



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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BIOLOGICAL

Valid To: January 31, 2026

Certificate Number: 1698.16

In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process (including an assessment of the laboratory's compliance with the A2LA Food Testing Program Requirements, containing the 2018 "AOAC International Guidelines for Laboratories Performing Microbiological and Chemical Analyses of Foods, Dietary Supplements, and Pharmaceuticals"), accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following tests on foods, pet foods, beverages, feeds, water, and environmental swabs:

Quantitative Test Method	Method SOP(s)	Reference Method(s)
3M Petrifilm	6595	AOAC 986.33, 989.10, 990.12, (Aerobic Plate Count)
	6597	AOAC 2015.13, AOAC-RI 121403 (Rapid Aerobic Count (RAC) Plate)
	6612	AOAC 997.02 (Yeast and Mold)
	6613	AOAC 2014.05, AOAC-RI 121301 (Rapid Yeast and Mold)
	7849, 6622	AOAC 986.33, 989.10, 991.14, 998.08 (<i>Escherichia coli</i> and Coliform)
	7854	AOAC 2003.07, 2003.08, 2003.11 (<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>)
	8722	AOAC 2003.01 (Enterobacteriaceae)
FDA-BAM	6586	FDA-BAM Chapter 3 (Aerobic Plate Count)
	6604	FDA-BAM Chapter 18 (Yeast and Mold)
	7806	FDA-BAM Chapter 4 (<i>E. coli</i> and Coliform MPN)
	7853	FDA-BAM Chapter 12 (<i>S. aureus</i>)

Qualitative Platform	Method SOP(s)	Reference Method(s)
Colilert	7.11	AOAC 991.15 (Total Coliforms and <i>E. coli</i> in Water)
Cultural Confirmation	7858	USDA MLG Chapter 5, 5A (<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7)
	7856	USDA MLG Chapter 5B (Top 6 Non O157 STEC)
	7859, 7860	FDA-BAM Chapter 5, USDA MLG Chapter 4, 4C (<i>Salmonella</i> spp.)
	7861, 7863	FDA-BAM Chapter 10, USDA MLG Chapter 8, 8A (<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>)
ELFA - VIDAS	32.2	AOAC 2011.03 (<i>Salmonella</i>)
	34.1	AOAC 2004.06 (<i>Listeria</i> spp.)
	34.3	AOAC 2013.10 (<i>Listeria</i> UP)
	39.1	AOAC-RI 060903, AFNOR NF BIO # 12/25-05/09 (<i>E. coli</i> O157 UP)
GDS Analysis	36.4	AOAC-RI 071301 (MPX TOP 7 STEC)
	36.5	AOAC 2005.04 (<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 Tq)
	38.2	AOAC 2009.03, AOAC-RI 050602 (<i>Salmonella</i> spp. Tq)
GENE-UP Analysis	13.23	AOAC 2020.02, AOAC-RI 121802 (<i>Salmonella</i>)
	14.21	AOAC 2019.11, AOAC-RI 121804 (<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>)
PCR-BAX Analysis	12.8	AOAC-RI 091301 (<i>E. coli</i> STEC Suite)
	12.10	AOAC-RI 031002 (<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 RT)
	12.17	AOAC-RI 102003 (<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 Exact)
	13.18	AOAC 2003.09, AOAC-RI 100201 (<i>Salmonella</i> spp. 2)
	13.19	AOAC 2013.02, AOAC-RI 081201 (<i>Salmonella</i> spp. RT)

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PCR-BAX Analysis	14.9	AOAC-RI 030502 (<i>Listeria</i> spp.)
	14.17	AOAC-RI 081401 (<i>Listeria</i> spp. RT)
	15.3	AOAC RI 040702 (<i>Campylobacter</i>)
	51.1	Hygiene (<i>Cronobacter sakazakii</i>)

KEY:

AOAC = Association of Official Analytical Chemists International

AOAC-RI = Association of Official Analytical Chemists International – Research Institute

FDA-BAM = Food and Drug Administration - Bacteriological Analytical Manual

USDA MLG = United States Department of Agriculture – Microbiological Laboratory Guidebook





Accredited Laboratory

A2LA has accredited

FOOD SAFETY NET SERVICES LLC

Omaha, NE

for technical competence in the field of

Biological Testing

This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017 *General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories*. This laboratory also meets the requirements in A2LA R204 – *Specific Requirements – Food and Pharmaceutical Testing Laboratory Accreditation Program*. This accreditation demonstrates technical competence for a defined scope and the operation of a laboratory quality management system (refer to joint ISO-ILAC-IAF Communiqué dated April 2017).



Presented this 18th day of June 2024.

A blue ink signature of Mr. Trace McInturff, written over a horizontal line.

Mr. Trace McInturff, Vice President, Accreditation Services
For the Accreditation Council
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For the tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Biological Scope of Accreditation.