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Supporting Data for Chapter 3: Moving Up the Food Chain

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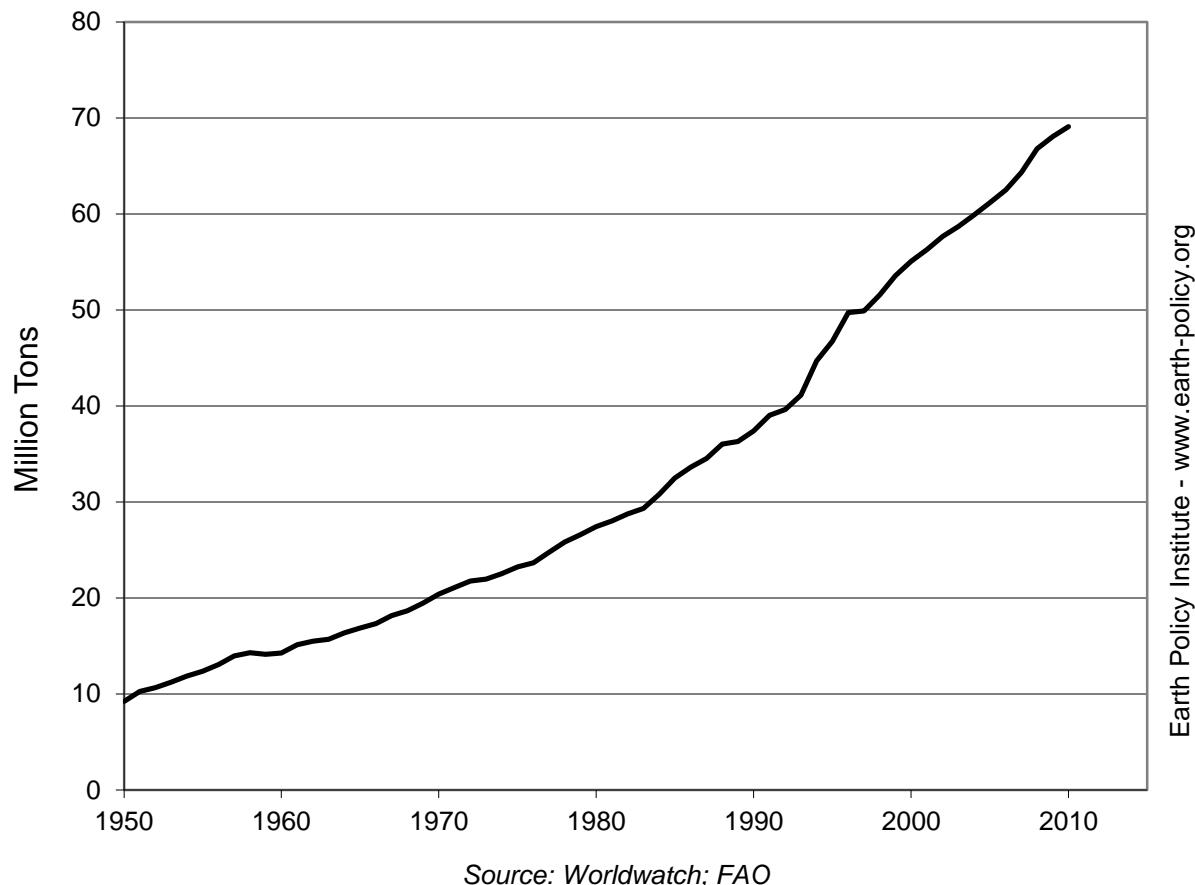
World Egg Production, 1950-2010

Year	Production Million Tons
1950	9.2
1951	10.3
1952	10.7
1953	11.2
1954	11.9
1955	12.4
1956	13.1
1957	14.0
1958	14.3
1959	14.1
1960	14.3
1961	15.1
1962	15.5
1963	15.7
1964	16.4
1965	16.9
1966	17.3
1967	18.2
1968	18.7
1969	19.5
1970	20.4
1971	21.1
1972	21.8
1973	22.0
1974	22.5
1975	23.2
1976	23.7
1977	24.8
1978	25.8
1979	26.6
1980	27.4
1981	28.0
1982	28.8
1983	29.3
1984	30.8
1985	32.5
1986	33.6
1987	34.5
1988	36.0
1989	36.3
1990	37.4
1991	39.0
1992	39.6
1993	41.1
1994	44.7
1995	46.7
1996	49.7
1997	49.9
1998	51.6
1999	53.6
2000	55.1
2001	56.3
2002	57.7
2003	58.7
2004	59.9
2005	61.2
2006	62.5
2007	64.3
2008	66.8
2009	68.1
2010	69.1

Source: Compiled by Earth Policy Institute with 1950-1960 data compiled by Worldwatch Institute from U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), *1948-1985 World Crop and Livestock Statistics* (Rome: 1987); 1961-2010 data from FAO, FAOSTAT, electronic database, at faostat.fao.org, updated 7 August 2012.

