

Nutrients enriched eggs

How to develop premium eggs



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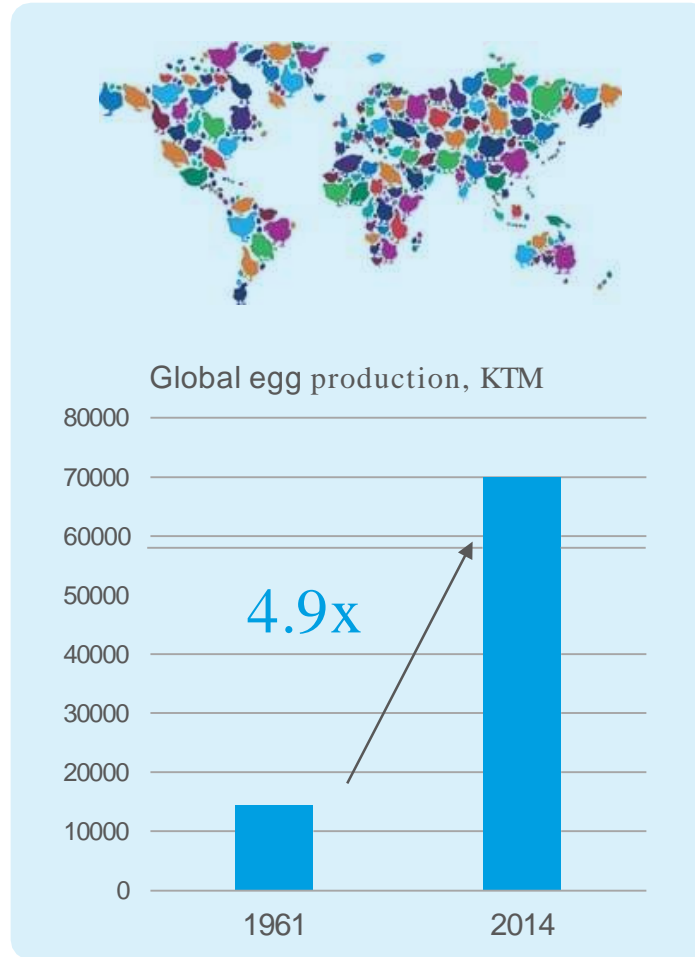
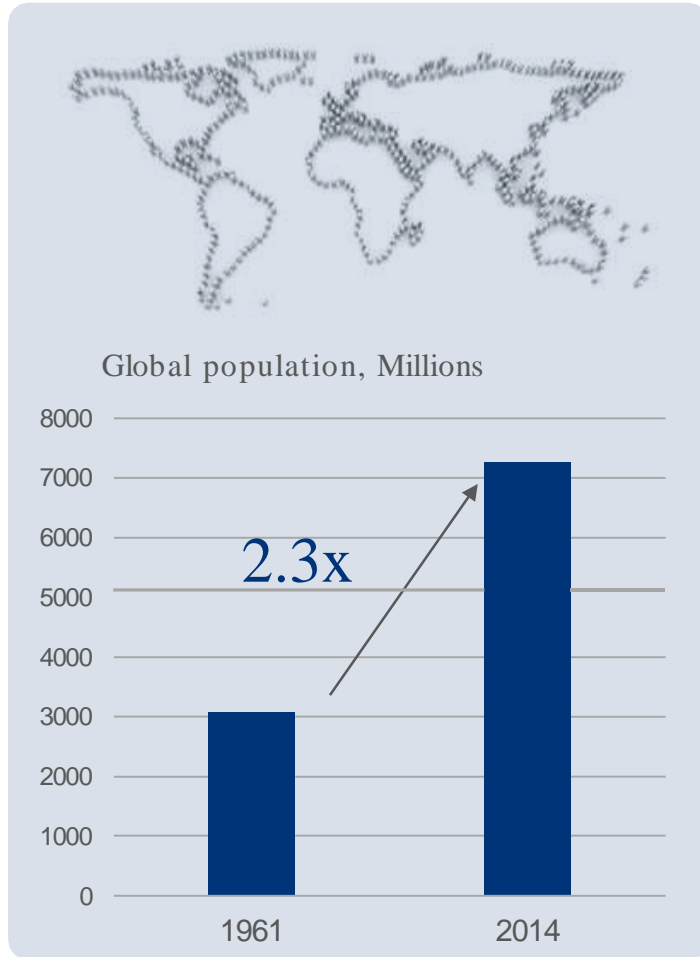
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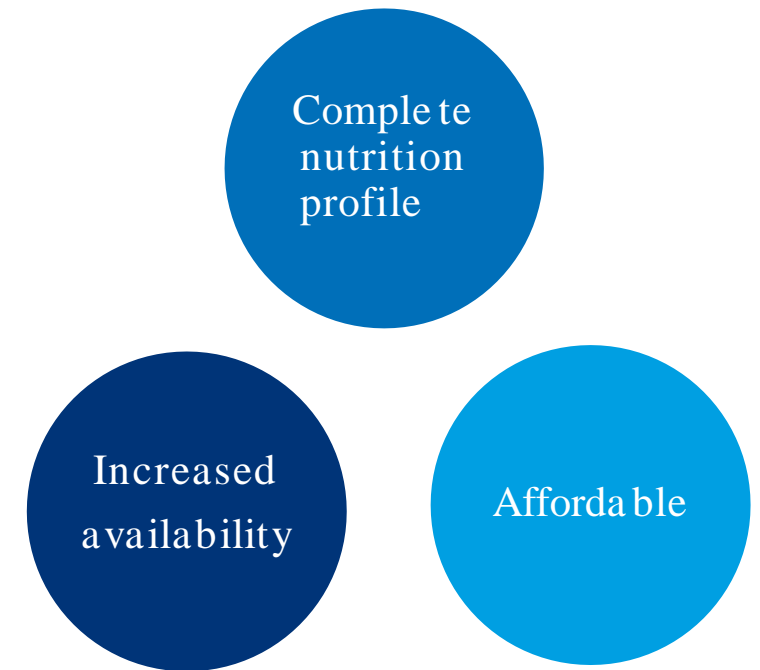
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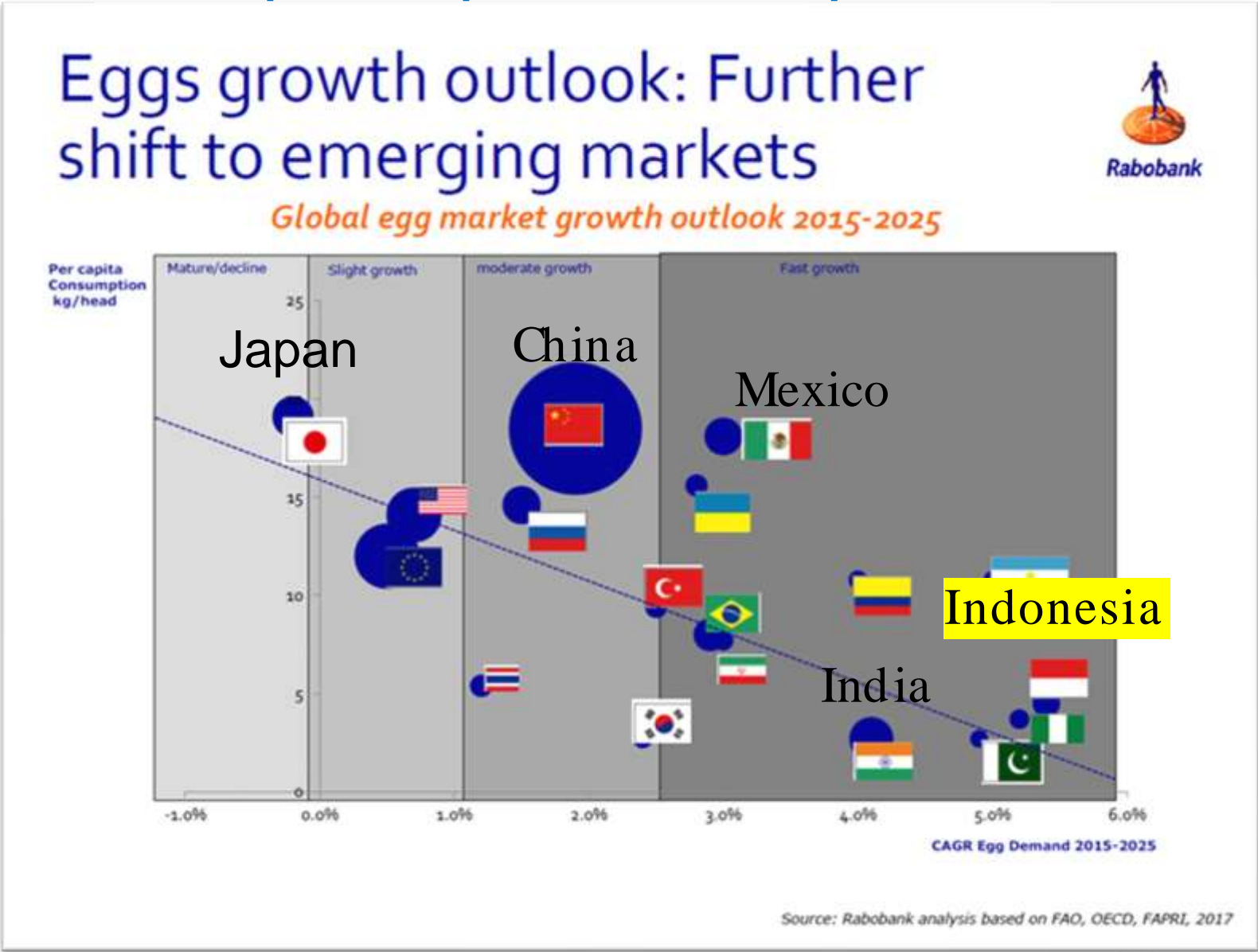
More people, More eggs



Affordable nutrition - Eggs have a complete healthy nutrition profile AND affordable

