



# Microbiological, physical and chemical proficiency testing schemes

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### Customer Declaration

### Certificate of Accreditation

The Animal Feed (AFPS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and microbiological samples in food and feed. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
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 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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## YOUR ORDER

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
FEB AF060	17 Feb 2025	24 Mar 2025	01,02,08	
APR AF061	22 Apr 2025	27 May 2025	01,02,05,13,18	06AF,07AF,10,11,15
JUL AF062	28 Jul 2025	01 Sep 2025	01,02	06KB,07KB
NOV AF063	24 Nov 2025	12 Jan 2026	01,02,05,09	06AF,07AF,10,11,15

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

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### CHEMISTRY

Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Round and Month (AF)				
				All Rounds	FEB 060	APR 061	JUL 062	NOV 063
PT-AF-01	125g	AF060: Sheep feed AF061: Cattle feed AF062: Pig feed AF063: Poultry feed	Moisture; Crude protein; Crude fat; Crude ash; Ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid; Sugars; Crude fibre; Starch; ADF; NDF; PPD; pH; Calorific value	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AF-02	125g	AF060: Sheep feed AF061: Cattle feed AF062: Horse feed AF063: Poultry feed	Arsenic; Cadmium; Calcium; Chloride; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Lead; Magnesium; Manganese; Mercury; Phosphorus; Potassium; Selenium; Sodium; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AF-05 *	125g	Cattle feed	Aflatoxins B1; B2; G1; G2; Total Aflatoxins; Ochratoxin A	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AF-08 *	125g	Premix	Arsenic; Cadmium; Calcium; Chloride; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Lead; Magnesium; Manganese; Mercury; Phosphorus; Potassium; Selenium; Sodium; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-AF-09 *	125g	Wet pet food	Moisture; Crude protein; Crude fat; Crude ash; Ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid; Sugars; Crude fibre; Starch; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>



Samples Available				Round and Month (AF)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 060	APR 061	JUL 062	NOV 063
PT-AF-13 *	125g	Fish feed	Energy; Moisture; Crude protein; Crude fat; Crude ash; Crude fibre; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AF-18 *	50g	Copra oil	Peroxide value; Butylated hydroxyanisole (BHA); Butylated hydroxytoluene (BHT)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

\*Please note that these samples are not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation.

## MICROBIOLOGY

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Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 060	APR 061	JUL 062	NOV 063
PT-AF-06AF.	2 x 10ml vial plus min. 50g matrix	Simulated animal feed	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AF-06KB.	2 x 10ml vial plus min. 50g matrix	Dried petfood/kibble	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AF-07AF.	10g	Simulated animal feed	Total viable count; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Lactic acid bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AF-07KB.	10g matrix + 10ml vial	Dried petfood/kibble	Total viable count; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Lactic acid bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AF-10	10g	Simulated animal feed	Enumeration of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; <i>Clostridium</i> species; Sulphite-reducing Clostridia; Total anaerobic count	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AF-11	25g	Simulated animal feed	Detection of <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Listeria</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

Samples Available				Round and Month (AF)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 060	APR 061	JUL 062	NOV 063
PT-AF-15	10g	Simulated animal feed	Enumeration of coagulase positive staphylococci; <i>Bacillus cereus</i> ; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC's fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#)

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## YOUR DETAILS

Returning customers, if you would like to keep your contact/address details as per previous year, please tick here:

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If changes are required or you are a new customer, please complete your details below:

Send Test Materials to:	Send Invoices to:
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### New customers

LGC would like to contact you by email, phone or post about its products, services and related areas or research. LGC does not sell contact details to external parties. You may unsubscribe at any time.

- ☐ Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research
- ☐ No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

**All customers:** Customers who order microbiological samples must also complete and sign our [Customer Declaration on the Purchase of Microbiological Materials](#) and send it to [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com).

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Name

Date

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the below sample:

- PT-AF-14 Nutritional analysis of silage

The following samples have been moved to the Food Chemistry (QFCS) scheme:

- PT-AF-19 Fusarium mycotoxins in maize (now sample PT-FC-902)
- PT-AF-20 Fusarium mycotoxins in maize oil (now sample PT-FC-903)

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
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The Chocolate & Cocoa (QCS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and microbiological samples in chocolate and cocoa. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
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### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
JAN CT345	20 Jan 2025	24 Feb 2025	715,716	710,713,714,717
MAY CT349	27 May 2025	30 Jun 2025	715,716,718,719	710,714,720,721,722
SEP CT353	22 Sep 2025	27 Oct 2025	715,716	710,713,714,717

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### CHEMISTRY

Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Round and Month (CT)			
				All Rounds	JAN 345	MAY 349	SEP 353
PT-CT-715	150g	CT345: Dark chocolate (min 75%) CT349: Milk chocolate CT353: Flavoured chocolate	Water activity; Moisture; Energy; Fat; Saturates; Total nitrogen; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Fructose; Glucose; Sucrose; Salt (from sodium); Sodium; Butyric acid; Theobromine; Total dietary fibre; Lactose#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-716	150g	Cocoa Powder	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Total nitrogen; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Fructose; Glucose; Sucrose; Salt (from sodium); Sodium; Ash; Moisture; Theobromine; Caffeine; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-718	10g	Low quality Cocoa Powder	Total Arsenic#; Cadmium; Lead; Nickel# <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-CT-719 *	20g	Dark chocolate	Cadmium; Lead; Iron; Calcium; Chromium; Nickel <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

\*Please note that this sample is not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation.

#Please note that these analytes are not currently included in LGC's UKAS scope of accreditation.

## MICROBIOLOGY

Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Round and Month (CT)			
				All Rounds	JAN 345	MAY 349	SEP 353
PT-CT-710.	2 x 25g (2 x ready-to-test samples)	Chocolate	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-713	10g (1 x ready-to-test sample)	Cocoa Powder	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Enterococci; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; Yeast; Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-714.	2 x 25g (2 x ready-to-test samples)	Cocoa Powder	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-717	10g (1 x ready-to-test sample)	Chocolate	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Enterococci; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; Yeast; Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-720.	375g (1 x ready-to-test sample)	Cocoa Powder	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-721 * <b>NEW</b>	25g (1 x ready-to-test sample)	Cocoa liquor	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CT-722 * <b>NEW</b>	10g (1 x ready-to-test sample)	Cocoa liquor	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Enterococci; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; Yeast; Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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### CHANGES

We have introduced new samples as follows:

- PT-CT-721 Presence/absence of Salmonella in cocoa liquor. This sample is available in round CT349 (May 2025).
- PT-CT-722 Enumeration of Indicator Organisms in cocoa liquor. This sample is available in round CT349 (May 2025).

