

Table of common feed stuffs and problems

Feed	problem	solution
Paddy	Too high in fibre, Irritates intestines	Feed only to adult poultry and limit intake
Broken polished rice	Chicks over eat and crop become impacted. Very low fibre and protein	Limit intake
Rice Bran and polishings Rice husk mixed in	High fibre High fat, becomes rancid High in bacteria Young animal irritated GIT	Limit intake Store short time Cook for young pigs Sieve low quality bran
Taro , bulb, leaf and stem	Oxalic acid crystals	cook
Banana stem	High fibre, low protein	Limit intake
Corn	Large hard seed Medium High oil	Crush for chicks and pigs Limit intake
Most types of beans	Toxins and protein uptake inhibitors	cook
soybeans	As above and very high in fat	Cook and limit intake
Velvet beans	L-dopa	Cook and soak in at least two changes of water
Jack bean	toxic	Used only in very small percentage after extensive processing
Cassava root	Cyanide Very low protein Flour dusty	Crushed and moistened. exposed to the air for one hour Limit intake mix with high protein feeds moisten
Cassava leaves	Cyanide	As above