

THE FEED SOURCE

An educational series guiding you to optimal animal nutrition.

Feed storage tips for optimal farm health and productivity

- Under optimal storage conditions the shelf life of poultry feed is six weeks
- Feed should be stored in a cool dry place
- Feed bags should never be stored in direct contact with the floor. Store the bags of feed on pallets or another elevated platform.
- Feed should not be stored against a wall. This limits ventilation which can lead to moisture reaching the feed through the wall. It will also ensure that bags are clearly visible for inspection.
- Avoid storing feed in the poultry house. This area is usually a more humid environment. Feed should be stored in a dedicated storage area.
- The feed storage area should be emptied and treated for dust mites at regular intervals (every 9 weeks). Dust mites will consume feed, resulting in deteriorating quality and nutrient loss. The mites can also cause severe itching in humans.
- The storage area must be kept rodent free. Rodents are vectors for several diseases which present considerable risk to both humans and farm animals.

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