We have added the analyte 'Nickel' to samples PT-CT-718 (Elements in cocoa powder) and PT-CT-719 (Elements in chocolate including Cd and Pb).

We have changed the format of the following samples:

- PT-CT-714 Presence/absence of Salmonella in Cocoa Powder: this sample is now available in a ready-to-test format only. Participants will receive 2 x 25g of cocoa powder matrix.
- PT-CT-720 Presence/absence of Salmonella in cocoa powder: this sample has also been changed to a ready-to-test format. Participants will receive 375g of cocoa powder matrix.

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The QDCS proficiency testing scheme includes chemical samples in dairy products. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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JAN	CH345	27 Jan 2025	03 Mar 2025	27, 28, 29, 31, 32A, 32B, 35, 36, 37, 38A, 38B, 39, 40, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 58, 59, 70, 71, 72, 75
APR	CH348	07 Apr 2025	12 May 2025	27, 28, 29, 31, 32A, 32B, 35, 36, 37, 38A, 38B, 39, 40, 42, 43, 44, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 58, 59, 62, 63, 66, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 76, 77
JUL	CH352	28 Jul 2025	01 Sep 2025	27, 28, 29, 31, 32A, 32B, 35, 36, 37, 38A, 38B, 39, 40, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60, 65, 70, 71, 72, 74
OCT	CH354	13 Oct 2025	17 Nov 2025	27, 28, 29, 31, 32A, 32B, 35, 36, 37, 38A, 38B, 39, 40, 42, 43, 44, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 58, 59, 63, 65, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 78

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

Samples **PT-CH-60**, **PT-CH-62**, and **PT-CH-68** are subject to UK export control and as such, we require a licence to ship. Please ensure your order is placed 6 weeks prior to the despatch date to allow sufficient time to apply for a license. LGC will contact you with further information once the order is placed.

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Nutritional Information				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-36	250g	Butter	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Salt; Sodium; Moisture; pH; Solids-non-fat (SNF)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-37	100g	CH345: Double Gloucester CH348: Gouda CH352: Grana Padano CH354: Cheddar	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Moisture; pH; Cholesterol; Calcium; Lactose; Ash	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-38B	120g	Whey powder	Moisture; Scorched particles; Fat; Protein; Ash; Lactose; Galactose; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-43	120g	Whey protein concentrate	Fat; Protein; Moisture; Ash; pH; Bulk Density; Lactose; Insolubility Index	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-58	100g	CH345: Fat free yogurt CH348: Full fat yogurt CH352: Low fat yogurt CH354: Full fat yogurt	Energy; Fat; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Total solids; pH; Calcium	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-59	100g	CH345: Full fat soft cheese CH348: Mascarpone CH352: Half fat soft cheese CH354: Quark	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Moisture; pH; Calcium; Lactose; Ash; Total dietary fibre	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Nutritional Information				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-63	100g	Cheese powder	Salt; Moisture; pH; Fat; Protein; Ash; Sodium; Colour#	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-66	100g	Condensed milk	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Salt; Sodium; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-67	100g	Processed cheese	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Cholesterol; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Moisture; Sorbic acid; Lactose; Calcium; Phosphorus, pH <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-76 *	150g	Infant formula	Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Net carbohydrates; Protein; Salt; Fibre; Docosahexaenoic acid (DHA); Arachidonic acid (ARA); β-galactooligosaccharides (GOS) <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Additives				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-44	20g	CH348: Whole milk powder CH354: Infant milk powder	Vitamins A; B12; C; D; E	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-65 *	50g	Milk powder	Nitrate; Nitrite	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-73 *	25g	Grated cheese	Natamycin	<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Toxins				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-60 *	25ml	Freeze-dried milk	Aflatoxin M1	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-CH-62	70g	Soft cheese	Aflatoxin M1	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-CH-68.	2 x 50g	Freeze-dried cheese	Staphylococcal enterotoxins	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

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Veterinary residues				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-70.	2 x 5ml	Freeze-dried milk	Presence/Absence of antibiotics (beta lactams)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-71.	2 x 5ml	Freeze-dried milk	Presence/Absence of antibiotics (sulphonamides)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-72.	2 x 5ml	Freeze-dried milk	Presence/Absence of antibiotics (tetracyclines)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Elements				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-42	20g	CH348: Whole milk powder CH354: Infant milk powder	Elements: Minerals (Chloride; Fe; Mg; Mn; P; Zn; Ca; K; Cu; Na)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-74 *	10g	Infant formula	Lead; Cadmium; Arsenic; Mercury; Nickel <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Composition/Quality				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-27	250ml	Skimmed/non-fat milk	Fat 0.10% to 0.50%	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-28	250ml	Whole milk	Protein 3.0% to 4.0%; Calcium; Total Solids; Lactose	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-29	125ml	HCl solution	Titrateable Acidity	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-31	2 x 10ml	Freeze-dried milk	Phosphatase	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-32A	250ml	Whole milk	pH	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-CH-32B	250ml	Buffer solution	pH	<input type="checkbox"/>				

Composition/Quality				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-35	100ml	Potassium hydrogen phthalate	COD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-38A	120g	Skimmed milk powder	Moisture; Ash; Scorched Particles; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-39	240g	Whipping cream	Fat 30% to 40%; Titratable Acidity; Protein; Dry Matter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-40	250ml	Semi-skimmed milk	Fat 1.2% to 2.0%	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-51	120g	Skimmed milk powder	Fat; Protein; WPNI; Titratable Acidity (rehydrated); Titratable acidity (milk powder); Insolubility Index; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-52	120g	Whole milk powder	Fat; Protein; Moisture; WPNI; Titratable acidity (rehydrated); Titratable acidity (milk powder); Insolubility Index; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-53	240g	Single/light cream	Fat 12% to 25%	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-54	240g	Double/heavy cream	Fat 40% to 50%	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-55	250ml	Whole milk	Fat 2.8% to 5.0%	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CH-56	250ml	Whole milk	Titratable Acidity; FPD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Composition/Quality				Round and Month (CH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	APR 348	JUL 352	OCT 354
PT-CH-75 *	150-200ml	Liquid infant formula	Density	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-CH-77 * <b>NEW</b>	250ml	Skimmed/non-fat milk	Protein; Calcium; Total solids; Lactose	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-CH-78 * <b>NEW</b>	50g	Butter	2,3 butanedione (diacetyl)	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>

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Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC's fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#)

To access our General Protocol, covering our scheme organisation and operation, test materials, reporting of results, data analysis/performance assessment and information provided to participants, please click on the following link: [GENERAL PROTOCOL – PT Schemes](#)

## YOUR DETAILS

Returning customers, if you would like to keep your contact/address details as per previous year, please tick here:

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If changes are required or you are a new customer, please complete your details below:

Send Test Materials to:	Send Invoices to:
Contact name: <input type="text"/>	Contact name: <input type="text"/>
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### Existing customers

If you would like to change your marketing preferences, please visit our [preference centre](#) or contact [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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LGC would like to contact you by email, phone or post about its products, services and related areas or research. LGC does not sell contact details to external parties. You may unsubscribe at any time.