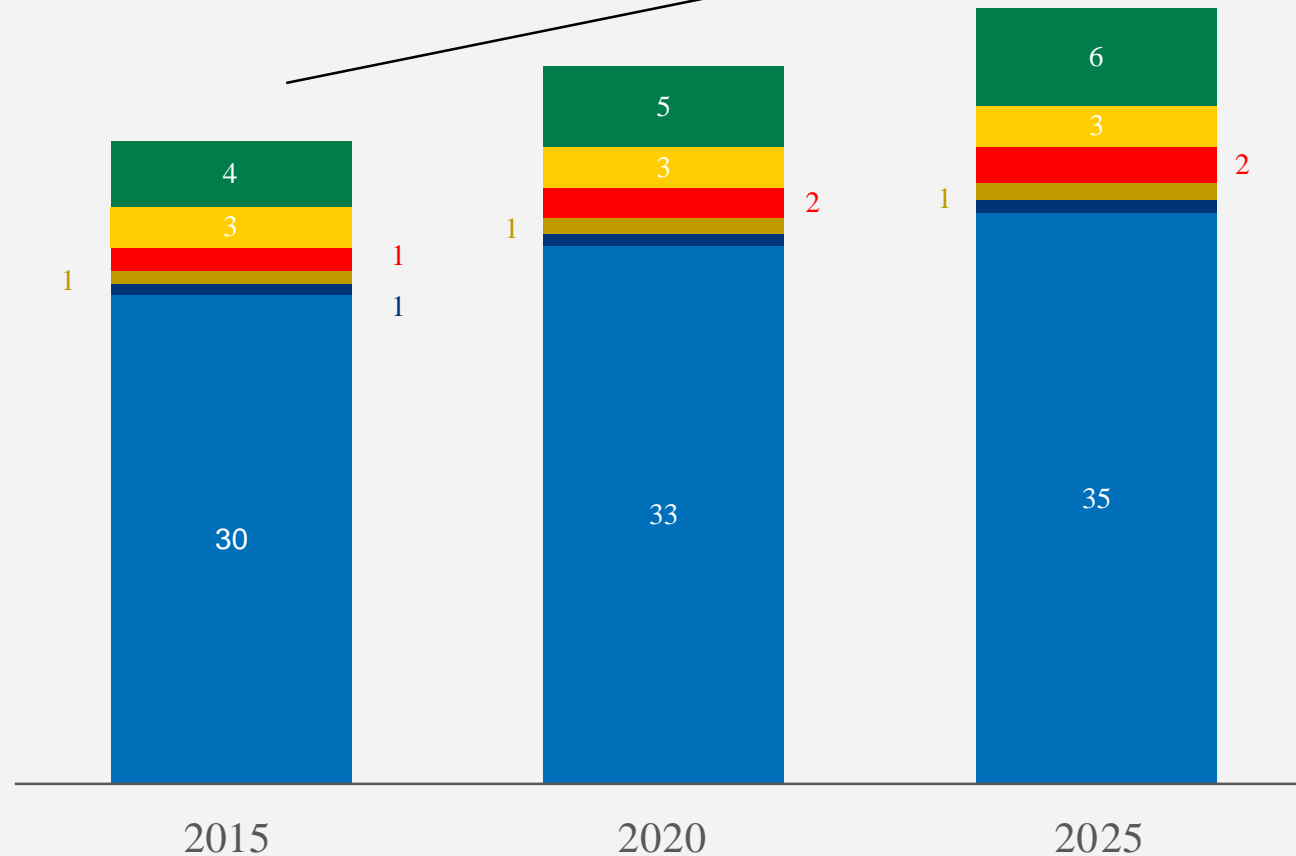


Egg markets continue to grow... particularly driven by countries with low per-capita consumption



Including Asia - with the lion share of growth from China, India, and Indonesia

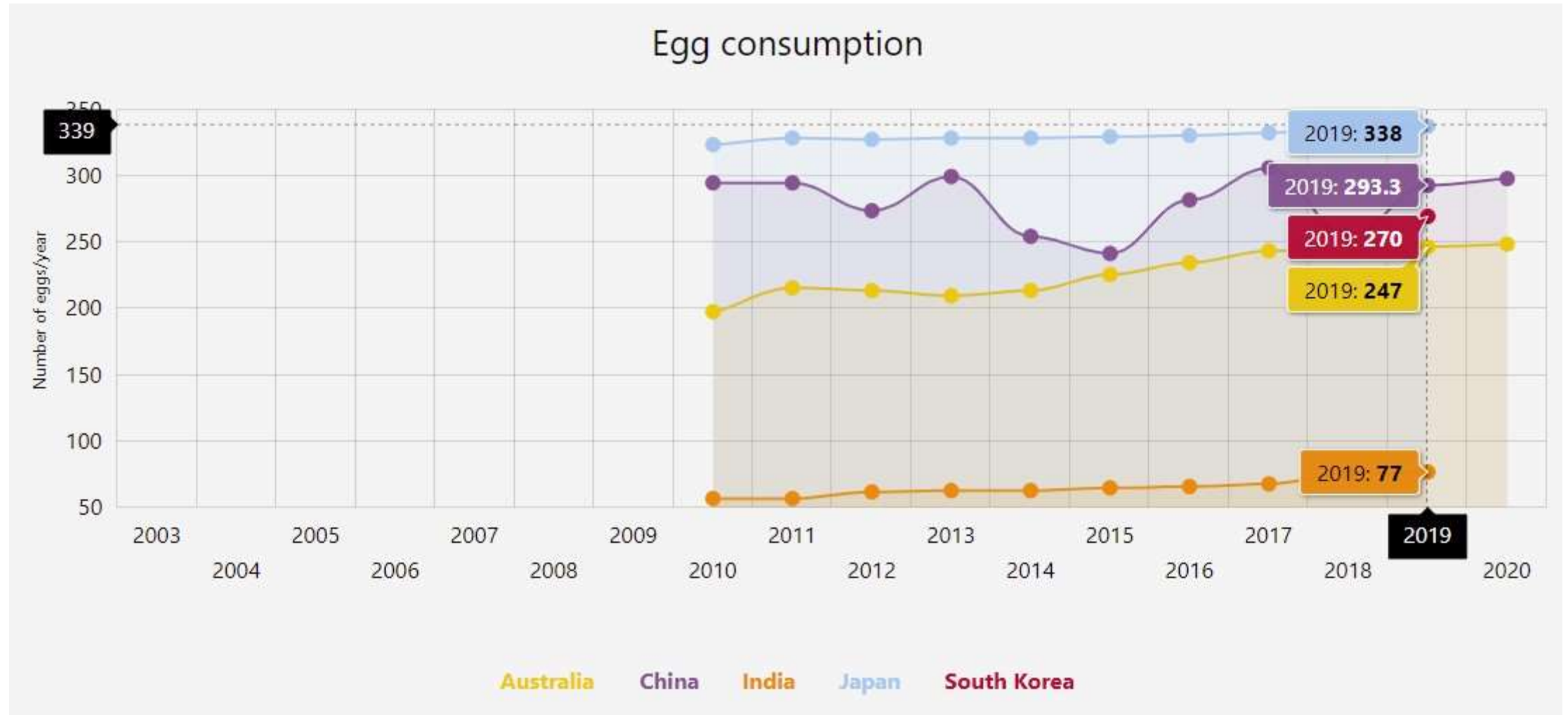
kMT, eggs production



DSM business analysis based on Rabobank, FAO and WATT



Annual egg consumption per capita



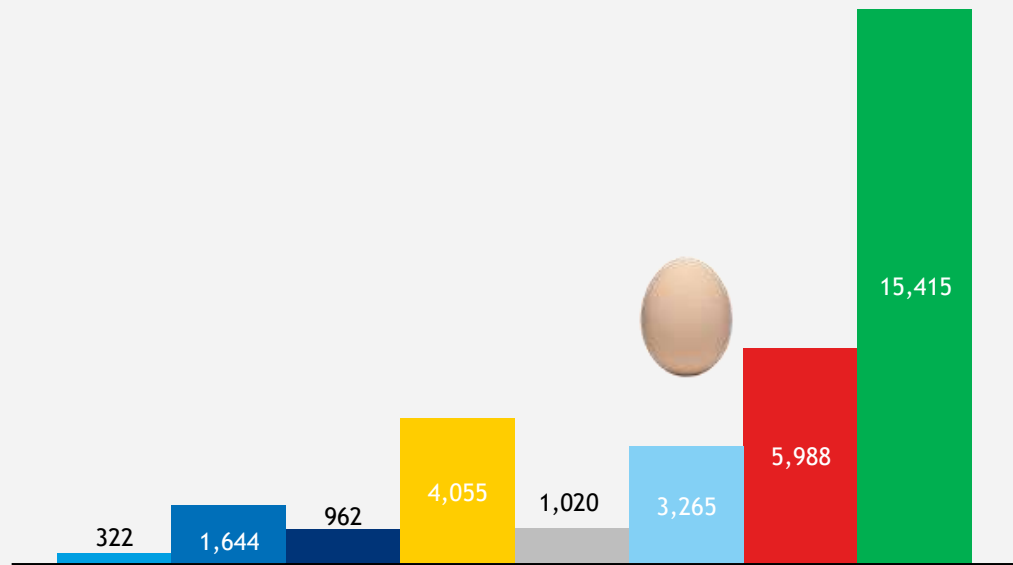
International Egg Commission 2021



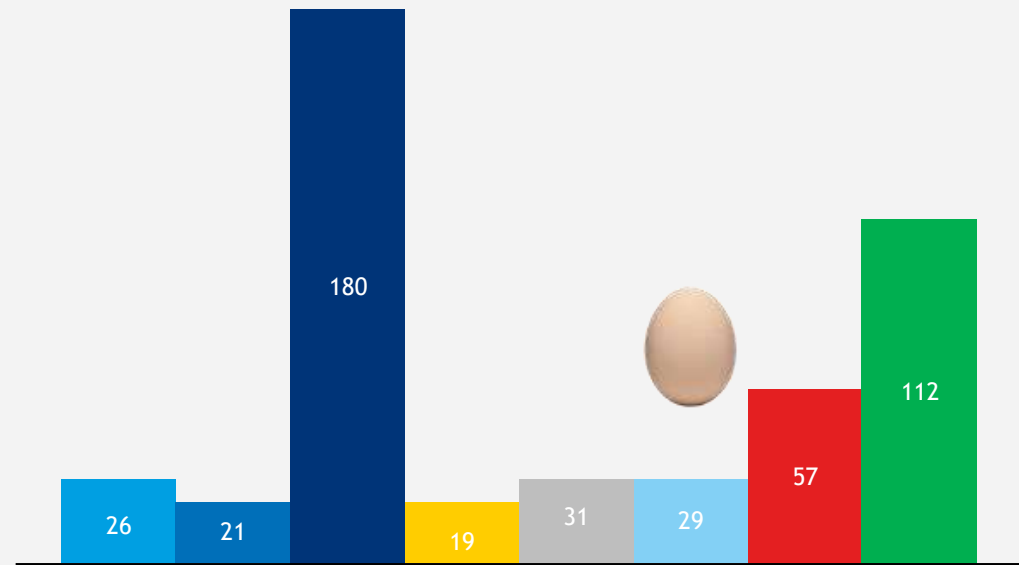
Example - water footprint:

Eggs have a high water footprint per kg compared to other food, but low when compared by grams of protein.

