

PT 101b: Microbiological testing of surfaces – Wipes Listeria

Details of the program:

- Proficiency testing scheme created in 2019
- **PTS accredited by COFRAC**
- **30 registered laboratories from 10 countries**
- 2 rounds per annual series
- The time for analysis is 3 weeks
- Samples are shipped via express carrier.



Schedule:

CODE	MATRIX	SHIPMENT DATE
03101	Wipe – Listeria* (detected / not detected)	2023/10/30
04101	Wipe – Listeria* (detected / not detected)	
05101	Wipe – Listeria* (detected / not detected)	
03101	Wipe – Listeria* (detected / not detected)	2024/04/10
04101	Wipe – Listeria* (detected / not detected)	
05101	Wipe – Listeria* (detected / not detected)	

*Refrigerated samples

ANALYTES

Detection of *Listeria monocytogenes* and *Listeria spp*

METHODS

Reference method (EN ISO 11290-1)

Alternative methods

NA *: Not accredited parameter

Note: Matrices and analytes may be changed or removed for technical or scientific reasons.

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