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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 | 1.3<br>6595 | AOAC 986.33, 989.10, 990.12,<br>USDA MLG Chapter 3<br>(Aerobic Plate Count) |
| | 1.5<br>6597 | AOAC 2015.13<br>(Rapid Aerobic Plate Count) |
| | 1.14<br>6590 | AOAC PTM 041701<br>(Lactic Acid Bacteria) |
| | 4.3<br>6612 | AOAC 997.02<br>(Yeast and Mold) |
| | 4.6<br>6613 | AOAC 2014.05<br>(Rapid Yeast and Mold) |
| | 6.4, 7.4<br>6622, 7849 | AOAC 986.33, 989.10, 991.14, 998.08,<br>USDA MLG Chapter 3<br>(*Escherichia coli* and Coliform) |
| | 6.10<br>7799 | AOAC 2000.15<br>(Rapid Coliform Count) |
| | 7.6<br>7813 | AOAC-RI 051801<br>(Rapid *E. coli* and Coliform Count) |
| | 11.3<br>7854 | AOAC 2003.07, 2003.08, 2003.11<br>(*Staphylococcus aureus*) |
| | 25.1<br>8722 | AOAC 2003.01<br>(Enterobacteriaceae) |

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| APHA (SMEDP/SMEWW) | 1.7<br>6599 | APHA (SMEWW) Chapter 9-9215<br>(Heterotrophic Plate Count) |
| | 7.2<br>7811 | APHA (SMEWW) Chapter 9-9221<br>(*E. coli* and Fecal Coliform Count MPN) |
| | 7.11<br>7844 | APHA (SMEWW) Chapter 9-9222<br>(*E. coli* and Coliform Count Colitag) |
| | 7.11<br>7844 | APHA (SMEWW) Chapter 9-9223 B,<br>AOAC 991.15<br>(Coliform and *E. coli* Count IDEXX Quanti-Tray/2000) |
| | 7.16<br>7810 | APHA (SMEWW) Chapter 9-9221H<br>(*E. coli* and Coliform Count Membrane Filtration) |
| | 5.6<br>9026 | APHA (SMEWW)<br>(Enterobacteriaceae Membrane Filtration) |
| Compendium | 2.1<br>6600 | Compendium Chapter 7<br>(Anaerobic Plate Count) |
| | 3.1<br>6602 | Compendium Chapter 13<br>(Psychrotrophic Plate Count) |
| | 9.1<br>7820 | Compendium Chapter 19<br>(Lactic Acid Bacteria) |
| | 50.1<br>9034 | Compendium Chapter 10<br>(*Enterococcus* spp. Count) |
| FDA-BAM | 1.1<br>6586 | FDA-BAM Chapter 3<br>(Aerobic Plate Count) |
| | 4.1<br>6604 | FDA-BAM Chapter 18<br>(Yeast and Mold) |
| | 5.1<br>6616 | FDA-BAM Chapter 14<br>*(Bacillus cereus*) |
| | 7.1<br>7806 | FDA-BAM Chapter 4<br>(*E. coli* and Coliform MPN) |
| | 11.1<br>7852 | FDA-BAM Chapter 16<br>(*Clostridium perfringens* Count) |
| | 1.1<br>7853 | FDA-BAM Chapter 12<br>(*S. aureus*) |