Water footprint liters per kg - food

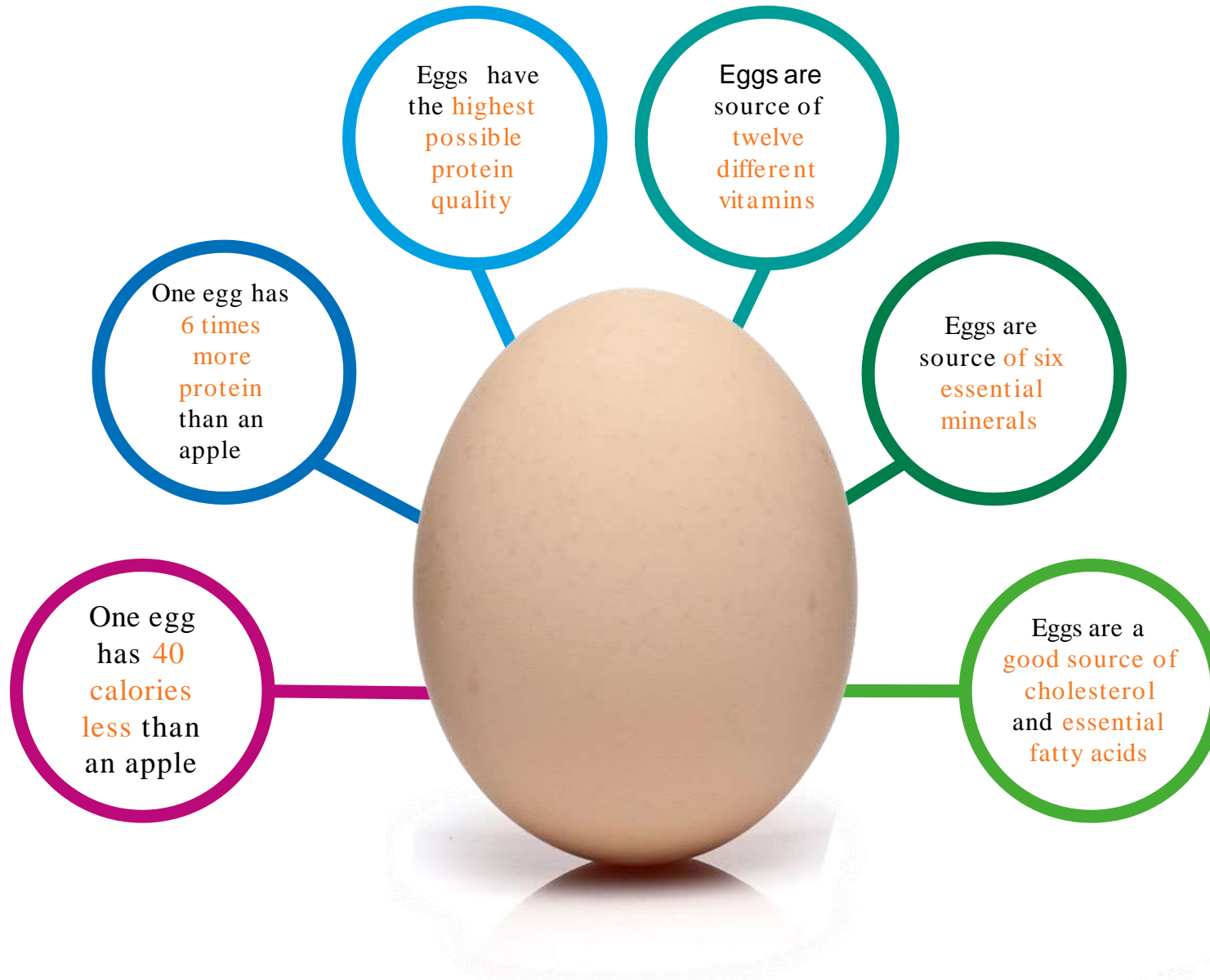


Water footprint liters per gram - protein

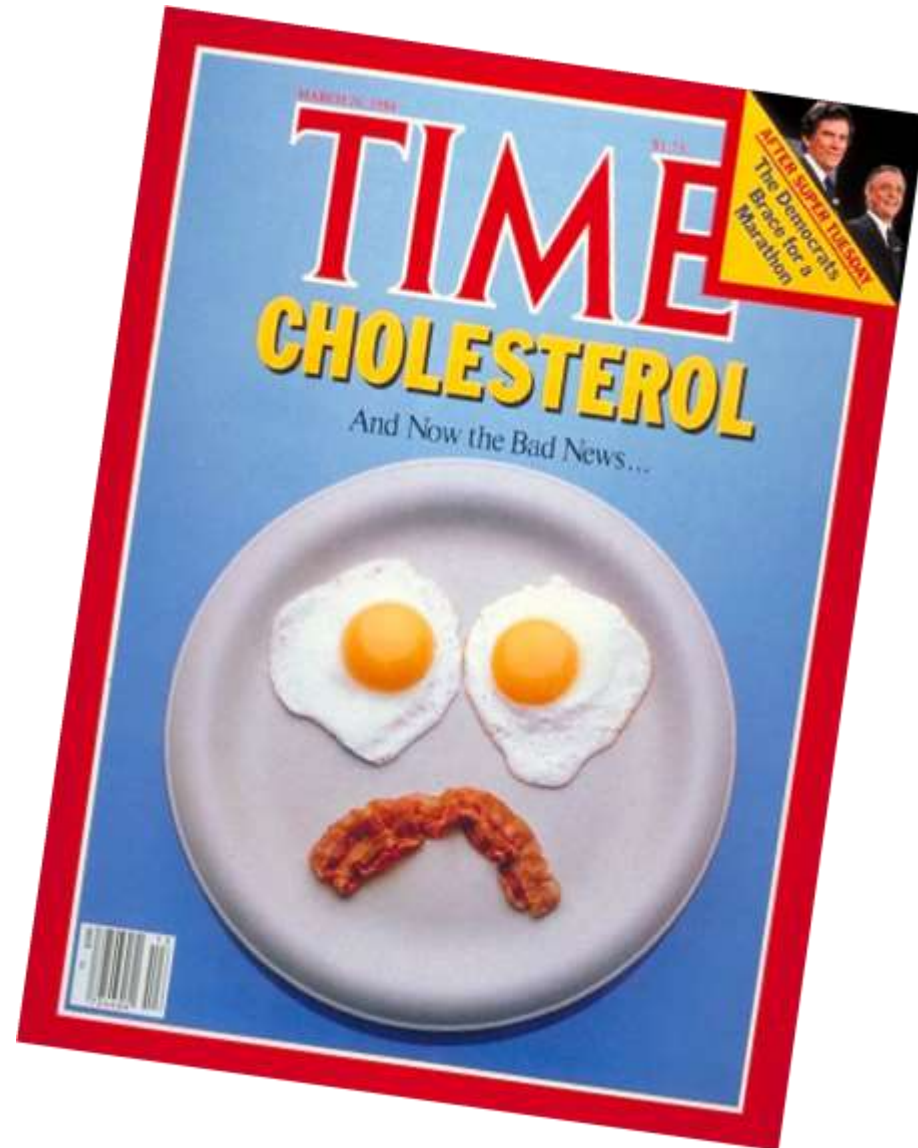


■ Vegetables ■ Cereal ■ Fruits ■ Pulses ■ Milk ■ Eggs ■ Pork ■ Beef

Egg is perfect nutritious and healthy food!



1984



A prospective study of egg consumption and risk of cardiovascular disease in men and women

Department of Medicine, Brigham and Women's Hospital and Harvard Medical School, Boston, Mass.

Objective

- To examine the association between egg consumption and risk of coronary heart disease (CHD) and stroke in men and women.

Trials details

Participants: 37851 men aged 40 to 75 years and 80082 women aged 34-59 Years at study outset, free of cardiovascular disease, diabetes, hypercholesterolemia or cancer.

- Two cohort studies
- Food frequency questionnaire
- 866 incidents of CHD and 258 strokes in men after 8 years
- 939 incidents of CHD and 563 stroke in women after 14 years

Results

Egg consumption per week

Relative rate of CHD*	<1	1	2-4	5-6	7+
Men	1	1.06	1.12	0.9	1.08
Women	1	0.82	0.99	0.95	0.82

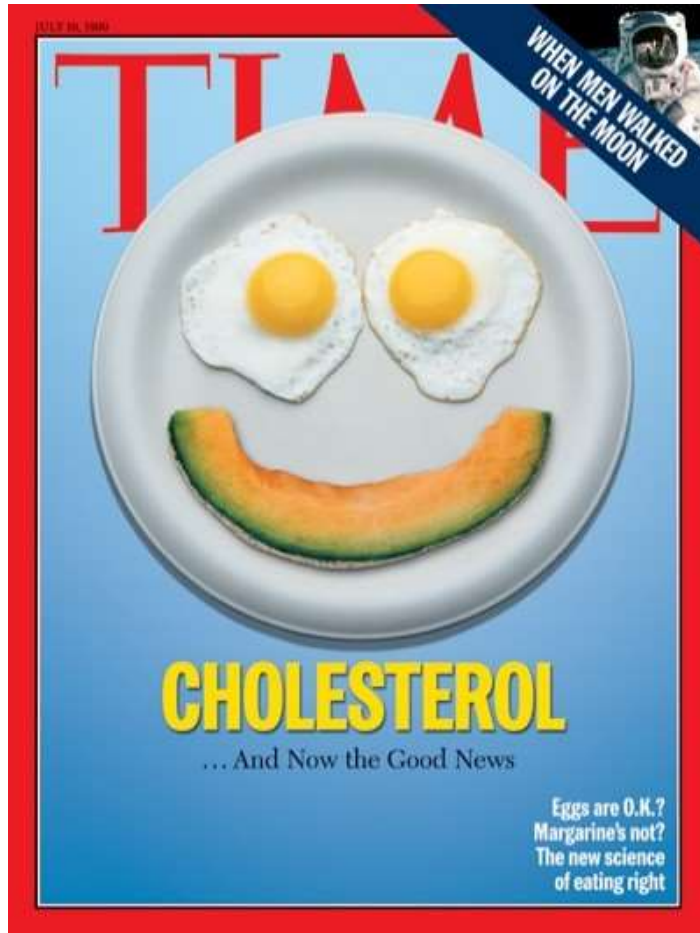
Persons-years by egg consumption category

	<1	1	2-4	5-6	7+
Men	90118	69091	88077	12216	14059
Women	175144	366625	409896	52584	52971

