The Effect of Feeding with Different Brands on the Performance of Hens with Selected Local Roosters at the Age of 4 to 8 Weeks

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this study was to determine how influential feeding with different brands of feed had on the performance of selected local chickens at the age of 4 to 8 weeks. The chickens used in this study were crossbred chickens from selected local roosters and hens. In this study, several different types of feed brands were used to find out which feed was good for the performance of selected local chickens and which feed was the most economical. The experimental design used was a Completely Randomized Design (CRD) ANOVA test. Selected local chickens used totaled 160 chickens with 4 different feed brand treatments P1 (Feed A), P2 (Feed B), P3 (Feed C), and P4 (Feed D). The parameters observed in this study were feed consumption, body weight gain, and feed conversion. The results of this study indicated that feeding with different brands to selected local chickens had no significant effect (P>0.05) on feed consumption, body weight gain, and feed conversion.

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