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DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

Materials/Products tested	Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement	Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used
ENVIRONMENTAL SWABS	<p><u>Microbiological Tests</u></p> <p>Enumeration:</p> <p>Aerobic Colony Count</p> <p><i>Bacillus cereus</i> (presumptive)</p> <p>Enterobacteriaceae (presumptive)</p> <p>β-glucuronidase positive <i>Escherichia coli</i></p> <p><i>Listeria</i> spp including confirmation of <i>L. monocytogenes</i> and other species identification if requested</p> <p><i>Pseudomonas</i> spp (presumptive)</p> <p>Coagulase positive Staphylococci including <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i></p> <p>Yeasts and Moulds</p>	<p>Documented In-House Methods</p> <p>SOP-MB-001 using a pour plate technique on PCA agar at 30°C for 48 hours</p> <p>SOP-MB-005 using colony count technique on PEMBA agar at 30 °C for 24hrs, and haemolysis confirmation using sheep blood agar.</p> <p>SOP-MB-003 using a colony count technique at 37 °C based on BS EN ISO 21528-2:2017</p> <p>SOP-MB-015 based on BS ISO 16649-2:2001 using TBX</p> <p>SOP-MB-017.2 based on BS EN ISO 11290-2:2017 with confirmation using API Listeria</p> <p>SOP-MB-007 based on ISO 13720:2010</p> <p>SOP-MB-006 using colony count technique at 37 °C based on BS EN ISO 6888-1:1999+A2:2018</p> <p>SOP-MB-008 using a colony count technique on RBC agar at 25 °C</p>



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ENVIRONMENTAL SWABS (cont'd)	<u>Microbiological Tests</u> (cont'd) Detection: <i>Listeria</i> spp including confirmation of <i>L. monocytogenes</i> and other species identification if requested <i>Salmonella</i> spp	Documented In-House Methods (cont'd) SOP-MB-017 based on BS EN ISO 11290-1:2017 with confirmation using API Listeria SOP-MB-016 using an enrichment technique and confirmation with API 20E based on BS EN ISO 6579-1:2017 +A1:2020
FOOD and FOOD PRODUCTS including raw ingredients	<u>Microbiological Tests</u> Enumeration: Aerobic Colony Count <i>Bacillus cereus</i> (presumptive) Coliforms (presumptive) <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> Enterobacteriaceae (presumptive) <i>Enterococcus</i> spp	SOP-MB-001 using a pour plate technique on PCA agar at 30°C for 48 hours SOP-MB-005 using colony count technique on PEMBA agar at 30 °C for 24hrs, and haemolysis confirmation using sheep blood agar. SOP-MB-002 using colony count technique at 30 °C for milk and milk-based products and 37 °C for general foods based on BS ISO 4832:2006 SOP-MB-009 using an anaerobic colony count technique at 37 °C based on BS EN ISO 7937:2004 SOP-MB-003 using a colony count technique at 37 °C based on BS EN ISO 21528-2:2017 SOP-MB-010 using colony count technique on Slanetz and Bartley agar at 37 °C and confirmation with Aesculin agar.



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FOOD and FOOD PRODUCTS including raw ingredients (cont'd)	<p><u>Microbiological Tests (cont'd)</u></p> <p>Enumeration: (cont'd)</p> <p>β-glucuronidase positive <i>Escherichia coli</i></p> <p><i>Listeria</i> spp including confirmation of <i>L. monocytogenes</i> and other species identification if requested</p> <p><i>Pseudomonas</i> spp (presumptive)</p> <p>Coagulase positive Staphylococci including <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i></p> <p>Total Aerobic Mesophilic spore count</p> <p>Yeasts and Moulds</p> <p>Detection:</p> <p><i>Escherichia coli</i>, (presumptive)</p> <p><i>Listeria</i> spp including confirmation of <i>L. monocytogenes</i> and other species identification if requested</p> <p><i>Salmonella</i> spp</p>	<p>SOP-MB-015 based on BS ISO 16649-2:2001 using TBX</p> <p>SOP-MB-017.2 based on BS EN ISO 11290-2:2017 with confirmation using API Listeria</p> <p>SOP-MB-007 based on BS EN ISO 13720:2010</p> <p>SOP-MB-006 using colony count technique at 37°C based on BS EN ISO 6888-1:1999 +A2:2018</p> <p>SOP-MB-012 using colony count technique at 30°C based on BS 4285: Section 3.3:1986 (withdrawn, not replaced)</p> <p>SOP-MB-008 using colony count technique on RBC agar at 25 °C</p> <p>SOP-MB-018 using a single tube enrichment technique based on BS EN ISO 7251:2005</p> <p>SOP-MB-0017 based on BS EN ISO 11290-1:2017 with confirmation using API Listeria</p> <p>SOP-MB-016 using an enrichment technique based and confirmation with API 20E based on BS EN ISO 6579-1:2017 +A1:2020</p>



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<p>WATERS Natural, potable, pools and spas (unless otherwise stated)</p>	<p><u>Microbiological Tests</u></p> <p>Isolation and Enumeration:</p> <p><i>Clostridium perfringens</i> and other sulphite reducing <i>clostridia</i></p> <p>Coliforms (presumptive)</p> <p><i>Escherichia coli</i></p>	<p>Documented In-House Methods based on "Microbiology of Drinking Water", Environment Agency (unless otherwise stated)</p> <p>SOP-MB-026 by membrane filtration based on MDW (2021 Part 6)</p> <p>SOP-MB-029 by membrane filtration, single membrane based on MDW (2016) Part 4B</p> <p>SOP-MB-029 by membrane filtration, single membrane based on MDW (2016) Part 4B</p>
<p>Natural and potable only</p>	<p>Enterococci (Faecal streptococci)</p> <p><i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i></p> <p>Total viable aerobic organisms</p>	<p>SOP-MB-027 by membrane filtration based on MDW (2012) Part 5A</p> <p>SOP-MB-025 by membrane filtration based on MDW (2020) Part 8B</p> <p>SOP-MB-022 using a colony count technique at 22 °C, 30 °C and/or 37 °C based on MDW (2012) Part 7A</p>
<p>Pools and spas only</p>	<p><i>Staphylococcus aureus</i></p>	<p>SOP-MB-028 by membrane filtration onto Mannitol Salt agar and confirmation by Coagulase test and DNase</p>
<p>WATERS – Natural, Potable, Cooling Towers, Spas, Showers</p>	<p>Detection, enumeration and confirmation:</p> <p>Legionella pneumophila Serogroups 1, 2-14, and/or presumptive Legionella spp (not L pneumophila)</p>	<p>SOP-MB-021 based on BS EN ISO 11731:2017 using filtration of 500ml volumes with washing and treatment, plated on GVPC and identification by latex agglutination (Matrix A & B: Procedure 8, 9 & 10, Media C)</p>
<p>END</p>		