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- ☐ No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

By sending in this application form, you are agreeing to comply by LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services and are agreeing that you have read and agree to the 'General Notes' at the end of this document.

Name

Date



### VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Samples purchased per order	% Volume Discount
1-5	0
6-9	10
10-19	17
20-29	27
30-49	30
50+	33

### REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

### CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

### CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

#### CHANGES

We have introduced new samples as follows:

- Sample PT-CH-77 (Analysis of protein, calcium, total solids and lactose in skimmed/non-fat milk). This will be available in round CH348 (April 2025).
- Sample PT-CH-78 (Analysis of 2,3 butanedione (diacetyl) in butter). This will be available in round CH354 (October 2025).

We have added the following new analytes:

- pH added to sample PT-CH-67 (Processed cheese)
- Nickel added to sample PT-CH-74 (Infant formula)
- $\beta$ -galactooligosaccharides (GOS) added to sample PT-CH-76 (Infant formula)

#### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other samples which may be of interest to you:

- PT-FC-774 (Water activity in cheese) Further information can be found on our [PT-FC-774 web page](#)

### GENERAL NOTES

Please note:

- All prices stated are exclusive of VAT and carriage charges.
- VAT (charged at the prevailing rate) is payable by all participants based in the European Union if a VAT Registration Number is not provided.
- Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges (where not specified previously in the application form).
- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.

- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).
- Surplus PT samples (Quality Control Material) are available; please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for further information.
- By submitting this application form, you are agreeing to comply by [LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services](#).

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The Food Chemistry (QFCS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical samples in food. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

Returning customer Lab  
ID:

Purchase order no.:  
(compulsory)

## YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
FEB	FC346	17 Feb 2025	24 Mar 2025	770, 772, 774, 776, 778SBO, 780, 781, 782, 783, 811, 821, 822, 824, 826, 829, 832, 836, 850, 876, 877, 879, 893, 894, 900, 908, 909
APR	FC348	28 Apr 2025	02 Jun 2025	760, 761, 762, 763, 774, 775, 779, 787, 790, 792, 793, 794, 796, 797, 798, 803, 808, 814, 820, 823, 828, 833, 837, 841, 851, 863, 871, 872, 881, 883, 891, 896, 897, 902, 903, 906
JUN	FC350	23 Jun 2025	28 Jul 2025	770, 771, 772, 774, 778CO, 784, 789, 791, 801, 802, 804, 805, 806, 809, 812, 815, 817, 818, 819, 825, 831, 832, 834, 838, 845, 848, 849, 856, 861, 865, 869, 870, 874, 892, 895, 900, 901, 904, 905, 907
AUG	FC352	18 Aug 2025	22 Sep 2025	760, 761, 762, 763, 774, 776, 777, 781, 782, 783, 785, 811, 821, 822, 824, 826, 829, 839, 853, 857, 862, 866, 868
OCT	FC354	20 Oct 2025	24 Nov 2025	770, 772, 774, 775, 778SO, 779, 788, 790, 793, 796, 799, 801, 810, 813, 814, 816, 820, 827, 830, 835, 840, 846, 852, 855, 858, 863, 864, 867, 875, 878, 880, 882, 885, 886, 889, 890, 891, 898, 910, 911, 912
DEC	FC356	01 Dec 2025	19 Jan 2026	770, 771, 772, 774, 778PO, 786, 791, 812, 815, 817, 819, 825, 832, 843, 854, 884, 899

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

Samples **PT-FC-779, PT-FC-794, PT-FC-804, PT-FC-845 and PT-FC-867** are subject to UK export control and as such, we require a licence to ship. Please ensure your order is placed 6 weeks prior to the despatch date to allow sufficient time to apply for a license. LGC will contact you with further information once the order is placed.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

### SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

Additives				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-760 Preservatives	100ml	Liquid test material	Sorbic Acid; Benzoic Acid; Sulfur Dioxide	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-761 Sweeteners	100ml	Liquid test material	Acesulfame K; Aspartame; Saccharin; Sucralose	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-762 Food colours	100ml	Liquid test material	Ponceau 4R; Carmoisine; Sunset Yellow; Indigo Carmine#	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-763 Food colours	100ml	Liquid test material	Allura Red; Tartrazine; Quinoline Yellow; Brilliant Blue	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-797 Preservatives	200g	Dried fruit slurry	Sulfur dioxide	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-863 * Organic acids (additives)	100g	FC348: Bakery products FC354: Fermented flour	Propionic acid (E280); Sorbic acid (E200); Benzoic acid (E210); Citric acid (E330); Tartaric acid (E334); Acetic acid (E260); Malic acid (E296); Butyric acid	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	

Additives				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-885 * Titanium dioxide in food	20g	Food products	Titanium dioxide	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Nutritional Information				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-770 Cereal based food matrix	100g	FC346: Crackers FC350: Breakfast cereal FC354: Biscuits FC356: Breakfast cereal	Energy; Fat; Carbohydrate; Total Sugars; Total Dietary Fibre; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Ash; Moisture; Phosphate; Magnesium; Potassium; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-FC-771 Cereal based food matrix	200g	FC350: Infant cereal product FC356: Fortified cereal product	Vitamin A; B1 (Thiamine); B2 (Riboflavin); B3 (Niacin); B5 (Pantothenic Acid); B6; B9 (Folic acid); B12; C; D; Iron	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-FC-772 Pre-prepared food	200g	FC346: Pasta based meal FC350: Vegetable based meal FC354: Rice based meal FC356: Potato based meal	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Mono-unsaturates; Poly-unsaturates; Total trans fatty acids; Carbohydrate; Total Sugars; Dietary Fibre; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Ash; Moisture; Phosphate; Cholesterol; Total dietary fibre	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-FC-774 Food products	50g	FC346: Cured meat FC348: Jam FC350: Biscuits FC352: Dates FC354: Cured meat FC356: Hard cheese	Water activity	<input type="checkbox"/>						



