





Introducing NEST

A new on-farm sustainability tool

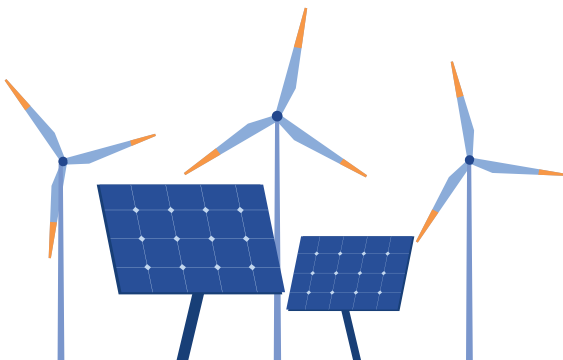
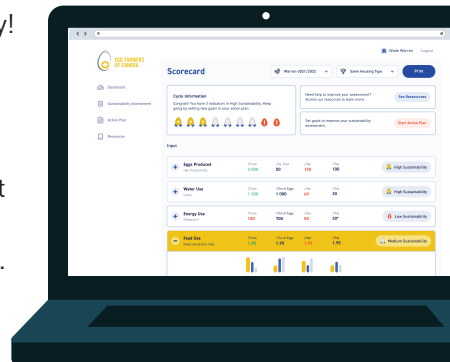
To help Canadian egg farmers measure, monitor, and manage sustainability on-farm, Egg Farmers of Canada has launched a new, online tool: the National Environmental Sustainability Tool, or NEST.

With NEST, you can:

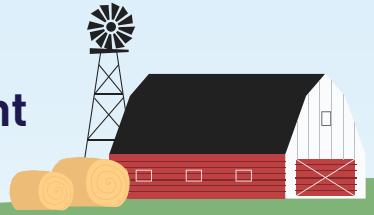
-  **Measure** your farm's environmental performance
-  **Compare** your farm with other farms across Canada
-  **Develop** an action plan to improve sustainability
-  **Access** information to support long-term decision-making

Visit eggsustainability.ca to sign up today!
Use your Farm Registration ID to create a unique account for your farm.

Use **NEST** and join egg farmers across the country as we gather data to support our sustainability journey and show Canadians our industry's advancements.



Complete your farm's sustainability assessment today with NEST



You will need:

✓ Your Farm Registration ID

This is a series of 2-5 numbers and potentially letters assigned to your farm by your egg board

✓ Flock information

- Lay facility size (sq. feet)
- Flock start and end date
- Flock size (number of hens at placement, and at the end of the cycle)
- Number of eggs produced in this cycle and average egg mass
- Percentage of rejected eggs

✓ Feed information

- Total feed consumed and percentage wasted
- Proportion of animal by-products in feed

✓ Water consumption information

✓ Energy information

- Total energy consumption (from electricity, natural gas, diesel, gasoline, fuel oil, propane gas, off-grid sources)
- Type of barn insulation and lighting
- Diameter of ventilation fans

✓ Manure information

- Mass of manure removed and how long it was stored
- Percentage of manure applied to crop land, and used for other economic purposes

Please note there are options to select "I don't know" if you do not have some of this information available. All data entered into NEST is anonymous.



Join EFC and egg farmers across the country as we make this sustainability journey together and invest in a strong, prosperous future for the industry and for Canadians.

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