

# Chick Grading Guide

Hocks



Perfect Hocks



Slight blushing/no abrasion



Open cut/abrasion on hocks



Severe abrasion



Damage to hocks

Coloring

Female Line

Zero tolerance to coloring in Male Line



Perfect Chick



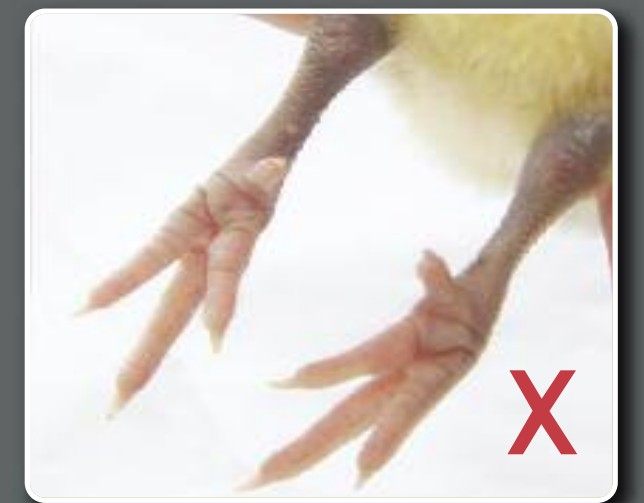
Light grey legs and feathers



Small grey spot



Majority dark grey/black



Dark grey/black

Defects



Cross beak/anatomical defects



Bloodied beak



Poor feathering



Mechanical pinch

Navels



Well healed navel



Healed navel with small string  
(string does not protrude above the chick down)



Large button navel



Open navel



Large/long string navel