Nutritional Information				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-775 Wheat flour	100g	FC348: Wholemeal flour FC354: White bread flour	Fat; Protein; Total dietary fibre; Ash; Moisture; Calcium; Iron	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-776 Bread	100g	FC346: White bread FC352: Brown bread	Fat; Protein; Total Dietary Fibre; Acidity; Ash; Moisture; Sodium; Chloride; Calcium; Iron; Vitamins B1; B2; B3; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-783 Tomato paste/ purée	150g	FC346: Tomato Purée FC352: Tomato Paste	pH; Brix; Total acidity; Total solids; Ash; Salt; Bostwick Viscosity#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-793 Cake	100g	FC348: Chocolate cake FC354: Red velvet cake	Energy; Fat; Total Sugars; Total Dietary Fibre, Protein; Acidity; Ash; Moisture; Sodium; Chloride; Calcium; Salt	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-801 Honey	200g	Blossom honey	Moisture; Electrical conductivity; Ash; pH; Free acidity; Hydroxymethylfurfural (HMF); Diastase enzymatic activity (Diastase number); Fructose; Glucose; Sucrose; Water insoluble solids; Apparent reducing sugars	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-802 * Ground Coffee	200g	Ground 100% Arabica coffee	Water; Ash; pH; Total acidity; Total chlorogenic acid; Caffeine; Potassium; Phosphorus; Magnesium; Calcium; Copper	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-811 Ketchup	200g	FC346: Ketchup FC352: Ketchup – reduced sugars and salts	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Salt; Total dietary fibre; Soluble solids; pH; Total acidity; Citric acid; Formol number	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-812 Mayonnaise	150g	FC350: Full fat FC356: Vegan	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Total trans fatty acids; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Salt; Sodium; pH; Cholesterol; Total acidity	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-813 * Mustard	150g	Prepared mustard	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Salt; Total dietary fibre; pH; Total acidity; Erucic acid 22:1 n-9	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

Nutritional Information				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-814 * Canned fruit	2 x cans	FC348: Pineapple FC354: Pears	Drained weight; pH; Energy; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Glucose; Fructose; Total dietary fibre	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-815 * Spices	200g	FC350: Ground black pepper FC356: Ground white pepper	Moisture; Total ash; Crude fibre, insoluble index; Volatile oil; Piperine content; Acid insoluble ash; Non volatile ether extract; Water activity	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-816 * Dried pasta	100g	Ground pasta	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Ash; Moisture; Total dietary fibre	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-817 * Jam and marmalade	200g	FC350: Marmalade FC356: Strawberry	Energy; Fat; Carbohydrate; Protein; Total sugars; Fructose; Glucose; Soluble solids; pH; Moisture; Ash; Total acidity; Brix	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-819 * Table salt	300g	Table salt	Purity; Moisture; Sulfate; Iodine; Calcium; Magnesium; Total Arsenic; Lead; Cadmium; Mercury; Copper, Ferrocyanide	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-820 * Food products	100g	Biscuits	Lactose (low level)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-821 * Dehydrated food product	150g	FC346: Instant noodles FC352: Instant soup	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Total trans fatty acids; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Cholesterol	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-822 Vinegar	100ml	FC346: Balsamic vinegar FC352: Malt vinegar	Total acidity; Total ash; Density; Total dry extract; Volatile acidity; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-823 * Infant formula powder (Amino Acid profile)	50g	Infant formula powder	Alanine (free); Arginine (free); Aspartic acid (free); Glutamic acid (free); Glycine (free); Histidine (free); Isoleucine (free); Leucine (free); Lysine (free); Phenylalanine (free); Proline (free); Serine (free); Threonine (free); Tyrosine (free); Valine (free); Cystein & Cystine (sum of); Methionine (free); Tryptophan (total); N-acetyl-L-methionine <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-824 * Instant coffee	200g	FC346: Instant coffee espresso FC352: Decaffeinated	Moisture; Solubility in cold water at 16±2C°; Fat; Carbohydrate; Total glucose; Protein; Total dietary fibre; Ash; pH; Total chlorogenic acids; Caffeine; Total xylose	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-826 * Chilli powder/ Sauce	20g	FC346: Chilli powder FC352: Chilli sauce	Capsaicin; Dihydrocapsaicin; Nordihydrocapsaicin; Heat unit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-828 * Nut products	150g	Roasted and salted peanuts	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Salt; Sodium; Moisture	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-829 * Dried tea	100g	FC346: Black tea FC352: White tea	Water extract; Total ash; Water soluble ash; Crude fibre; Moisture; Caffeine	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-830 * Fruit/vegetable pureé	20g	Dried fruit/vegetable powder	Vitamin C (as ascorbic acid)	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-832 Non- wheat flour	100g	FC346: Coconut flour FC350: Chickpea flour FC356: Cornflour	Fat; Protein; Total dietary fibre; Ash; Moisture; Calcium	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-833 * Baby food purée	150g	Baby food purée	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Total dietary fibre; Salt; Sodium	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-834 * Potato crisps	100g	Blended potato crisps	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Monounsaturates; Moisture; Polyunsaturates; Total trans fatty acids; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Total dietary fibre; Salt; Sodium	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-835 * Tortilla chips	100g	Blended tortilla chips	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Monounsaturates; Moisture; Polyunsaturates; Total trans fatty acids; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Protein; Total dietary fibre; Salt; Sodium	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

