



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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BIOLOGICAL

Valid To: January 31, 2028

Certificate Number: 1698.16

In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process (including an assessment of the laboratory’s compliance with A2LA’s R204 – *Specific Requirements – AOAC Laboratory Accreditation Program*, containing the 2024 “*AOAC International Guidelines for Laboratories Performing Microbiological and Chemical Analyses of Food, Dietary Supplements, Pharmaceuticals, and Cannabis*”), 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, 1.3	AOAC 986.33, 989.10, 990.12, (Aerobic Plate Count)
	6597, 1.5	AOAC 2015.13, AOAC-RI 121403 (Rapid Aerobic Count (RAC) Plate)
	6612, 4.3	AOAC 997.02 (Yeast and Mold)
	6613, 4.6	AOAC 2014.05, AOAC-RI 121301 (Rapid Yeast and Mold)
	7849, 6622 7.4, 6.4	AOAC 986.33, 989.10, 991.14, 998.08 ( <i>Escherichia coli</i> and Coliform)
	7854, 11.3	AOAC 2003.07, 2003.08, 2003.11 ( <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> )
	8722, 25.1	AOAC 2003.01 (Enterobacteriaceae)
FDA-BAM	6586, 1.1	FDA-BAM Chapter 3 (Aerobic Plate Count)
	6604, 4.1	FDA-BAM Chapter 18 (Yeast and Mold)
	7806, 7.1	FDA-BAM Chapter 4 ( <i>E. coli</i> and Coliform MPN)
	7853, 11.1	FDA-BAM Chapter 12 ( <i>S. aureus</i> )

Qualitative Platform	Method SOP(s)	Reference Method(s)
Colilert	7844, 7.11	AOAC 991.15 (Total Coliforms and <i>E. coli</i> in Water)
Cultural Confirmation	7858, 12.4	USDA MLG Chapter 5, 5A ( <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7)
	7856, 12.11	USDA MLG Chapter 5B (Top 6 Non O157 STEC)
	7859, 7860, 13.1, 13.2	FDA-BAM Chapter 5, USDA MLG Chapter 4, 4C ( <i>Salmonella</i> spp.)
	7861, 7863, 14.1, 14.2	FDA-BAM Chapter 10, USDA MLG Chapter 8, 8A ( <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> )
ELFA - VIDAS	10058, 32.2	AOAC 2011.03 ( <i>Salmonella</i> )
	10058, 34.1	AOAC 2004.06 ( <i>Listeria</i> spp.)
	10058, 34.3	AOAC 2013.10 ( <i>Listeria</i> UP)
	10058, 39.1	AOAC-RI 060903, AFNOR NF BIO # 12/25-05/09 ( <i>E. coli</i> O157 UP)
GDS Analysis	10054, 36.4	AOAC-RI 071301 (MPX TOP 7 STEC)
	10054, 36.5	AOAC 2005.04 ( <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 Tq)
	10054, 38.2	AOAC 2009.03, AOAC-RI 050602 ( <i>Salmonella</i> spp. Tq)
GENE-UP Analysis	10056, 13.23	AOAC 2020.02, AOAC-RI 121802 ( <i>Salmonella</i> )
	10056, 14.21	AOAC 2019.11, AOAC-RI 121804 ( <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> )
	10056, 14.22	AOAC 2019.10, AOAC-RI 121803 ( <i>Listeria</i> spp.)
	10056	AOAC RI 022203 (Pathogenic <i>E.coli</i> )
PCR-BAX Analysis	10049, 12.8	AOAC-RI 091301 ( <i>E. coli</i> STEC Suite)
	10049, 12.10	AOAC-RI 031002 ( <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 RT)
	10049, 12.17	AOAC-RI 102003 ( <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 Exact)

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PCR-BAX Analysis	10049, 13.18	AOAC 2003.09, AOAC-RI 100201 ( <i>Salmonella</i> spp. 2)
	10049, 13.19	AOAC 2013.02, AOAC-RI 081201 ( <i>Salmonella</i> spp. RT)
	10049, 14.9	AOAC-RI 030502 ( <i>Listeria</i> spp.)
	10049, 14.17	AOAC-RI 081401 ( <i>Listeria</i> spp. RT)
	10049, 15.3	AOAC RI 040702 ( <i>Campylobacter</i> )
	10049, 51.1	Hygiene ( <i>Cronobacter sakazakii</i> )
	10049, 14.16	AOAC-RI 121402 ( <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> RT)
	10049, 14.8	AOAC 2003.09, AOAC-RI 070202 ( <i>Listeria Monocytogenes</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 – AOAC 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 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026.

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.*