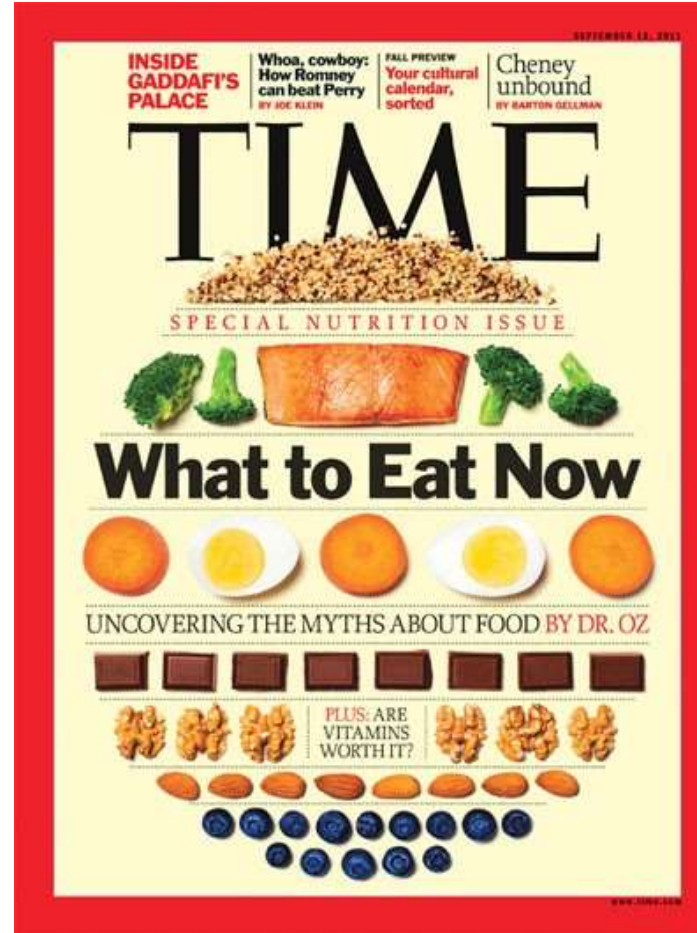
Conclusions & Benefits

- Egg intake is not related in anyway to risk of heart failure in healthy individuals.
- Further investigation is needed for diabetic individuals, egg intake and CHD.

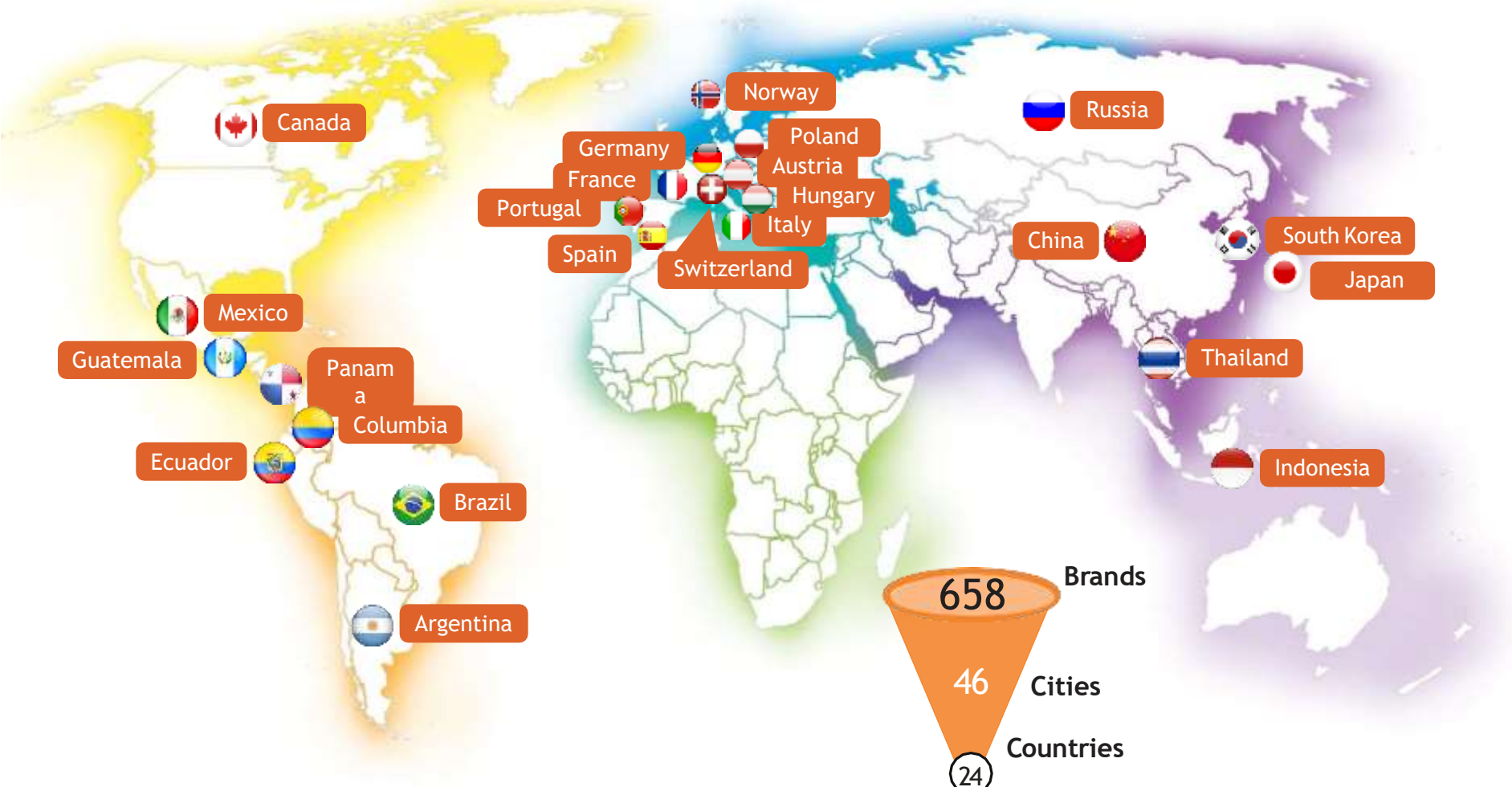
1999



2011



Egg branding supermarket survey



Supermarket evaluation

Geography	Packs	Claims	Characteristics	Excluded
Country	No. eggs	Nutritional	Shell color	Bogus claims
City	Pack. Material	Production	Size	In shell processed
Vendor	Freshness	Feed	Yolk Color	Duck or quail
	Price	Genetics		Liquid eggs
		Organic		Generic
		Special		