Nutritional Information				Round and Month (FC)						
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PT-FC-856 * Pickles	100g	Pickled cucumbers	pH; Total Acidity; Calcium Chloride; Salt	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-858 * Relish	100g	Relish	pH; Brix; Total Acidity; Salt	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-861 * Garlic powder	300g	Garlic powder	Moisture; Sulfur dioxide; Allicin; Ash (total); Acid insoluble ash; Bulk index; Bulk density (Untapped density); Tapped density; Volatile organic sulfur compounds content <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-862 * Peanut butter	50g	Peanut butter	Fat; Salt; Moisture	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-864 * Tomato paste	25g	Tomato paste	Vitamin A; Colour	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-865 * Green coffee	25g	Green coffee	Moisture	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-869 * Spices	50g	Spices	Water activity; Moisture	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-876 * Sauce	50g	Ketchup or mayonnaise	Water activity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-877 * Plant-based meat	150g	Plant-based meat alternative	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Mono-unsaturates; Poly-unsaturates; Total trans fatty acids; Carbohydrate; Total sugars; Total dietary fibre; Protein; Salt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-889 * Curcuminoids in turmeric <b>NEW</b>	20g	Powdered turmeric	Curcumin; Demethoxycurcumin; Total Curcuminoids	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-891 * Polyols in food <b>NEW</b>	50g	Food product	Xylitol; Isomalt; Sorbitol; Maltitol; Mannitol	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-892 * Quality of vanilla beans	50g	Vanilla bean powder	Moisture; Vanillin; Vanillic acid <b>NEW</b> ; p-hydroxybenzoic acid <b>NEW</b> ; p-hydroxybenzaldehyde <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-893 * Water in flavouring powder	25g	Powder	Water by Karl Fisher	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-900 * pH in food	TBC	FC346: Canned tomato soup FC350: Potato salad	pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-904 * Plant based cheese <b>NEW</b>	100g	Plant based cheese	Total fat; Protein; Salt; Ash; Moisture; Water activity; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-907 * Dairy alternative milk <b>NEW</b>	150ml	Soya, almond or oat milk	Total fat; Protein; Carbohydrate (total & available); Total sugars; Salt; Ash; Total solids; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-908 * Walnuts <b>NEW</b>	150g	Walnuts	Water activity; Peroxide value; Free fatty acids (acidity); Moisture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-909 * Powdered baby food <b>NEW</b>	20g	Powdered baby food	Vitamin C (as ascorbic acid)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-912 * Tomato sauce <b>NEW</b>	25g	Tomato sauce	Dyes (For details on the dyes, please refer to the QFCS Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Pesticides				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-777. * Tea	2 x 50g (spiked & blank)	Dried green tea spiked & Dried green tea blank	Pesticides; Nicotine	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-836 Pome fruits	2 x 100g (spiked & blank)	Material containing up to 20 quantifiable pesticides, including Glyphosate	Pesticides; Glyphosate#; AMPA#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-837 Citrus fruits	2 x 100g (spiked & blank)	Material containing up to 20 quantifiable pesticides, including Glyphosate and Glufosinate	Pesticides; Glyphosate#; AMPA#; Glufosinate#	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-838 Fruiting vegetables	2 x 100g (spiked & blank)	Material containing up to 20 quantifiable pesticides, including Glyphosate	Pesticides; Glyphosate#; AMPA#	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-839 Root & tuber vegetables	2 x 100g (spiked & blank)	Material containing up to 20 quantifiable pesticides, including Glyphosate	Pesticides; Glyphosate#; AMPA#	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-840 * Pulses	2 x 50g (spiked & blank)	Material containing up to 20 quantifiable pesticides, including Glyphosate	Pesticides; Glyphosate; AMPA	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-841 * Cereals	2 x 50g (spiked & blank)	Material containing up to 20 quantifiable pesticides, including Glyphosate	Pesticides; Glyphosate; AMPA	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-843 * Spices	2 x 50g (spiked & blank)	Material containing up to 20 quantifiable pesticides	Pesticides	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-857 * Ethylene oxide in food products	60g	Food product e.g. sesame	Ethylene oxide as a sum of ethylene oxide and 2-CE; Ethylene oxide; 2 chloroethanol	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-868 * Ethylene oxide in spices	20g	Food product e.g. ground ginger	Ethylene oxide as a sum of ethylene oxide and 2-CE; Ethylene oxide; 2 chloroethanol	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		

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Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-880 * Herbs	2 x 50g (spiked & blank)	Herbs	Pesticides	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-905 * Ethylene oxide in cereals <b>NEW</b>	20g	Blended cereal	Ethylene oxide (sum of ethylene oxide and 2-chloro-ethanol expressed as ethylene oxide); Ethylene oxide; 2 chloroethanol	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			

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Contaminants				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-779 Nuts	50g	FC348: Pistachio FC354: Peanuts	Aflatoxins B <sub>1</sub> ; B <sub>2</sub> ; G <sub>1</sub> ; G <sub>2</sub> ; Total aflatoxins	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-787 Vegetable	50g	Spinach	Nitrate	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-788 Snack product	50g	Potato crisps	Acrylamide	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-792 Vegetable	50g	Spinach	Perchlorate	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-794 * Mycotoxins in spices (spiked)	100g	Chilli powder/paprika	Aflatoxins B <sub>1</sub> ; B <sub>2</sub> ; G <sub>1</sub> ; G <sub>2</sub> ; Total aflatoxins; Ochratoxin A (spiked)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-798 * Infant vegetable purée	100g	Infant vegetable food	Nitrate	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				



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Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-803 * Palm oil	50g	Palm oil	Sudan IV	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-804 * Dried fruits	200g	Dried fruit slurry	Aflatoxins B <sub>1</sub> ; B <sub>2</sub> ; G <sub>1</sub> ; G <sub>2</sub> ; Total aflatoxins; Ochratoxin A	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-805 * Vegetable oil	50ml	Vegetable oil	Benzo[a]pyrene; Benz[a]anthracene; Benzo[b]fluoranthene; Chrysene; Sum of EU 4 PAHs	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-831 * Opiates	15g	Poppy seeds	Morphine; Codeine	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-845 * Mycotoxins in rice	100g	Ground rice	Aflatoxins B <sub>1</sub> ; B <sub>2</sub> ; G <sub>1</sub> ; G <sub>2</sub> ; Total aflatoxins; Ochratoxin A; Zearalenone	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-867 * Mycotoxins in corn	100g	Ground corn (maize flour)	Aflatoxins B <sub>1</sub> ; B <sub>2</sub> ; G <sub>1</sub> ; G <sub>2</sub> ; Total aflatoxins; Ochratoxin A; Zearalenone	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-881 * Acrylamide in coffee	50g	Instant or ground coffee	Acrylamide	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-886 * Illegal dyes in spices	25g	Spices (e.g. chilli or turmeric)	Dyes	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-890 Mycotoxins in spices (natural levels) <b>NEW</b>	100g	Chilli powder/paprika	Aflatoxins B <sub>1</sub> ; B <sub>2</sub> ; G <sub>1</sub> ; G <sub>2</sub> ; Total aflatoxins; Ochratoxin A (natural levels)	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-902 * Fusarium mycotoxins in maize <b>NEW</b>	125g	Maize flour	Fumonisin B <sub>1</sub> ; Fumonisin B <sub>2</sub> ; T-2; HT-2	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-903 * Fusarium mycotoxins in maize oil <b>NEW</b>	50ml	Maize oil	Deoxynivalenol (DON); Zearalenone (ZON)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-910 * PFAS in egg powder <b>NEW</b>	30g	Egg powder	Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA); Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA); Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS); Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS); Sum of 4 PFAS	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-911 * Mineral oil Aromatic Hydrocarbons in rice <b>NEW</b>	50g	Rice	Total MOAH; MOAH $\geq$ n-C10 to $\leq$ n-C16; MOAH $>$ n-C16 to $\leq$ n-C25; MOAH $>$ n-C25 to $\leq$ n-C35; MOAH $>$ n-C35 to $\leq$ n-C50	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Allergens				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-781 Low in gluten Flour	25g	Flour (low level)	Gluten	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-799. * Egg white in cake mix	2 x 20g	Cake mix powder	Egg white protein; Presence/absence of egg white	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-808. * Almond in rice flour	2 x 20g	Rice flour	Almond; Presence/absence of almond	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-809. * Soy in rice flour	2 x 20g	Rice flour	Soy; Presence/absence of soy	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-810. * $\beta$ -lactoglobulin	2 x 20g	Infant formula powder	$\beta$ -lactoglobulin; Presence/absence of $\beta$ -lactoglobulin	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-851 Low in gluten pasta sauce	25g	Pasta sauce (low level)	Gluten	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-852. Gluten and egg white in processed meat	2 x 20g	Processed meat	Gluten; Egg white protein; Presence/absence of gluten; Presence/absence of egg white protein	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-853. Soya and milk protein in almond milk	2 x 25g	Almond milk	Soy; Milk protein#; Presence/absence of soy protein; Presence/absence of milk protein#	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-854 Gluten, egg white and milk protein in biscuits	20g	Biscuit	Gluten; Egg white protein; Presence/absence of gluten; Presence/absence of egg white protein; Presence/absence of milk protein	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-855. * Gluten in swabs	-	2 x Surface swabs	Presence/absence of Gluten	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-882 * Peanut, sesame and soya in swabs	-	2 x Surface swabs	Presence/absence of Peanut protein; Presence/absence of Sesame protein; Presence/absence of Soya protein	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-896 * Gluten in cake mix	25g	Material	Gluten (quantitative)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-897 * Peanut in food	2 x 25g	Food product	Peanut (quantitative); Presence/absence of peanut protein	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-898 * Milk in infant breakfast cereals	2 x 25g	Infant breakfast cereals	Milk (quantitative); Presence/absence of milk	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-899. * Multi allergens in infant soya formula	2 x 25g	Infant soya formula	Gluten; Milk protein; Presence/absence of gluten; Presence/absence of milk protein	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>

