

# **PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY OF DONG TAO CHICKENS RAISED IN GIA LAI PROVINCE**

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## **Summary**

This research was conducted to evaluate the growth and reproduction performance of Dong Tao chickens raised in Pleiku city, Gia Lai province. One hundred Dong Tao chicks were raised under semi-pasture from 1 day old to 20 weeks old. After 20 weeks old, the results showed that the survival rate was 86%. The weight of males and females body was 2431.1g and 1977.4g; respectively. The feed intake and FCR were 60.75 g/head/day and 3.75kg, respectively. The age of Dong Tao chicken laying first eggs was 163 days old. 149 eggs was divided into 5 batches and was hatched. After 7 days, the result showed 78.72% fertilized eggs and 59.66% hatch rate after hatching out.

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