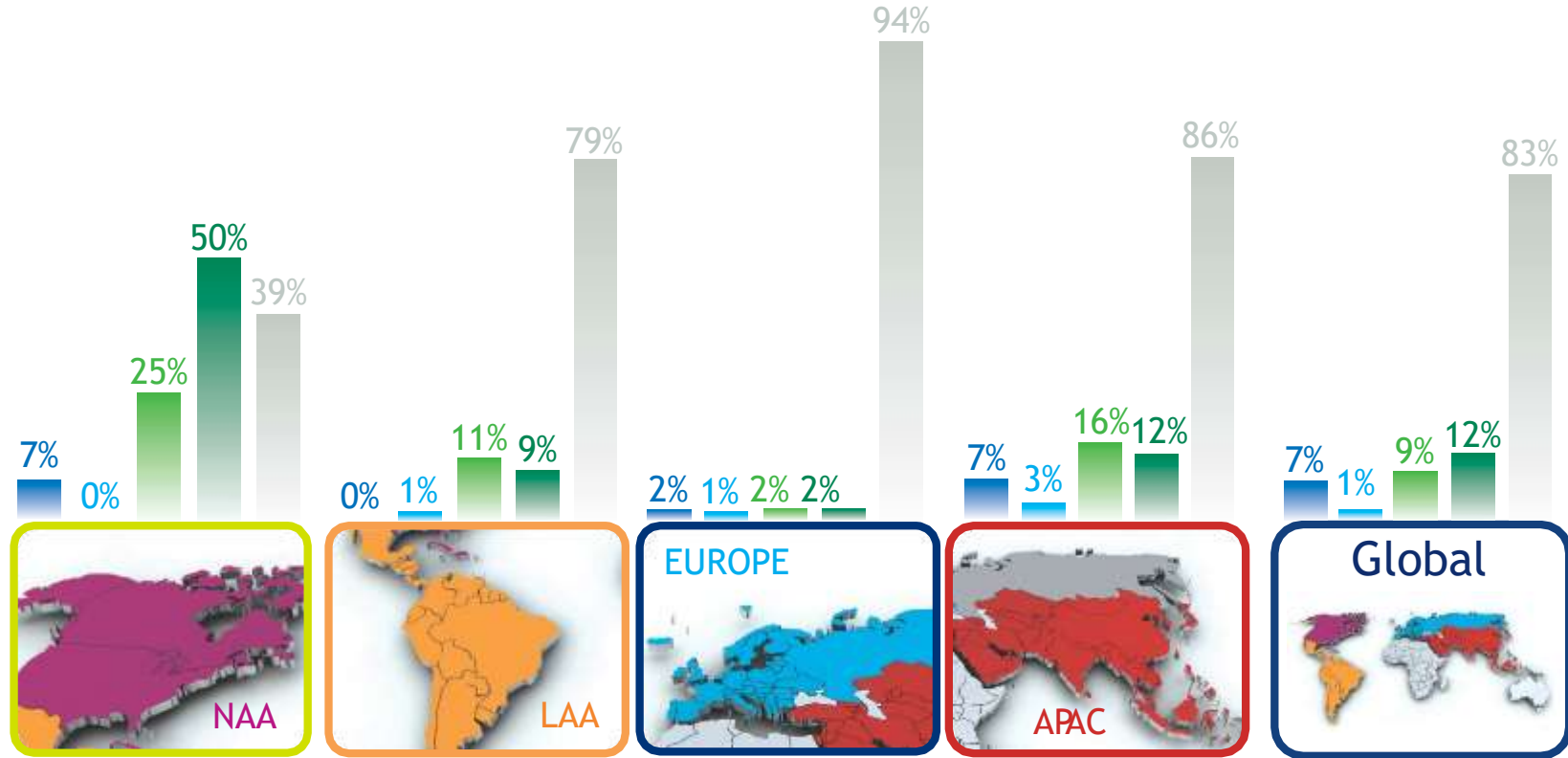
Value Added claims

Claims

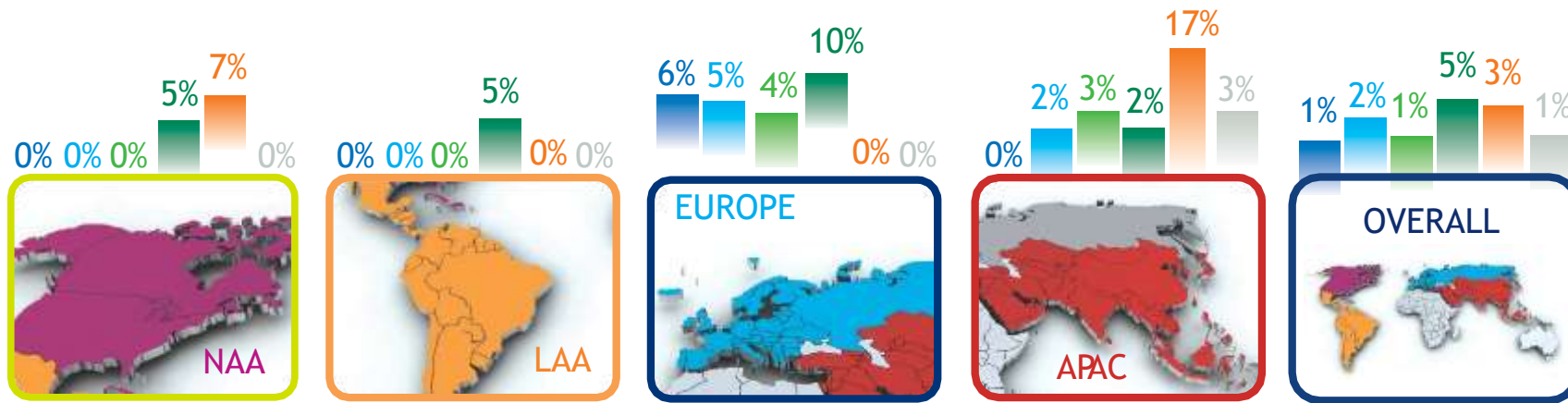
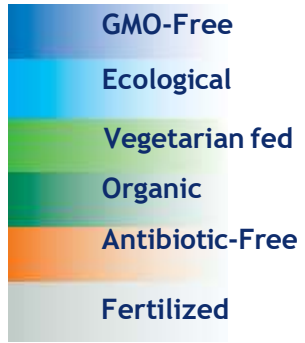
Nutritional enrichment	Vitamin, Mineral, Carotenoids, Omega 3
Size	S or XL
Genetics	Local breeds
Feeding	Vegetable, GMO Free, multigrain, Antibiotic-free
Production	Barn, free-range and cage
Organic	Organic
Others	Extra fresh, recyclable package, local, national, happy hens, healthy, long life, hormone-free.



Egg brands with nutritional claims



Special claims



Premium eggs always offer value-added

In **Latin America** you can buy eggs ranging from **\$0.07 to \$0.67/egg.**



that's a
900%
difference!

The image shows two hands holding two brown eggs. The egg on the left has a white price tag that reads '\$0.07'. The egg on the right has a white price tag that reads '\$0.67'. The background is a light green map of Latin America.

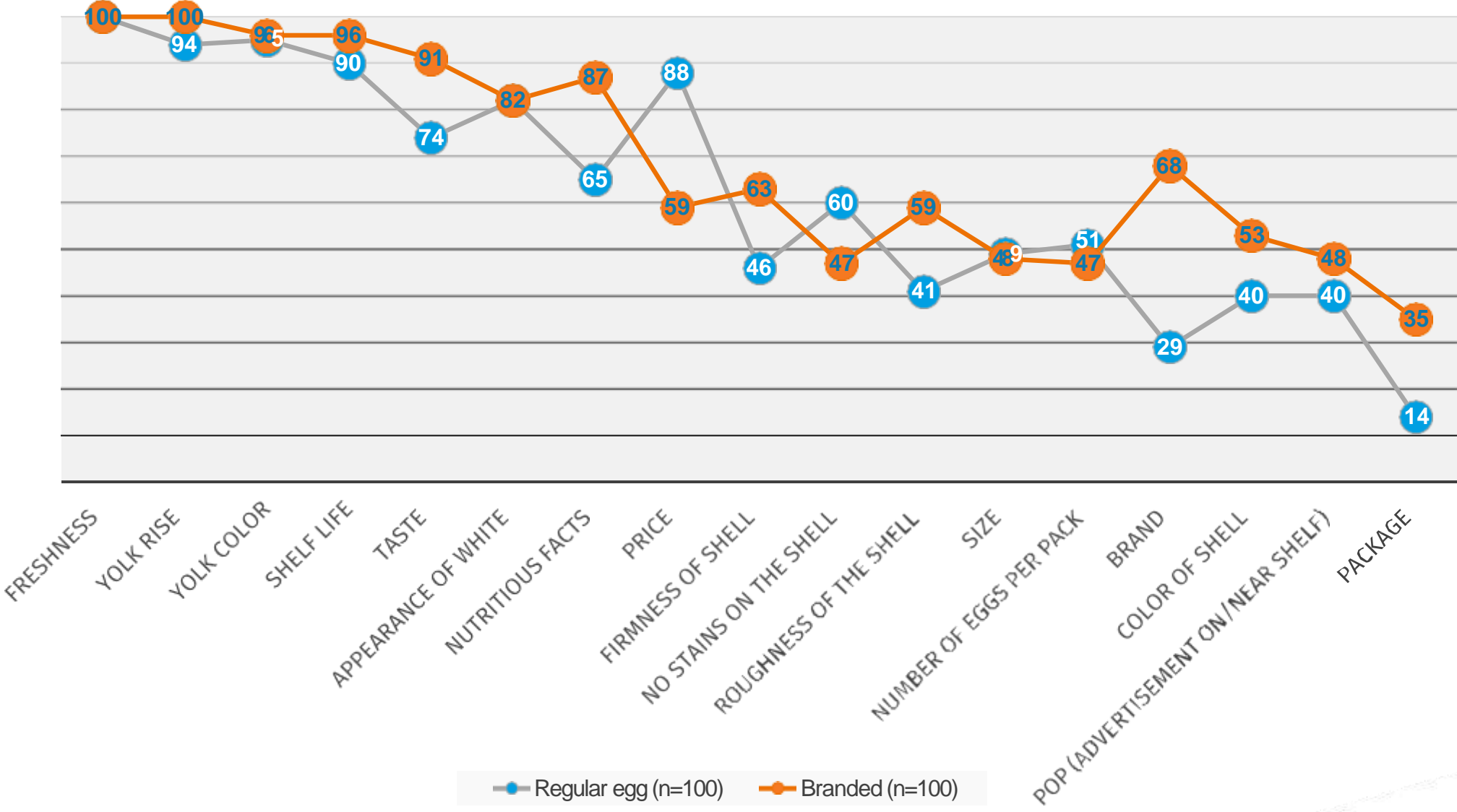
In **Europe** you can buy eggs ranging from **\$0.098 to \$0.986/egg.**



that's over
900%
difference!

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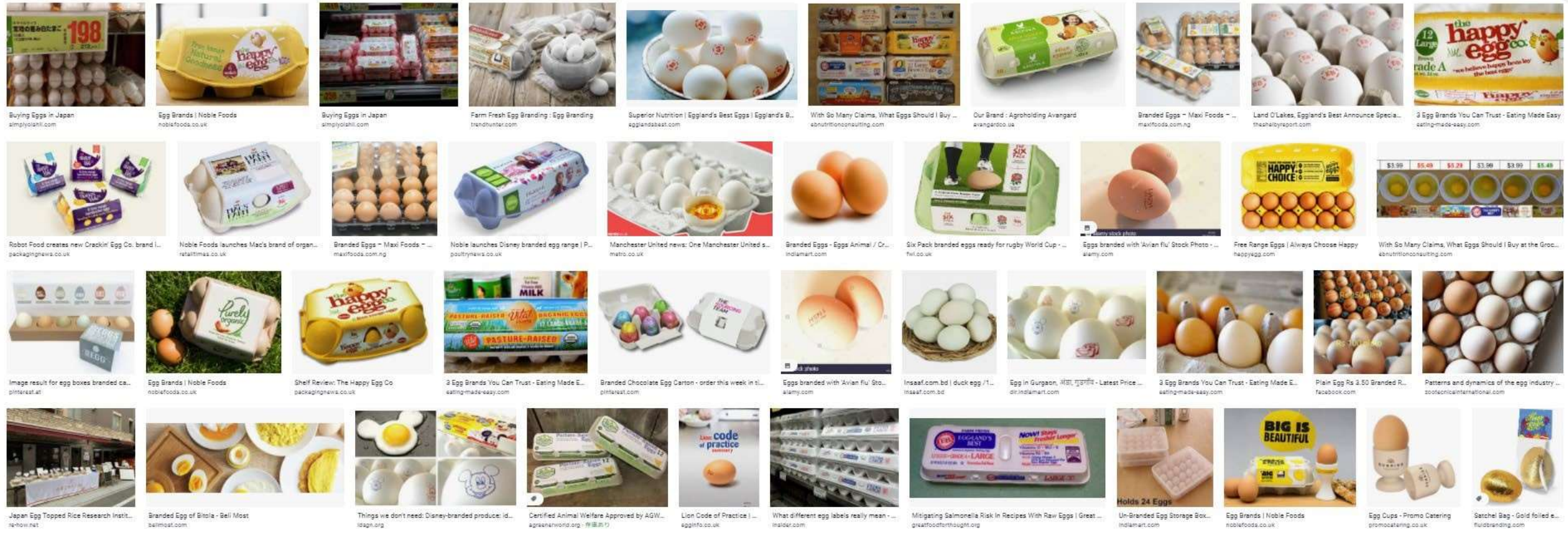
Real consumer preference



(Research International, Tokyo)



Thousands of premium eggs in the world



In Japan, there are more than 1500 egg brands



Case study: Happy egg



Case study: Vita Gold

Registered Functional food (Vitamin D)

Enriched A, D, E, K, B1, B12, Biotin, Folic acid, Pantothenic acid, DHA, EPA, Omega-3



What we can think about..

Optimum Vitamins Nutrition concept.



