

Discount Egg Cartons And Poultry Supplies

At EggCartons.com, you can purchase a wide variety of egg cartons as well as a complete line of poultry supplies including incubators, waterers, feeders, egg baskets, and more.

EggCartons.com is making the old new again. A few years ago they introduced to the public a vintage style egg scale. This popular style egg scale from yesteryear has been a big hit with poultry hobbyists and collectors. Now, they have done it again.

EggCartons.com has brought back the old fashioned paper egg carton with vintage printing reminiscent of the 40's and 50's style. This unique egg carton will make your eggs stand out and be fondly remembered at the market.

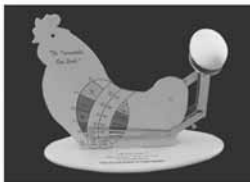
EggCartons.com offers a complete line of cartons along with everything you need to set up your own egg business.



**3 x 4 Egg Box, Vintage Style
Item Number: FHP-34V**

The Incredible Egg Scale™

**Item Number:
FHP-ES1**



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State-Of-The-Art Planter Disc Scrapers

"Our new scrapers bolt right onto the axle of the opening discs on any planter and offer a lot of advantages over standard frame-mounted scrapers," says Eric Hesla, Pro Mags LLC, Tea, S. Dak.

The universal scrapers are designed to replace the original frame-mounted scrapers on any planter. Using a wrench, you can adjust the mounting arm tension and set the blade to make contact anywhere along the opening disc.

"The scraper's design forces mud and stubble away from the opening disc and the internal side of the planter's gauge wheels, preventing the soil buildup that you get with standard frame-mounted scrapers," says Hesla. "The design also prevents soil and trash from plugging up between the opening discs."

"The patented scrapers can be used on any planter with or without our patented Pro Mag gauge wheels. They're compatible with the new 15 and 16-in. double roller bearing disc opener designs found on newer planters."

The scrapers sell for \$39.99 apiece plus S&H. "The mounting body is a one-time purchase, and there is only the scraper blade to replace over time as it wears," says Hesla.



Universal scraper bolts onto the axle of any planter's opening disc.

"We currently offer models for both single bearing and double bearing openers."

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Pelleted Chicken Litter Catching On Fast

Pelleted chicken litter fertilizes better than spreading litter raw. The easy-to-handle organic fertilizer from Herbruck's Poultry Ranch in Michigan is now being marketed from Massachusetts to Montana and south to North Carolina and Missouri.

"We used to make compost and sell locally, then we started in-house drying of manure," explains Brian Geerlings, Herbruck's Poultry Ranch. "We started pelleting about 5 or 6 years ago after several years of experimenting. It's an easier form to handle and works in lime spreaders of all sizes and kinds."

The dehydrated, pelletized, poultry manure is plant friendly as well. It contains 80 lbs. of nitrogen (N) per ton. Additional N is available to growing plants because of stimulated microbial activity in the soil. Herbruck's estimates that 2/3 of the N mineralizes in the first year. It's also microbe friendly, which leads to healthier soils and plants.

"Customers like the improved crop performance compared to conventional fertilizers," says Geerlings.

The pellets also deliver phosphate and potash, as well as micronutrients like sulfur, magnesium, calcium and more. It's available



Herbruck's Poultry Ranch says its dehydrated, pelletized poultry manure is plant friendly and easy to handle.

in various sizes, from 50-lb. bags (\$260/40-bag pallet) to 1-ton super sacks (\$169), and bulk semi-loads (\$99/ton, plus freight).

Crumbled pellets sized similar to fertilizer granules are also available for use with conventional fertilizer spreaders, planter boxes and lawn spreaders.

"We sell a fair amount of pellets and crumbles to organic farmers," says Geerlings. "It's in high demand from grain producers and other growers."

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