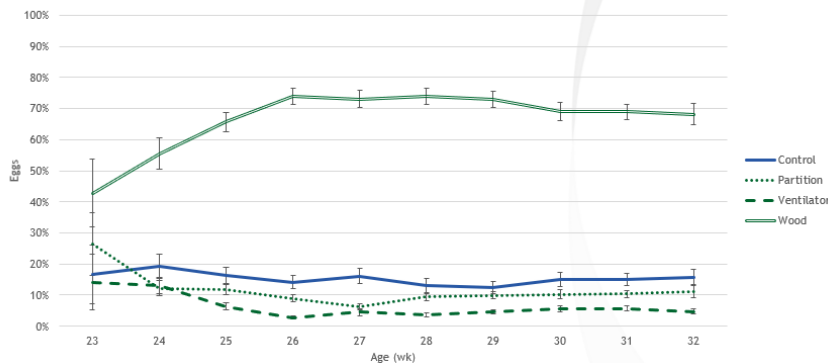


Discover the Key to Successful Breeder Housing: Insights from Scientific Studies

January 2024; How to create the perfect nesting environment for modern broiler breeders isn't something defined overnight. Backed by extensive research conducted in collaboration with Wageningen University (NL) and Vencomatic Group over the past 8 years, we know what truly makes a successful nest. One critical aspect is wood; birds clearly favour this natural material compared to steel or plastic components for their nests and contributes to reducing the risk to floor eggs to an absolute minimum. When we give the modern broiler breeder a choice; 75% of the hens go for a wooden nestbox!

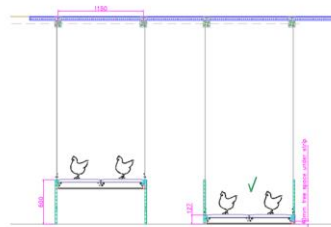
Why? 1. Wood preference (2)



But just the nest doesn't make management within a breeder house a success, a critical part is the rearing/training phase for young pullets. By combining the right nest design, optimal bird management, and global best practices, you too can achieve extraordinary results.

Rearing phase

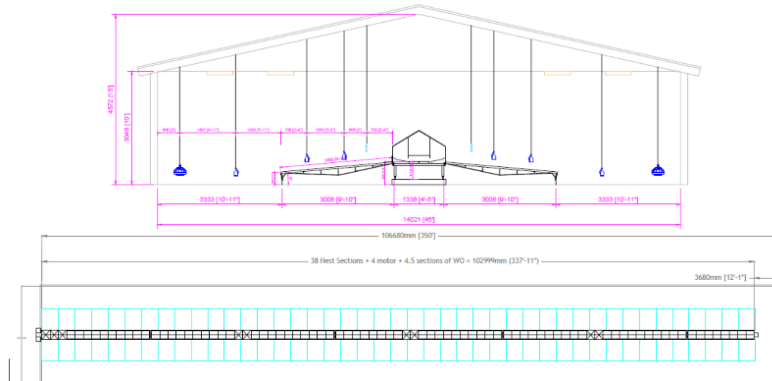
- ✓ Well trained birds give less problems in production
- ✓ Teaching birds to drink on slats makes it easier to find the drinkers in the production house
- ✓ Use the same drinker as in production
- ✓ **Never use electricity on feeding and drinking lines**



Vencomatic breeder house design shifts the focus to the specific needs of breeder females, stepping away from conventional standards, moving into 1 row nest setup. This doesn't only benefit the birds

but also leads to significant operational savings and remarkable financial outcomes. The design is a different compared to current standard in the USA, 2 rows of nest compared to 1 central row of nest in the house. The different nesting concepts (family nests) and family nest set up isn't only beneficial for the birds. It significantly contributes to operational savings on site. It allows a completely different configuration of the production site, saving significantly on building cost. You will need to build fewer houses while still outperforming financial results as the breeder flocks housed will outperform those held in traditional nest systems.

Van Gent (example 46 ft x 350ft)



Years and years of experience have proven our techniques for minimizing floor eggs and maximizing day-old chick production in breeder houses - proven not only in European markets but also in North America.

Keen to learn more about how we can help you make your breeder housing more profitable, come and meet the team during one of the IPPE show days at **booth B23005**.

Company Profile

At Vencomatic Group, we are on a mission to make poultry husbandry sustainable. We seek to balance the operation of a successful business with the lowest possible environmental impact, all while trying to achieve the highest animal welfare levels. **We always, develop our products based on a thorough understanding of the bird, her well-being, and her eggs.**

Our unique solutions are supporting the entire 'Egg Way' for layers, breeders, broilers, and hatcheries. Think of poultry housing equipment ([Vencomatic](#), [Van Gent](#)), egg collection and handling equipment ([Prinzen](#)), and climate solutions ([Agro Supply](#)). And we don't stop there, discover how [Megg-sius](#) powers precision farming and gives us the opportunity to help our customers even further, reaching the maximum potential out of every bird, every flock every farm.

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