- Better immunity
- Better performance
- Better egg quality



LAYERS & OTHER POULTRY (1)

Category/Phase	Duration	Vit. A ¹	Vit. D ₃ ²	25OHD ₃ (Hy-D) ³	Vit. E ⁴	Vit. K ₃ (menadione)	Vit. B ₁	Vit. B ₂	Vit. B ₆	Vit. B ₁₂ ⁵	Niacin	d-Panto-thenic acid	Folic acid	Biotin	Vit. C ⁶	Choline	
		I.U.	I.U.	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	
Hens and Duck Layers Starter (Pullets)	0-10 weeks	12000-13000	3000-4000	0,069	50-70 ⁷	3-3,5	2-2,5	6-7	4,5-5,5	0,025-0,030	50-60	15-17	1-1,5	0,15-0,20	100-150	200-400	
	Rearing (Pullets)	10 wks-2% lay	10000-12000	3000-4000	0,069	30-35	3-3,5	2-2,5	5-6	3-5	0,020-0,025	30-60	12-15	1-1,5	0,10-0,15	100-150	200-400
	Layers	Laying phase	8000-12000	3000-4000	0,069	20-30 ⁸	2,5-3	2,5-3	5-7	3,5-5	0,015-0,025	30-50	8-12	1-1,5	0,10-0,15	100-200	300-500
Layers breeders Pullets, layers and male breeders	0 weeks to end	10000-15000	3000-4500	0,069 ⁹	50-100 ¹⁰	2-5	2,5-3,5	10-12	5-6	0,020-0,040	45-60	15-20	2-3	0,25-0,40	150-200	300-500	
Ducks and Geese		12000-15000	3000-5000	0,069	40-80	3-5	2-3	5-7	5-7	0,020-0,040	60-80	10-15	1-2	0,20-0,25	100-200	300-500	
Partridges, quails and pheasants		12000-13500	3000-4000	0,069	50-80	2-4	2-4	5-7	4-6	0,030-0,050	50-80	15-25	1,5-2	0,20-0,25	100-200	400-600	
Ostrich and emu		12000-16000	3000-4000	0,069	40-60	2-4	3-5	10-20	6-8	0,050-0,100	80-100	12-20	2-4	0,20-0,35	200-250	600-800	

¹ Added per kg air-dry feed ² Local legal limits need to be observed ³ Add 60 mg/kg CAROPHYLL® red to improve hatchability. MaxiChick™ (Hy-D® 1,25% and CAROPHYLL® red) is a DSM Nutritional Products Patent and Trademark. ⁴ When dietary fat is higher than 3% then add 5 mg/kg feed for each 1% dietary fat ⁵ For optimum immune function increase level up to 100 mg/kg in Layers Starter and up to 150 mg/kg in Breeders ⁶ Under heat stress conditions increase level up to 200 mg/kg ⁷ Use upper level as reference for animal protein free diets and when cobalt is supplemented at very low levels or removed ⁸ Recommended under heat stress condition and to enhance reproductive performance in breeders ⁹ Use ROVIMIX® STAY-C®35 for reducing loss during processing

DSM Brand: OVN® eggs



Country:

- Japan

Product name:

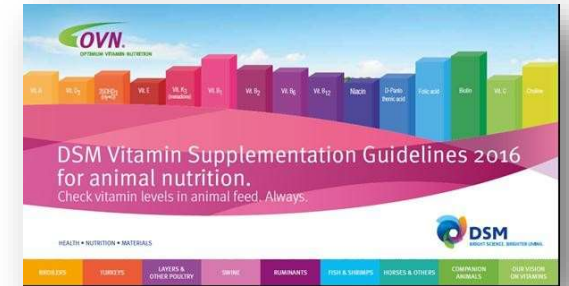
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Producer:

- Maruichi (Natura Farm), Japan
- <http://www.maru1.com>

Claims:

- Healthy : for better animal health & welfare
- Quality : complete hygiene and quality control
- Better feed : healthier animals fed OVN diets



LAYERS & OTHER POULTRY (1)														
Category/Phase	Duration	VE ^a	VE ^b	VE ^c	VE ^d	VE ^e	VE ^f	VE ^g	VE ^h	VE ⁱ	VE ^j	VE ^k	VE ^l	Choline
		IU	IU	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg	mg
Hen and Duck Layers	0-10 weeks	1000-1000	300-400	0.00	50-70 ^m	3-5.5	2-3.5	6-7	45-55	0.05-0.20	50-60	15-17	1-1.5	0-150
	10 weeks to lay	1000-1000	300-400	0.00	30-35	3-5.5	2-3.5	5-6	3-5	0.05-0.20	30-60	10-15	1-1.5	0-150
Layers	Laying phase	8000-10000	300-400	0.00	20-30 ^m	25-3	2.5-3	5-7	3.5-4	0.05-0.20	30-60	8-12	1-1.5	0-150
Layers breeders Pullets, layers and cock breeders	0 weeks to end	1000-1000	300-400	0.00 ^m	50-100 ^m	2-4	2.5-3.5	10-12	5-6	0.05-0.20	40-60	15-20	2-3	0-250
	1000-1000	300-400	0.00	40-60	3-5	2-3	5-7	3-7	0.05-0.20	40-60	10-15	1-2	0-250	
Ducks and Geese Poultry, quails and other birds	1000-1000	200-400	0.00	50-60	2-4	2-4	5-7	4-6	0.05-0.20	30-60	10-20	1-2	0-250	
	1000-1000	200-400	0.00	40-60	2-4	2-4	5-7	4-6	0.05-0.20	30-60	10-20	1-2	0-250	
Other birds and swans	1000-1000	200-400	0.00	40-60	2-4	2-4	5-7	4-6	0.05-0.20	30-60	10-20	1-2	0-250	



DSM Brand: OVN™ egg in Spain, Portugal



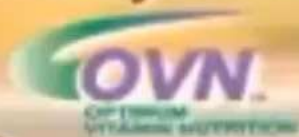


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Sarimanok Layer Feeds

with



Brand X



DHA enriched egg with Algae DHA source from S. Korea

Good message how we can secure marine resources in terms of sustainability.




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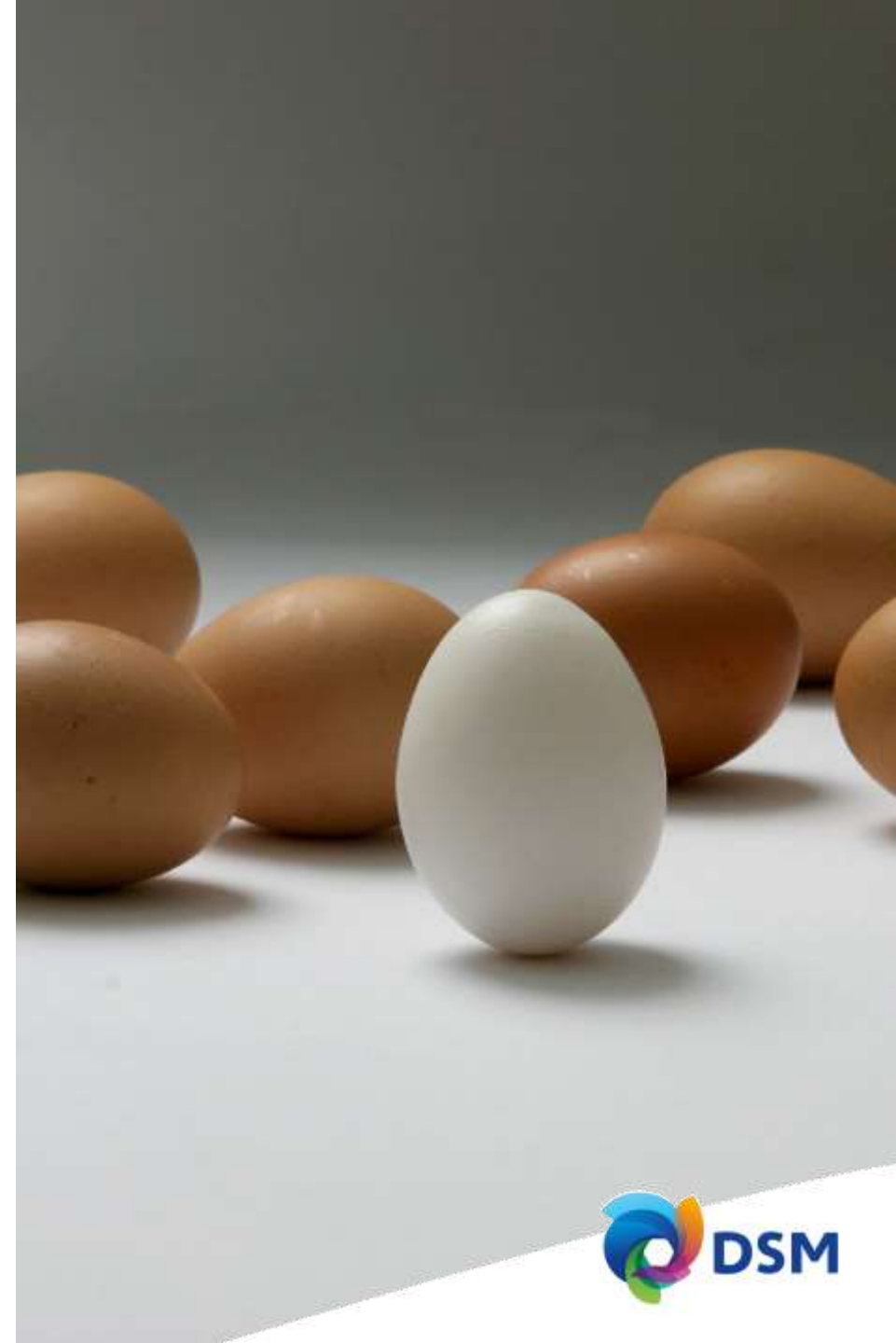
Optimum Nutrition 일반 계란 대비 월등한 비타민 함량 /100g	비타민A 함유	비타민E 풍부	비타민B ² 풍부	비타민B ⁵ 풍부	식품의 유형: 식용란 내용량: 10개입 600g (800 kcal) 제품명: 가능 1+등급 비타플러스 에그 10알	10 냉장제품 개입/특란
	170 ugRE	4.88 mg	0.44 mg	3.13 mg		

How differentiate my eggs?

From global experience points of view

- 🍳 Shell color; white, brown, pink, blue
- 🍳 Egg yolk color; yellow, orange, red
- 🍳 Raw material; raw materials which are familiar with human food ingredients. e.g. rice, herb, sesame, etc
- 🍳 Nutrients enriched; vitamins, DHA/Omega3, carotenoids, etc.
- 🍳 Housing; enriched cage, aviary system, free-range
- 🍳 Package design



How to claim on egg packages

Low
↑
Hurdle
↓
High

- 1. We feed the hens vitamin D fortified diet*
 - Only text claim
- 2. This egg is enriched with Vitamin D*
 - Only text claim
- 3. We feed the hens X-times higher Vitamin D diet (compared to regular diet)*
 - Confirm vitamin D level in fortified and regular diets
- 4. This egg contains X-times higher vitamin D (compared to our regular eggs)*
 - Need to analyze vitamin D content in regular and enriched eggs.
- 5. This egg contains xx micro gram (IU) vitamin D (per one egg, or 100g edible part of eggs(or egg yolk))*
 - Need to analyze vitamin D content in enriched eggs and guarantee above level