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Foreign bodies				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-818 * Foreign bodies in food products	-	2 x samples (both potentially contaminated)	Presence/absence; Identification of foreign body	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			

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Elements				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-780 Dried tea	50g	Dried green tea	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Mercury; Lead; Selenium; Nickel <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-784 * Cereal grain	50g	Cereal grain	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Lead; Mercury; Nickel <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-785 * Edible oil	50g	Vegetable oil	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Lead; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-FC-786 * Dried fruit	50g	Dried fruit powder	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Lead; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-789 Rice	10g	Rice	Total Arsenic; Total Inorganic Arsenic#; Arsenic III#; Arsenic V#; Cadmium; Lead#	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-827 * Infant fruit/ vegetable purée	20g	Infant fruit/vegetable purée	Total Arsenic; Inorganic arsenic; Cadmium; Lead	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-866 * Ground pepper	10g	Ground pepper	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Lead; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		

Elements				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-871 * Herbs	10g	Herbs	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Lead; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Oil and Fat Quality				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-778CO Coconut oil	150g	Coconut oil	Water; Free fatty acids; Saponification value; Unsaponifiable matter; Anisidine value; Colour; Iodine value; Peroxide value; Fatty acid composition (For details on the fatty acid composition, please refer to the QFCS Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-778PO Palm oil	150g	Palm oil	Water; Free fatty acids; Saponification value; Unsaponifiable matter; Anisidine value; Colour; Iodine value; Peroxide value; Fatty acid composition (For details on the fatty acid composition, please refer to the QFCS Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-778SBO Soybean oil	150g	Soybean oil	Water; Free fatty acids; Saponification value; Unsaponifiable matter; Anisidine value; Colour; Iodine value; Peroxide value; Fatty acid composition (For details on the fatty acid composition, please refer to the QFCS Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-778SO Sunflower oil	150g	Sunflower oil	Water; Free fatty acids; Saponification value; Unsaponifiable matter; Anisidine value; Colour; Iodine value; Peroxide value; Fatty acid composition (For details on the fatty acid composition, please refer to the QFCS Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-782 Mixed fat spread	100g	FC346: Full fat spread FC352: Reduced fat spread	Total Fat; Saturates; Mono-unsaturates; Poly-unsaturates; Total trans fatty acids; Omega 3; Omega 6; Salt; Water; pH; Vitamin A; Vitamin D	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		

Oil and Fat Quality				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-790. Extra virgin olive oil	2 x 200ml & 1 x 50ml	Extra virgin olive oil	Peroxide value; Free fatty acids (Acidity); K232; K270; Wax content; 3,5 Stigmastadienes; Ethyl esters; Total Sterols; $\Delta$ -7-stigmastanol; Insoluble Impurities; Moisture and Volatile Matter at 103°C; Total Polyphenols; Fatty Acid Composition (For details on the fatty acid composition, please refer to the QFCS Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-791 Olive oil	2 x 200ml	FC350: Olive oil FC356: Olive pomace oil	Free fatty acids (Acidity); K270; $\Delta$ K; Wax content; $\beta$ -sitosterol (apparent); Campesterol; Erythrodiol & Uvaol; $\Delta$ ECN 42; Accelerated Oxidation test (Rancimat) at 120°C; 2-glyceryl monopalmitate; Fatty Acid composition (For details on the fatty acid composition, please refer to the QFCS Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-796 Frying oil	150g	Frying (used) vegetable oil	Total polar compounds; Free fatty acids (Acidity); Accelerated oxidation test (Rancimat) at 120°C	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-FC-806 * Fish oil supplement	100ml	Cod liver oil	cis Alpha-linolenic acid (ALA); cis Eicosapentaenoic acid (EPA); cis Docosapentaenoic (DPA); cis Docosahexaenoic (DHA); Monounsaturated fatty acids; Polyunsaturated fatty acids; Saturated fatty acids; Total EPA+DHA Omega-3 fatty acids; Total Omega-3 fatty acids; Total Omega-6 fatty acids; Total Omega-9 fatty acids; Omega-3 : Omega-6 ratio; Total trans fatty acids; Vitamin A; Vitamin D	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			

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Authenticity/Quality				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-825. * Herbs & Spices	15g	FC350: Oregano FC356: Cinnamon/Cassia	Confirmation of authenticity; Additional questions (see Scheme Description)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-848 * Vegan food	10g	Vegan food	Presence or absence of animal DNA	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-849 * Cannabidiol (CBD) in confectionery	-	3 x gummies	Cannabidiol	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			

