

PT 91: Microbiological analyses of organic fertilizing materials

Details of the programs:

- Proficiency testing schemes created in 2018
- 2 rounds per annual series
- The time for analysis is 2 weeks
- Samples are shipped via express carrier.

Program 91a – Multi-parameter enumeration

November	0191	Natural compost of plant origin*	<i>Escherichia coli</i> , <i>Intestinal Enterococci</i> , <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> , (enumeration)	10 g
March	0191	Natural compost of plant origin*	<i>Escherichia coli</i> , <i>Intestinal Enterococci</i> , <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> , (enumeration)	10 g

Program 91b – Salmonella

November	0291 0391 0491	Natural compost of plant origin*	<i>Salmonella</i> (presence/absence)	3 x 25 g
March	0291 0391 0491	Natural compost of plant origin*	<i>Salmonella</i> (presence/absence)	3 x 25 g

Program 91c – *Listeria monocytogenes*

November	0591 0691 0791	Natural compost of plant origin*	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> (presence/absence)	3 x 25 g
March	0591 0691 0791	Natural compost of plant origin*	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> (presence/absence)	3 x 25 g

* Refrigerated samples

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