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Source: *Worldwatch; FAO*

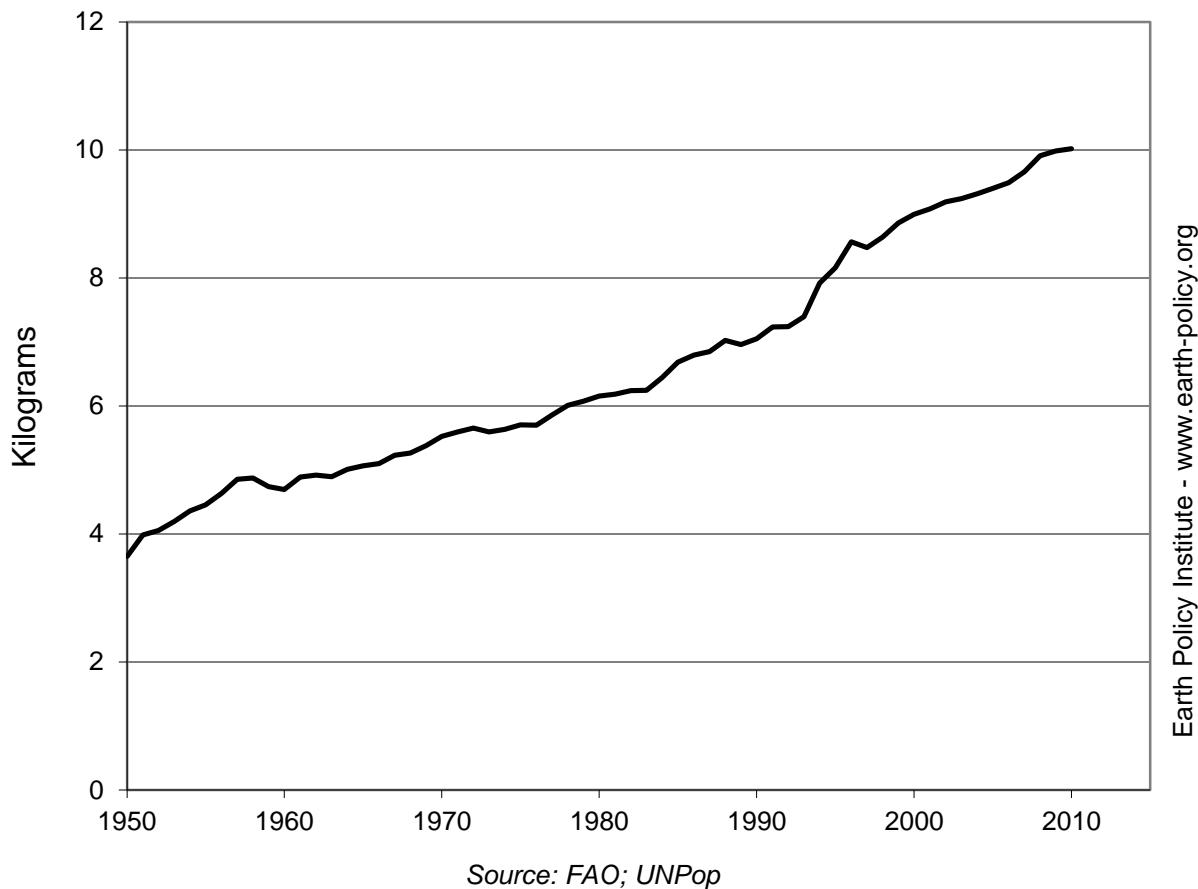
World Egg Production Per Person, 1950-2010

Year	Production Kilograms
1950	3.7
1951	4.0
1952	4.1
1953	4.2
1954	4.4
1955	4.5
1956	4.6
1957	4.9
1958	4.9
1959	4.7
1960	4.7
1961	4.9
1962	4.9
1963	4.9
1964	5.0
1965	5.1
1966	5.1
1967	5.2
1968	5.3
1969	5.4
1970	5.5
1971	5.6
1972	5.7
1973	5.6
1974	5.6
1975	5.7
1976	5.7
1977	5.9
1978	6.0
1979	6.1
1980	6.2
1981	6.2
1982	6.2
1983	6.2
1984	6.4
1985	6.7
1986	6.8
1987	6.9
1988	7.0
1989	7.0
1990	7.0
1991	7.2
1992	7.2
1993	7.4
1994	7.9
1995	8.2
1996	8.6
1997	8.5
1998	8.6
1999	8.9
2000	9.0
2001	9.1
2002	9.2
2003	9.2
2004	9.3
2005	9.4
2006	9.5
2007	9.7
2008	9.9
2009	10.0
2010	10.0

Source: Compiled by Earth Policy Institute with 1950-1960 egg data compiled by Worldwatch Institute from U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), 1948-1985 *World Crop and Livestock Statistics* (Rome: 1987); 1961-2010 egg data from FAO, FAOSTAT, electronic database, at faostat.fao.org, updated 7 August 2012; world population data from U.N. Population Division, *World Population Prospects: The 2010 Revision*, electronic database, at esa.un.org/unpd/wpp/index.htm, updated 3 May 2011.

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Egg Consumption in Top Ten Countries, 2009

Rank	Country	Consumption Million Tons
1	China	27.7
2	United States	5.2
3	India	3.2
4	Japan	2.5
5	Mexico	2.4
6	Russia	2.2
7	Brazil	2.0
8	Indonesia	1.3
9	Germany	1.1
10	France	1.0
World		67.5

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Egg Consumption Per Person in Top Ten Countries, 2009

Rank	Country	Consumption Kilograms Per Person Per Year
1	Paraguay	19.5
2	Japan	19.1
3	China	18.5
4	Mexico	18.1
5	Denmark	16.8
6	Belarus	15.6
7	Ukraine	15.6
8	Slovakia	15.0
9	Hungary	14.8
10	Belgium	14.8
	World	8.9

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