Authenticity/Quality				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-850 * Vanillin in vanilla extract	3 x 20ml	Vanilla extract	Vanillin; Ethyl alcohol; Density; Refractive index at 20°C	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-870 * Spices	300g	Paprika	Bulk index; Bulk density (Untapped density); Colour strength; Water activity; Tapped density	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-879 * Herbs	300g	Herbs	Moisture; Acid Insoluble Ash; Ash; Volatile Oil; Water activity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-883 * Soya sauce	100ml	Soya sauce	pH; Total titratable acidity; Total sugars; Sorbic acid (E200); Salt; Sodium; Magnesium; Potassium; Calcium	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-884 * Dried fruit	50g	Dried fruit	Total sugars; Total dietary fibre; Protein; Ash; Moisture	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-FC-894 * Quality of Aroma baking ingredients	50ml	Liquid Vanilla aroma (sugar based)	Water activity; Density; Vanillin; Brix	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-FC-895 * Quality of spice mix	100g	Spice mix	Salt; Volatile oil; Piperine content	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-901. * Net content of prepacked product	-	2 prepacked products for net content	Net content	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-906 * Bulk index in dried onions or garlic <b>NEW</b>	100g	Dried onions or garlic	Bulk index	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Food Labelling				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-846- VIRTUAL * Food labelling and nutritional values	-	Paper exercise	Assessment to Regulation (EU) 1169/2011 as amended and the retained law in the UK	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Food Contact				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-872 * Bisphenols in 3% aqueous acetic acid	50ml	Simulant	Bisphenol A; Bisphenol S	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-FC-874 * Lead and Cadmium in 4% aqueous acetic acid	50ml	Simulant	Lead; Cadmium	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-FC-875 * Phthalates in vegetable/ seed oil	20ml	Simulant	DEHP; BBP; DBP	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Genetically modified organisms (GMO)				Round and Month (FC)						
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	APR 348	JUN 350	AUG 352	OCT 354	DEC 356
PT-FC-878 * Genetically modified organisms (GMO) in cereals and/or grains	5g	Cereals and/or grains	Qualitative identification of the GM Events; Quantification of GM events detected	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Name

Date

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Sample FC-846 is not suitable for duplicate sample, but discounts will be offered for multiple participations. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced a number of new samples as follows:

- Sample PT-FC-904 (Plant based cheese analysis). This will be available in round FC350 (June 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-905 (Ethylene oxide in cereals). This will be available in round FC350 (June 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-906 (Bulk index in dried onions or garlic). This will be available in round FC348 (April 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-907 (Dairy alternative milk analysis). This will be available in round FC350 (June 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-908 (Quality parameters of walnuts). This will be available in round FC354 (October 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-909 (Vitamin C in powdered baby food). This will be available in round FC354 (October 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-910 (PFAS in egg powder). This will be available in round FC346 (February 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-911 (Mineral oil Aromatic Hydrocarbons (MOAH) in rice). This will be available in round FC346 (February 2025).
- Sample PT-FC-912 (Colours as additives in tomato sauce). This will be available in round FC354 (October 2025).

Sample PT-FC-889 has now been updated to cover Curcuminoids in turmeric. This sample was previously for the analysis of colour of ground spices, but the colour analytes have now been removed and the matrix going forward will always be turmeric.

The following samples have been moved to the Food Chemistry (QFCS) scheme from the Animal Feeds (AFPS) scheme:

- PT-FC-902 Fusarium mycotoxins in maize (previously sample PT-AF-19)
- PT-FC-903 Fusarium mycotoxins in maize oil (previously sample PT-AF-20)

We have added a number of new analytes as follows:

- Nickel added to PT-FC-780 (Elements analysis in dried tea including nickel)
- Nickel added to PT-FC-784 (Elements analysis in cereal grain)
- N-acetyl-L-methionine added to PT-FC-823 (Amino acid profile in infant formula powder)
- Volatile organic sulfur compounds content added to PT-FC-861 (Garlic composition and quality)
- Vanillic acid, p-hydroxybenzoic acid and p-hydroxybenzaldehyde added to PT-FC-892 (Quality of vanilla beans)

We have changed the frequency of the following samples:

- PT-FC-846 (Food labelling benchmark exercise and declaration of nutritional values) has been decreased from 2 rounds to 1 round
- PT-FC-863 (Organic acids (additives) in confectionery and bakery products) has been increased from 1 round to 2 rounds
- PT-FC-891 (Polyols in food products) has been increased from 1 round to 2 rounds

Sample volume increased for PT-FC-899 (Multi allergens in infant soya formula (allergen testing)) from 25g to 2 x 25g

Sample volume increased for PT-FC-901 (Net content of prepacked product) from 1 prepacked product to 2 prepacked products

Sample volume decreased for PT-FC-781 (Gluten in flour (allergen testing – low level gluten)) from 100g to 25g

For sample PT-FC-870 (Physical characteristics and colour of paprika), we have clarified that the spice matrix to be used will be paprika

For sample PT-FC-853 (Soya and milk protein in almond milk), we have clarified that the non-dairy milk used will be almond milk

For sample PT-FC-779 (Aflatoxin analysis of nuts) will now be supplied as 50g powdered nut

For sample PT-FC-863 (Organic acids (additives) in confectionery and bakery products), we will now provide different matrices per round; one round will remain as Bakery products and one round will be Fermented flour

For sample PT-FC-894 (Aroma baking ingredients for chemical & physical parameters), we have clarified that the matrix used will be Liquid Vanilla aroma (sugar based)

We have split sample PT-FC-778 (Edible Oil & Fat analysis) into 4 new samples as follows:

- PT-FC-778SBO (Soybean oil analysis)
- PT-FC-778CO (Coconut oil analysis)
- PT-FC-778SO (Sunflower oil analysis)
- PT-FC-778PO (Palm oil analysis)

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the below samples:

- PT-FC-795 (Elements in mushrooms)
- PT-FC-847 (Authenticity of honey)
- PT-FC-859 (Analysis of candy)
- PT-FC-860 (Analysis of chewing gum)
- PT-FC-873 (Total primary aromatic amines in 3% aqueous acetic acid (food contact materials – specific migration))
- PT-FC-887 (Acesulfame-K in chewing gum)
- PT-FC-888 (Sorbitol in chewing gum)

We have added PT-FC-854 for Multi allergens in biscuit or cookie (allergen testing), PT-FC-890 for Mycotoxins in spices (natural levels) and PT-FC-797 for Sulfur dioxide in dried fruit as accredited under LGC's flexible scope of UKAS accreditation.

### **OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST**

We have a number of other Food and Feed schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Food and Feed schemes web page](#).

