



Specific Accreditation Guidance

Scope of accreditation - service descriptors for food and beverage

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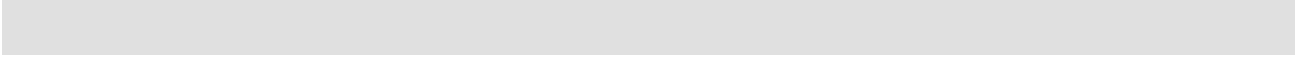
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This document lists the descriptors for services currently able to be accredited for food and beverage.

In addition to referencing ISO/IEC 17025, food and beverage and the applicable services listed below, scopes of accreditation will include the material/item/product tested, the determination, the technique used and the procedure adopted.

The list below will be updated as new services are accredited.

Services
Analysis for allergenic proteins
Analysis for antioxidants, colourants, preservatives, other additives
Analysis for bacteriophage
Analysis for chlorinated dioxins and dibenzofurans
Analysis for elements
Analysis for enteric protozoa
Analysis for free-living protozoa
Analysis for helminths
Analysis for herbicides
Analysis for histamine
Analysis for insect infestation
Analysis for microorganisms
Analysis for mycotoxins
Analysis for phenols
Analysis for polyhalogenated biphenyls
Analysis for residues and contaminants (hydrocarbons, phthalates, industrial chemicals)
Analysis for synthetic pesticides
Analysis for pyrethroid and pyrethrum pesticides
Analysis for veterinary chemical residues

Services
Analysis for vitamins
Analysis of biotoxin residues and contaminants
Analysis of fungicide residues and contaminants
Analysis of pesticide residues and contaminants
Analysis of physical and nutritional characteristics
Analysis of polybrominated diphenylether residues and contaminants
Analysis of rodenticide residues and contaminants
Challenge testing
Detection, characterisation and/or quantification of nucleic acids
Detection, characterisation and/or quantification of nucleic acids - Protozoa
Detection, characterisation and/or quantification of nucleic acids - Viruses
Ecotoxicology studies
Identification of food species
Investigative analysis of materials for unknown substances
Measurement of ionising radiation
Mycological analysis
Public health investigation of food and beverages
Sample collection
Sensory evaluation tests
Shelf-life tests

Amendment Table

The table below provides a summary of changes made to the document with this issue.

Amendment
<p>New document incorporating some of the previous services covered by specific classes/subclasses of tests in the fields of Biological and Chemical Testing.</p> <p>This new document describes the revised nomenclature for describing these services able to be covered by scopes of accreditation.</p>