



GENESIS[®] Straight-Line Feeding System Breeder Pullets Management Guideline Mash, Crumble, or Pellet Feed type

Start-Up Guidelines:

1. Determine daily feed rations needed for Pullets.
 - Anticipate reducing feed rations 2% to 5% when using the GENESIS[®] Feeding System compared to traditional chain feeding systems.
2. Open brood windows on all feeders, see Figure 1.
3. Verify feed cone level setting is at the appropriate level. Chore-Time recommends #2 setting on all feeders to maintain a proper feed charge, see Figure 2.

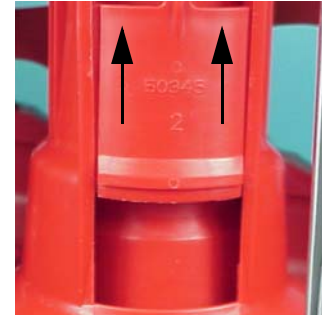


Figure 1. Open Brood Windows

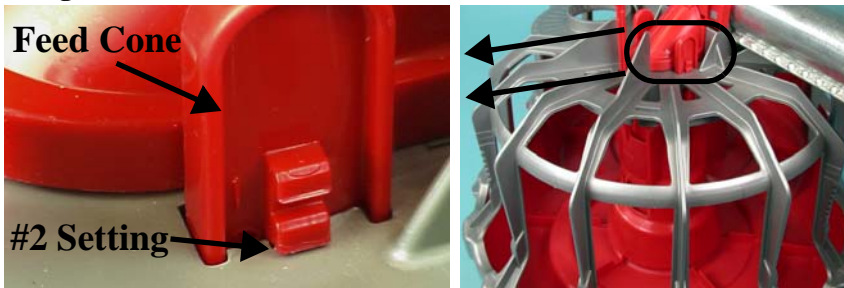


Figure 2. Feed Cone Level #2 Setting

4. Lower feeder lines so feed pans rest on the floor while keeping suspension cables taut.
5. Verify all lights are operating properly to prevent dark spots or shadows around feeders.
6. Set the CHORE-TRONICS[®] control to allow fill systems time to fill all feeder line hoppers prior to starting the feed lines. Fill systems should be deactivated when daily ration has left the weigh bin.
7. Set the CHORE-TRONICS[®] control to run the feeder lines 10 minutes before the lights come on. The lower hopper switch deactivates the feeder lines when hoppers are empty.

Operation Guidelines:

1. Maintain correct feeder height (check weekly), see Figure 3.

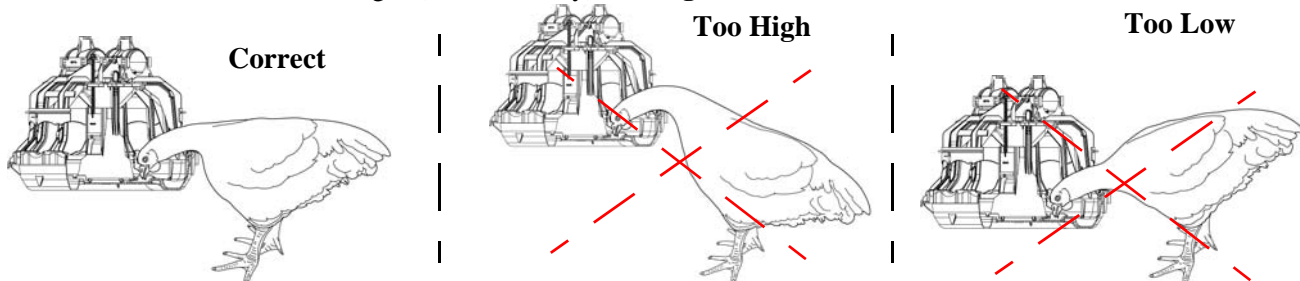


Figure 3. Feeder Height Adjustment

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2. Close brood windows at end of brood cycle, see Figure 4.
3. Compare actual weight of flock to target weight and adjust feed ration as needed.
4. Maintain adequate lighting