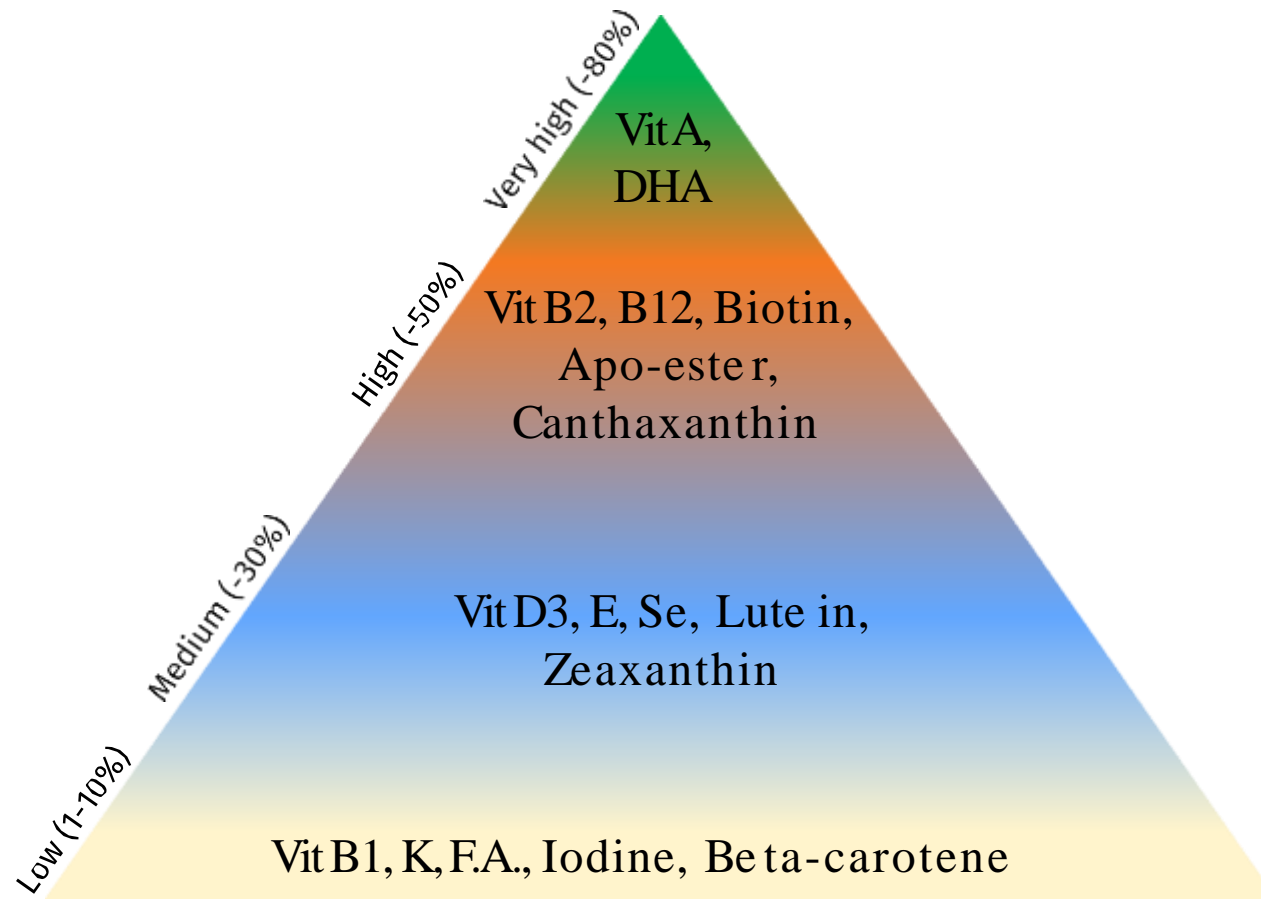


How do we claim nutrition facts in eggs?

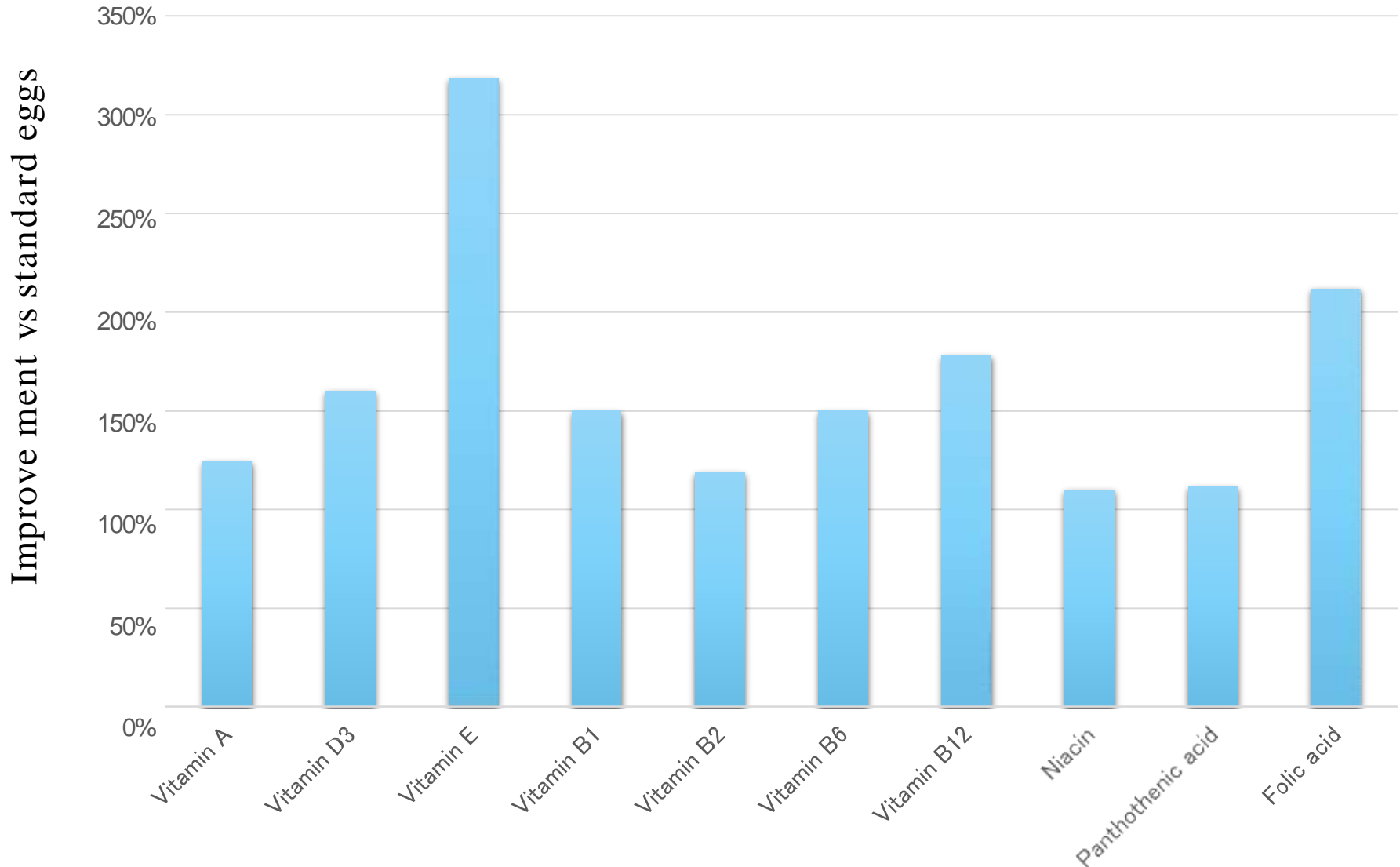
- 🔑 Value per 100g edible part
 - 🔑 Use in most of markets
 - 🔑 Easy comparison with other food source
 - 🔑 Label value is larger than per one egg
- 🔑 Value per one egg
 - 🔑 Use only egg
 - 🔑 Easy to understand
 - 🔑 Wider variation actual value among different sizes of eggs



What kinds of nutrients we can increase? *Transfer efficacy from feed to egg*



How much we can improve vitamin levels in egg



How to guarantee nutrient levels in eggs

1. To understand what minimum (lowest) level of target nutrient in eggs in your layer farm.

- Nutrient is same but no same quality!

Nutrients are weak against heat, humidity, light, oxygen.

- Only healthy hens can produce high quality eggs

Heat stress, Gut health, Diseases/ Infections

- Good farm management and hygiene control are key points more than others

1. Regular nutrients analysis is essential to understand in your farm situation.

- Not always same nutrition facts in egg around the year.

Need to analysis every 2-3 months to monitor how change level of nutrients in eggs.

When discover the trend, it will be ok to analyze 1-2 times every year.

Tips for vitamin enrichment eggs development

At the beginning...

- 🍌 Check whether vitamins are well mixed (Feed analysis)
- 🍌 Avoid stress as much as possible to hens (Farm & Feed management)

Egg sample collection...

- 🍌 Randomly collect eggs from 3 weeks after feeding fortified diet
- 🍌 Pool 10-20 eggs as one sample
- 🍌 Send fresh samples as early as possible

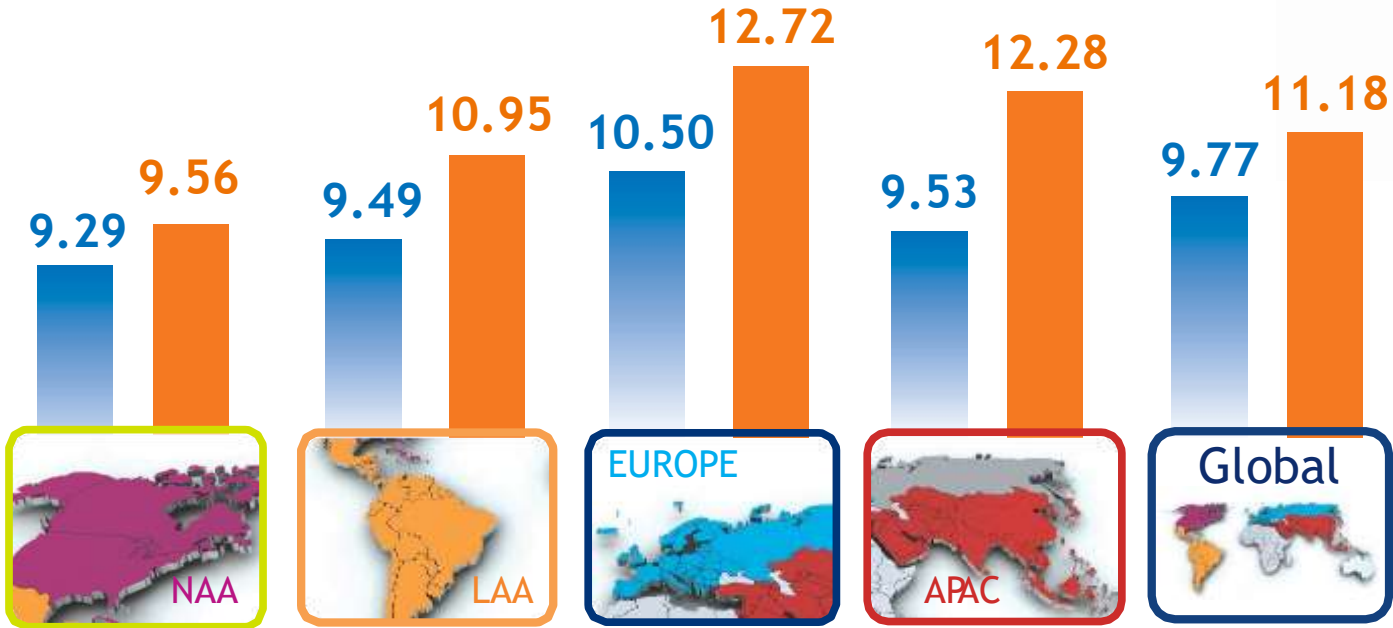
At the lab

- 🍌 Ask lab to separate egg yolk and egg white before analysis
- 🍌 Egg yolk sample is best option to analyze most of vitamins

