Stimulus Control

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Learning Activities - Identify Concepts from Animal Acts
Read about the Clucking Calculator act in which a chicken would appear to solve math problems. Then identify the following concepts:
1. How would you describe the operant behavior displayed by the chicken?
2. What is the primary reinforcer for the chicken? What is the secondary reinforcer for the chicken?
3. What is the discriminative stimulus that "sets the stage" for the target behavior?
4. What could be considered an S-delta? That is, in what environmental context does the chicken inhibit the operant behavior?