| Qualitative Platform | Method SOP(s) | Reference Method(s) |
|---|---|---|
| Cultural Confirmation | 12.11<br>7856 | USDA MLG Chapter 5B<br>(Non *E. coli* O157:H7 STEC) |
| | 12.13<br>7857 | FDA-BAM Chapter 4A<br>(*E. coli* O157:H7) |
| | 12.4<br>7858 | USDA MLG Chapter 5, 5A<br>(*E. coli* O157:H7) |
| | 13.1<br>7859 | FDA-BAM Chapter 5<br>(*Salmonella* spp.) |
| | 13.2<br>7860 | USDA MLG Chapter 4, 4C<br>*(Salmonella* spp.) |
| | 14.1<br>7861 | FDA-BAM Chapter 10<br>(*Listeria monocytogenes*) |
| | 14.2<br>7863 | USDA MLG Chapter 8, 8A<br>(*L. monocytogenes*) |
| ELFA (VIDAS) Analysis | 32.2<br>10058 | AOAC 2011.03<br>(EZ *Salmonella* spp.) |
| | 32.3<br>10058 | AOAC 2013.01, AOAC-RI 071101<br>(*Salmonella* spp. UP) |
| | 33.1<br>10058 | AOAC 2004.02<br>(*L. monocytogenes*) |
| | 33.2<br>10058 | AOAC 2013.11, AOAC-RI 091103<br>(*L. monocytogenes* Xpress) |
| | 34.1<br>10058 | AOAC 2004.06, AOAC-RI 981202<br>(*Listeria* spp.) |
| | 34.3<br>10058 | AOAC 2013.10<br>(*Listeria* spp. UP) |
| | 39.1<br>10058 | AOAC-RI 060903<br>(*E. coli* O157:H7 UP) |
| | 11.5<br>10058 | AOAC 2007.06<br>(Staphylococci Enterotoxin II) |
| GDS Analysis | 14.13<br>10054 | AOAC-RI 070702<br>(*L. monocytogenes* Tq) |
| | 36.4<br>10054 | AOAC-RI 071301<br>(Top 7 MPX STEC) |
| | 36.5<br>10054 | AOAC 2005.04<br>(*E. coli* O157:H7 Tq) |
| | 38.2<br>10054 | AOAC 2009.03, AOAC-RI 050602<br>(*Salmonella* spp. Tq) |
| | 36.6<br>10054 | AOAC PTM 101901<br>(EHEC ID for *E.coli* O157:H7 Tq) |
| Gene-Up | 13.23<br>10056 | AOAC-RI 121802<br>(*Salmonella* 2) |
| | 14.21<br>10056 | AOAC-RI 121804<br>(*L. monocytogenes* 2) |
| | 14.22<br>10056 | AOAC 2019.10, AOAC RI 121803,<br>AFNOR NF BIO 12/39-09/16<br>(*Listeria* spp. 2) |
| | 10056 | AOAC 022203<br>(Pathogenic E. coli (PEC)) |

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| ISO | 10.3<br>7821 | ISO 7937<br>(*C. perfringens*) |
| | 13.12<br>18455 | ISO 6579<br>(*Salmonella* spp.) |
| | 25.3<br>8724 | ISO 21528-1<br>(Enterobacteriaceae) |
| | 51.3<br>9038 | ISO 22964<br>(*Cronobacter sakazakii*) |
| | 63.3<br>19253 | ISO 15213<br>(Sulfite Reducing Bacteria) |
| NFSSFME | 66.1<br>9052 | GB/T 4789.40-2010<br>(*C. sakazakii*) |
| PCR-BAX Analysis | 10049<br>11.6 | AOAC-RI 120701<br>(*S. aureus*) |
| | 10049<br>12.8 | AOAC-RI 091301,<br>USDA MLG Chapter 5<br>(Non *E. coli* O157 STEC RT) |
| | 10049<br>12.10 | AOAC-RI 031002,<br>USDA MLG Chapter 5<br>(*E. coli* O157:H7 RT) |
| | 10049<br>12.17 | AOAC-RI 102003<br>(*E. coli* O157:H7 RT EXACT) |
| | 10049<br>13.18 | AOAC 2003.09, AOAC-RI 100201,<br>USDA MLG Chapter 4<br>(*Salmonella* spp. 2) |
| | 13.19<br>10049 | AOAC 2013.02, AOAC RI 081201,<br>USDA MLG Chapter 4<br>(*Salmonella* spp. RT) |
| | 14.8<br>10049 | AOAC 2003.12, AOAC-RI 070202<br>(*L. monocytogenes*) |
| | 14.9<br>10049 | AOAC-RI 030502<br>(*Listeria* spp.) |
| | 14.16<br>10049 | AOAC-RI 121402<br>(*L. monocytogenes* RT) |
| | 14.17<br>10049 | AOAC-RI 081401<br>(*Listeria* spp. RT) |
| | 15.3<br>10049 | AOAC-RI 040702<br>(*Campylobacter* spp. RT) |
| SDI Rapidcheck | 7831 | AOAC-RI 111002<br>(*Salmonella enteritidis*) |
| VIP Analysis | 12.1<br>7823 | AOAC 996.09<br>(*E. coli* O157:H7) |

KEY:
APHA = American Public Health Association
AOAC = Association of Official Analytical Chemists International
AOAC-RI = Association of Official Analytical Chemists International – Research Institute
Compendium = Compendium of Methods for the Microbiological Examination of Foods
FDA-BAM = Food and Drug Administration - Bacteriological Analytical Manual
NFSSFME = National Food Safety Standard Food Microbiological Examination
SMEDP = Standard Methods for the Examination of Dairy Products
SMEWW = Standard Methods for the Examination of Wastewater
USDA MLG = United States Department of Agriculture – Microbiological Laboratory Guidebook

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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.*