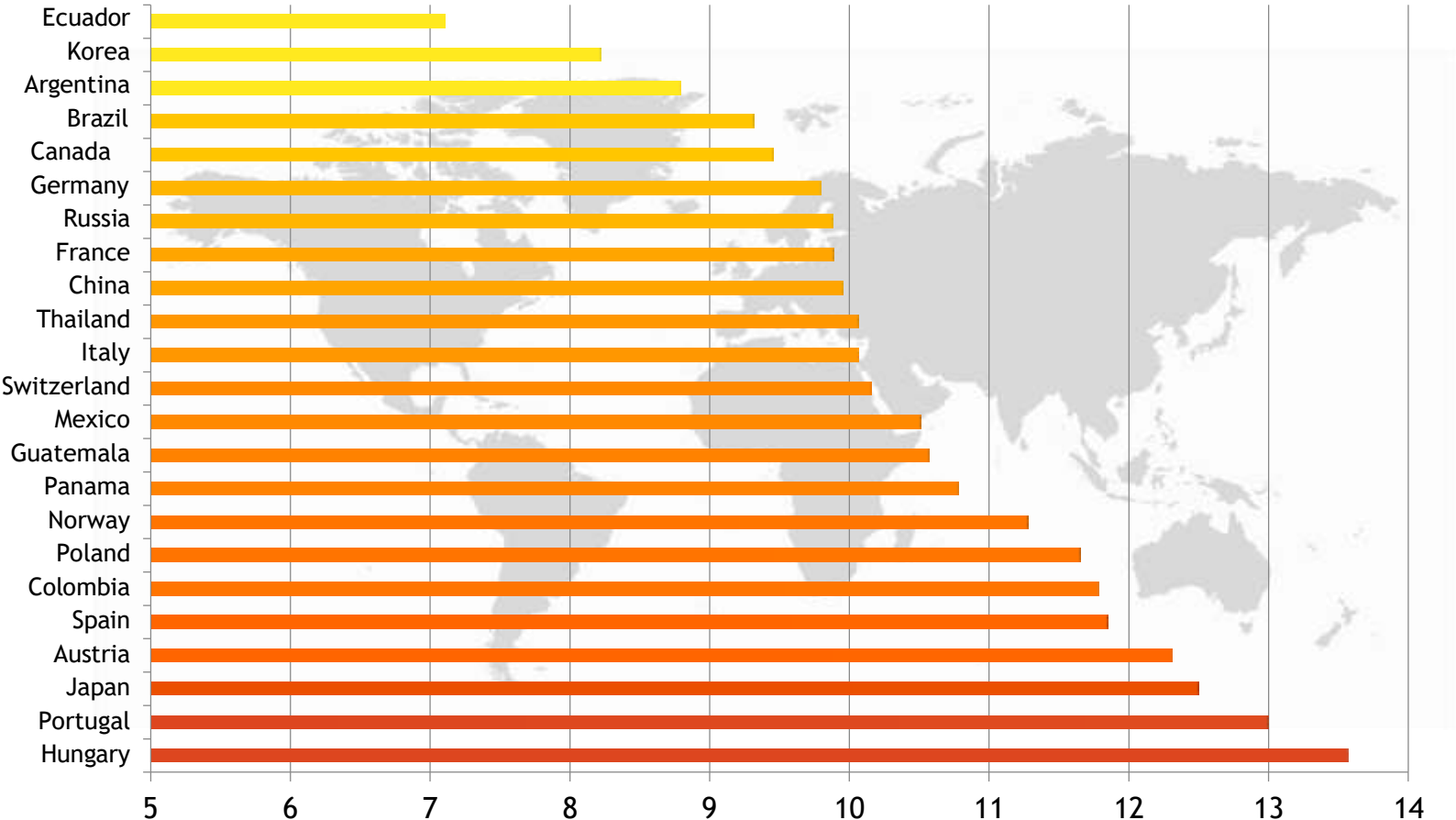
	Yolk (%)	Albumen (%)
Vitamin A	100	-
Vitamin D ₃	100	-
25OHD ₃	100	-
Vitamin E	100	-
Vitamin B ₁	100	-
Vitamin B₂	57 - 46	43 - 54
Vitamin B ₆	100	-
Vitamin B₁₂	98 - 97	2 - 3
Niacin	57 - 82	43 - 19
Folic acid	100	-
Biotin	100	-
Pantothenic acid	92 - 93	8 - 7

Consumers prefer bright yolk color

YolkFan # for Regular Egg
YolkFan # for Nutritionally Enriched Eggs



Egg yolk color in the markets



YolkFan™



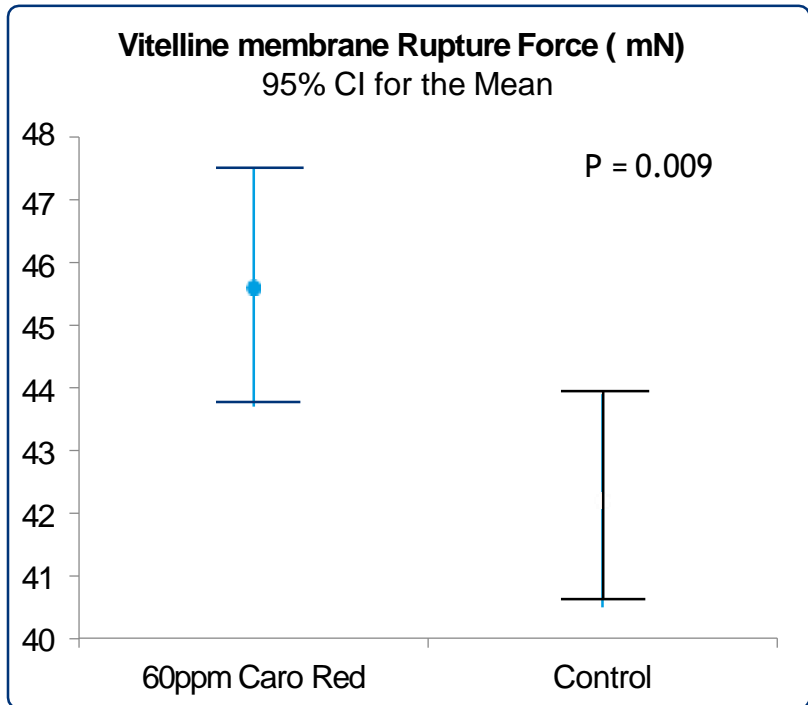
Egg yolk color is not just color

Functional bio -actives, like the carotenoid canthaxanthin, are added to table-egg layer feeds for enhancing:

- 1) strength of vitelline (yolk) membrane
- 2) freshness of eggs
- 3) more healthy chick (breeder)



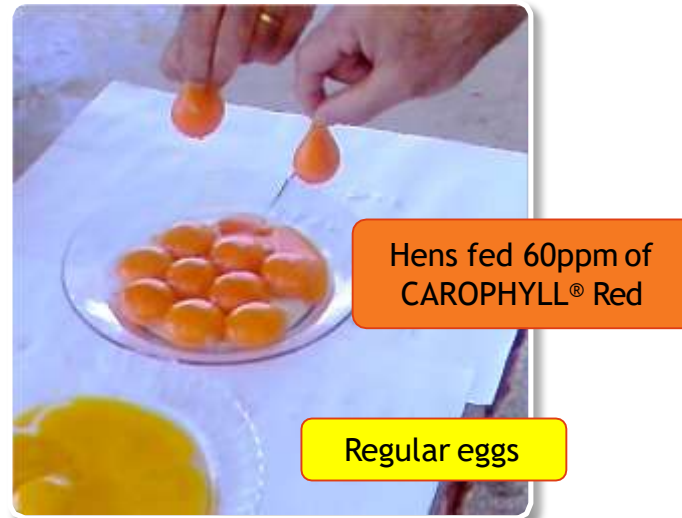
Carotenoids may support egg freshness..



40 weeks hens- 7 days stored eggs

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- Is helpful to separate the yolk and white more easily
- Can be considered a measure for the egg freshness



Support food loss reduction

Regular layer diet



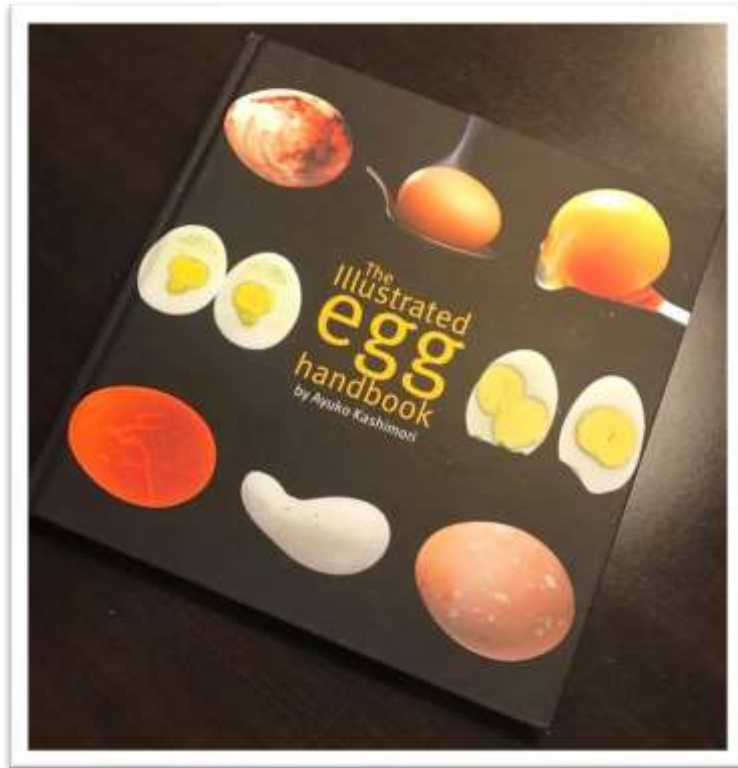
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Regular layer diet + Carophyll red



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Supporting tools



The YolkFan™



The Digital YolkFan™



The i-check egg evaluates



Digital Egg Tester

Take home messages

- Eggs are one of the most reasonable and sustainable perfect healthy foods.
- Getting popular branded eggs and nutrient enriched eggs across the world.
- There are some product differentiation points not only nutrition aspects.
- To find nutrients which is popular in food industry/cosmetic industry is Key to success.
- Nutrient contents in eggs vary depends on hen health status and environment.
- Egg yolk color is one of key differentiations between premium eggs and regular eggs.
- DSM can support to develop premium eggs and measure egg qualities objectively.

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