Figure 4. Close Brood Windows

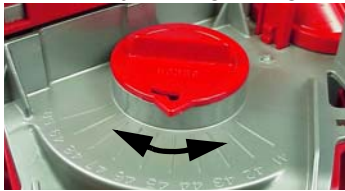
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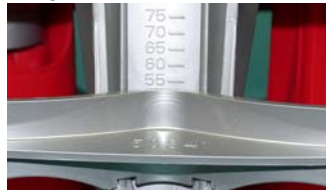
GENESIS[®] Straight-Line Feeding System Breeder Hens Management Guideline Mash, Crumble, or Pellet Feed type

Start-Up Guidelines:

1. Determine daily feed rations needed for hens and roosters.
 - Anticipate reducing feed rations 1% to 3% when using the GENESIS[®] Feeding System compared to traditional chain feeding systems.
 - Verify rooster feed rations are adequate due to rooster restriction with the GENESIS Feeder.
2. Determine and adjust grill width to minimum setting for the bird breed being raised, see **Figure 5**.
3. Determine and adjust height ring to appropriate height for restriction of the supplied roosters, see **Figure 5**.



Width Adjustment 1 5/8 - 2 inches [41-50 mm]



Height Ring Adjustment 2-3 inches [50-75 mm]



Figure 5. Grill Width and Height Ring Adjustment

4. Verify feed cone level setting is at the appropriate level. **Chore-Time recommends #2 setting on all feeders to maintain a proper feed charge, see Figure 6.**

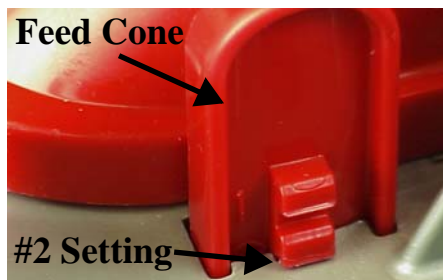


Figure 6. Feed Cone Level #2 Setting

5. Adjust feeder line height to the correct height for the incoming flock, see **Figure 7**.

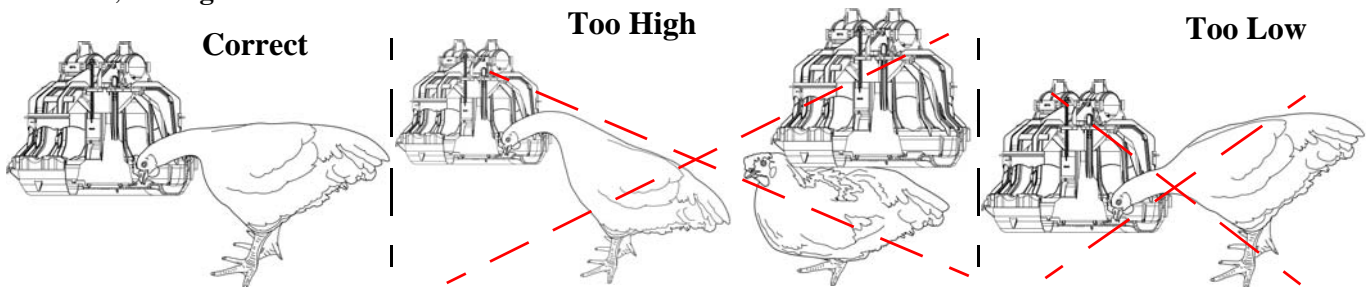


Figure 7. Feeder Height Adjustment

6. Verify all lights are operating properly to prevent dark spots or shadows around feeders.
7. Set CHORE-TRONICS[®] Control to allow fill systems time to fill all feeder line hoppers prior to starting feed lines. Fill systems should be deactivated when daily ration has left the weigh bin.
8. Set the CHORE-TRONICS Control to run the feeder lines 10 minutes before the lights come on. The lower hopper switch deactivates the feeder lines when hopper is empty

Operation Guidelines:

1. Maintain correct feeder height (check weekly), see **Figure 7**.
2. Adjust grill width openings as necessary to allow hen access and maintain rooster restriction, see **Figure 5**.
3. Compare actual weight of flock to target weight and adjust feed ration as needed.
4. Maintain adequate lighting.