SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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Valid To: February 29, 2028 Certificate Number: 1698.12

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 Foods, Dietary Supplements,Pharmaceuticals, and Cannabis*"), accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following tests on foods, pet foods, beverages, feeds, bread, butter, cheese, cocoa, eggs, seafood, fruits, mayonnaise and dressings, ice cream, meat and oils, milk, nuts, spices, sugars, vegetables, 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 USDA MLG Chapter 3 (Aerobic Plate Count)
	6612, 4.3	AOAC 997.02 (Yeast and Mold Count)
	6622, 7849, 6.4, 7.4	AOAC 986.33, 989.10, 991.14, 998.08, USDA MLG Chapter 3 (*Escherichia coli* and Coliform Count)
	7854, 11.3	AOAC 2003.07, 2003.08, 2003.11 *(Staphylococcus aureus* Count)
	8722, 25.1	AOAC 2003.01 (Enterobacteriaceae Count)
FDA BAM	6586, 1.1	FDA-BAM Chapter 3 (Aerobic Plate Count)
	6604, 4.1	FDA-BAM Chapter 18 (Yeast and Mold Count)
	6616, 5.1	FDA-BAM Chapter 14 (*Bacillus cereus* Count)
SMEWW	7844, 7.11	AOAC 991.15 (Colilert and Colitag EPA)

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Qualitative Platform	Method SOP(s)	Reference Method(s)
Cultural Confirmation	7856, 12.11	USDA MLG Chapter 5B (Top 6 Non *E. coli* O157:H7 STEC)
	7858, 12.4	USDA MLG Chapter 5, 5A (*E. coli* O157:H7)
	7860, 13.2	USDA MLG Chapter 4, 4C (*Salmonella*)
	7863, 14.2	USDA MLG Chapter 8, 8A (*Listeria monocytogenes*)
	9052, 66.1	GB/T 4789.40-2010 (*Cronobacter sakazakii*)
	9038, 51.3	ISO 22964 (*C. sakazakii*)
	8724, 25.3	ISO 21528 (Enterobacteriaceae)
ELFA (VIDAS) Analysis	10058, 32.2	AOAC 2011.03 (Easy *Salmonella*)
	10058, 34.1	AOAC 2004.06, AOAC-RI 981202 (*Listeria* spp.)
	10058, 34.3	AOAC 2013.10 (*Listeria* spp. UP)
	10058, 32.3	AOAC 2013.01, AOAC RI 071101 (*Salmonella* UP)
GDS Analysis	10054, 36.4	AOAC-RI 071301 (MPX Top 7 STEC)
	10054, 36.5	AOAC 2005.04 (*E. coli* O157:H7 TQ)
	10054, 38.2	AOAC 2009.03, AOAC-RI 050602 (*Salmonella* spp. TQ)
	10054, 36.6	AOAC 101901 (EHEC ID for *E. coli* O157:H7 TQ)
	10054, 14.12	AOAC 070701 (*Listeria* spp. Tq)
	10054	AOAC 101502 (MPX ID for Top STEC)
PCR-BAX Analysis	10049, 12.8	AOAC-RI 091301, USDA MLG Chapter 5 (*E. coli* STEC Suite)
	10049	AOAC-RI 032602 (*E. coli* O157:H7 RT Exact +S)
	10049, 12.10	AOAC-RI 031002, USDA MLG Chapter 5 (*E. coli* O157:H7 RT)
	10049, 12.17	AOAC-RI 102003 (*E. coli* O157:H7 Exact)
	10049, 13.18	AOAC 2003.09, AOAC-RI 100201, USDA MLG Chapter 4 (*Salmonella* spp. 2)
	10049, 13.19	AOAC 2013.02, AOAC-RI 081201, USDA MLG Chapter 4 (*Salmonella* spp. RT)

PCR-BAX Analysis	10049, 14.9	AOAC-RI 030502 (*Listeria* spp.)
	10049, 14.16	AOAC-RI 121402 (*Listeria monocytogenes* RT)
	10049, 14.17	AOAC-RI 081401 (*Listeria spp.* RT)

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

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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 of 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 29th day of December 2025.

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.