

# **Step by step formula for faster local chick development and weight gain**

## **Formulas to implement**

Always consult, inspect chicks, and source chicks from reputable hatcheries. Additionally, transport chicks in boxes with sawdust, and prepare or construct a brooder earlier. Furthermore, clean drinkers and feeders, allow the brooder to dry and spread dry litter 2 inches in depth. Lastly, disinfect litter, cover litter with newspaper, and confine chicks in a small portion of the brooder for proper heat regulation.

## **Management practices**

Ensure to give chicks starter feeds, and an ample supply of water containing glucose and vitamins on day one. Secondly, ensure to replace litter covering papers every day to avoid moisture accumulation on litter. Furthermore, always clean drinkers and feeders daily, vaccinate chicks timely, and provide chlorine-free water to chicks.