



U.S. *Poultry* Facts

1 US Per Capita Poultry Consumption has gone from 34 pounds in 1960 to nearly 110 Pounds TODAY

The US exports approximately 16% of the chicken and 10% of the turkey produced in the nation. **2**

3 In early 20th century, it took more than 5 lbs of feed to produce a pound of chicken, today it takes less than 2 lbs, decreasing the environmental impact

Poultry is the second most widely eaten meat in the world, accounting for 30% of meat production, pork is 38% **4**

5 Synthetic hormones and steroids are never given to poultry, it's not economical and against federal law!

29,500 family farms have production contracts. 95% of the broilers raised in the US are produced on those family farms. **6**