



Waterfowl Breeds Information Sheet

	Use	Egg Color	Broody	Forager	Unusual Characteristics	Down Color	Adult Wt.
DUCKS							
Pekin	meat	white	no	yes	the classic meat breed	yellow	young drake 9# young duck 8#
Aylesbury	meat	white	no	yes	built like cement block white skin	yellow	young drake 9# Young duck 8#
Rouen	meat	white	variable	yes	mallard pattern, most com. strains do not have keel	blk & yellow stripes by eyes	young drake 9# young duck 8 #
Muscovy	meat	white	yes, good mothers	yes	"voiceless", caruncles over face, can roost	variety	young drake 10# young duck 6 #
Saxony	meat, eggs exhibition	white	variable	yes	drakes: head blue gray; breast claret: ducks white stripes by eyes	buff/tan with eye stripes	young drake 8# young duck 7#
Silver Appleyard	meat, eggs exhibition	white	variable	yes	frosted mallard pattern		young drake 8# young duck 7#
Crested	exhibition	white	no	yes	crest on top of head	yellow	young drake 6# young duck 5#
Blue Swedish	exhibition	white	variable	yes	white bib	grey w/ yellow chest	young drake 6# young duck 5#
Cayuga	exhibition	lt green tint	variable	yes	lustrous black-green color	black, occ. Some white	young drake 7# young duck 6#

Buff	exhibition	white	variable	yes	fawn brown color	tan, may have stripes by eyes	young drake 7# young duck 6#
Runner	eggs, exhibition	white	no	yes	upright carriage, "walking bottle" variety of color patterns	variety	young drake 4# young duck 3#
Khaki Campbell	eggs	white	no	yes	male has darker head than body body color ; seal brown	dark brown	young drake 4# young duck 3#
Call	exhibition	white	no	yes	bantam breed, com. Strains sl.larger than elite breeder strains, difficult to hatch small billed ducklings; flyer	white: yellow	young drake 22 oz. young duck 18 oz
East Indie	exhibition	lt green tint	no	yes	bantam breed; lustrous blk/green plumage; flyer	black	young drake 26 oz young duck 22 oz
Mallard	exhibition	white	variable	yes	typical mallard pattern bantam breed; flyer	blk & yellow, stripes by eye; toe clipped	young drake 36 oz young duck 30 oz
GEESE							
Toulouse	meat	white	variable	yes	the common gray farm goose	olive grey & yellow	young gander 20# young goose 16#
Embden	meat	white	variable	yes	white plumage	grey back with yellow chests & belly	young gander 20 # young goose 16 #
African	meat	white	variable	yes	knob on head, brown head stripe, back brown	olive grey w/ yellow belly and markings	young gander 16# young goose 14#
Sebastopol	exhibition	white	variable	yes	rare breed, curled feathering	yellow & lt. Grey	young gander 12# young goose 10#
Pilgrim	exhibition meat	white	variable	yes	male: white plumage female: grey plumage	males lighter color females darker	young gander 12 # young goose 10 #

Am. Buff	exhibition meat	white	variable	yes	buff plumage	straw colored	young gander 16# young goose 14#
Pomeranian	exhibition meat	white	variable	yes	white body w dark head, flanks and back	head,back dk.grey underside yellow	young gander 15# young goose 13#
White Chinese	eggs	white	variable	yes	knob on head, white plumage "weeder geese"	canary yellow	young gander 10# young goose 8#
Tufted Roman	exhibition	white	variable	yes	feather tuft of head, white plumage	yellow	young gander 10# young goose 9#
Egyptian	exhibition	white	variable	yes	striking plumage; related to shelducks; very territorial	white w/ brown stripes	young gander 5# young goose 4#