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The Gelatine (QGS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and microbiological samples in gelatine. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
MAY GL349	19 May 2025	23 Jun 2025	606	601,602,603,604,605
OCT GL354	27 Oct 2025	01 Dec 2025	606	601,602,603,604,605,607

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

### CHEMISTRY

Samples Available				Round and Month (GL)		
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAY 349	OCT 354
PT-GL-606	100g	Gelatine	Ash; Gel strength (Bloom); Isoelectric point; Moisture; pH; Viscosity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### MICROBIOLOGY

Samples Available				Round and Month (GL)		
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAY 349	OCT 354
PT-GL-601	25g	Gelatine hydrolysate	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-GL-602	10g	Gelatine hydrolysate	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Detection of Coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterobacteriaceae	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-GL-603	10g	Gelatine hydrolysate	Detection of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; Enumeration of Sulphite-reducing bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-GL-604	10g	Gelatine hydrolysate	Detection of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-GL-605	10g	Gelatine hydrolysate	Enumeration of mesophilic anaerobic spores	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Samples Available				Round and Month (GL)		
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAY 349	OCT 354
PT-GL-607 *	10g	Gelatine hydrolysate	Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

There have been no technical changes for the 2025 scheme year.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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The Meat & Fish (QMAS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and microbiological samples in meat and fish products. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
JAN MT345	13 Jan 2025	17 Feb 2025	731,732,733,734,747,749	
MAR MT347	17 Mar 2025	22 Apr 2025	730,748,765,766	726,735,736,737,738,739,740,743,744,745,746,756,757,763
MAY MT349	19 May 2025	23 Jun 2025	731,732,733,734,741,742,749,752	
JUN MT350	23 Jun 2025	28 Jul 2025		725,735,736,737,738,746,756,757,758,759
JUL MT351	14 Jul 2025	18 Aug 2025	728,731,732,733,734,747	
SEP MT353	15 Sep 2025	20 Oct 2025	718,729,730,741,748,749,754,755	726,727,735,736,737,738,739,740,743,744,745,746,756,757,764
NOV MT355	17 Nov 2025	22 Dec 2025	731,732,733,734,742,752	
DEC MT356	08 Dec 2025	26 Jan 2026	748,749	735,736,737,738,746,756,757,759

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### CHEMISTRY

Nutritional Information				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-728 *	150g	Fish product (e.g. breaded)	Energy; Fat; Saturates; Carbohydrate; Dietary fibre; Protein; Salt; Ash; Moisture; Sugar	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MT-730	150g	Dried/cured meat	Energy; Total Fat; Saturates; Cholesterol; Carbohydrate; Total Sugars; Dietary Fibre; Protein; Salt; Ash; Moisture; Sodium; Phosphate; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-731	150g	MT345: Cooked meat MT349: Raw meat MT351: Cooked meat MT355: Raw meat	Energy; Total Fat; Saturates; Cholesterol; Carbohydrate; Total Sugars; Dietary Fibre; Protein; Salt; Ash; Moisture; Sodium; Phosphate; pH; Calcium; Potassium; Iron; Magnesium	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MT-733	150g	Meat	Hydroxyproline; Starch; Total fat; Saturates; Mono-unsaturates; Poly-unsaturates; Total trans fatty acids	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	



Nutritional Information				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-734	150g	MT345: High-fat fish e.g. herring, salmon MT349: Low-fat fish e.g. cod or haddock MT351: High-fat fish e.g. herring, salmon MT355: Low-fat fish e.g. cod or haddock	Fat; Protein; Salt; Ash; Moisture; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Elements				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-741	50g	Seafood	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Zinc; Mercury; Lead; Phosphorus	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-742	50g	Fish	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Zinc; Mercury; Lead; Phosphorus; Methyl mercury#	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MT-747 *	50g	Processed meat	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Zinc; Mercury; Lead	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MT-766 * <b>NEW</b>	50g	Offal	Total Arsenic; Cadmium; Mercury; Lead	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>						

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Authenticity/Identification				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-749 *	1 x set of 2 samples (2g each)	MT345: Beef MT349: Lamb MT353: Goat MT356: Pork	Meat authenticity Species stated to be screened for presence of other species of meat, e.g. chicken, pork, horse, beef, lamb. Analytes will vary each round.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MT-752 *	4 x 20g	MT349: Raw fish MT355: Cooked fish	Fish species identification	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Additives				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-718 *	30g	Freeze-dried Fish	Nitrate; Nitrite	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-729 *	50g	Meat or meat product	Sulfur dioxide	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-732	30g	Freeze dried meat	Nitrate; Nitrite	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Contaminants				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-748	150g	Fish	Histamine; Total volatile nitrogen (TVN); Trimethylamine (TMA)	<div></div>		<div></div>				<div></div>		<div></div>

Contaminants				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-765 *	30g	Food, e.g. fish / meat	Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA); Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA); Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS); Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS); Sum of 4 PFAS	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>						

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Veterinary Drug residues				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-754 *	10g	Freeze dried prawn	Chloramphenicol	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-755 *	100g	Beef	Ractopamine (β-agonist)	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		

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### MICROBIOLOGY

Microbiological Testing				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-725	2 x 25g	Lyophilised Chicken	Detection of <i>Salmonella Typhimurium</i> ; <i>Salmonella Enteritidis</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-MT-726	Vial + 10g sample	Lyophilised meat	Enumeration of <i>Campylobacter</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-727 Carcass rinsate	Vial to be reconstituted	Lyophilised tablet (diluent required)	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157 (non-toxigenic strain); <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-735	10g	Lyophilised meat	Total <b>aerobic</b> mesophilic count; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Microbiological Testing				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-736	25g	Lyophilised meat	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MT-737	25g	Lyophilised meat	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; Identification of <i>Listeria</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MT-738	10g	Lyophilised meat	Total <b>anaerobic</b> mesophilic count; Enumeration of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; Sulphite reducing bacteria; Coagulase positive staphylococci	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MT-739	Vial + 10g sample	Lyophilised fish / shellfish	Total <b>aerobic</b> mesophilic count; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Coagulase positive staphylococci; Coliforms	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-740	Vial + 25g sample	Lyophilised fish / shellfish	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-743	Vial + 25g sample	Lyophilised meat	Detection of <i>Campylobacter</i> species in 10g; <i>Campylobacter</i> species in 25g	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-744	Vial +25g sample	Lyophilised meat	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157 (non-toxigenic strain)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-745	Vial + 25g sample	Lyophilised fish / shellfish	Detection of <i>Vibrio</i> species; <i>Vibrio parahaemolyticus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MT-746	10g	Lyophilised meat	Enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas</i> species; Lactic acid bacteria; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Microbiological Testing				Round and Month (MT)								
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	MAR 347	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MT-756	2 x vial + 1 x minimum 20g matrix	Meat powder	<u>Quantitative Package</u> Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of total coliforms; Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; <i>Bacillus cereus</i> ; Coagulase positive staphylococci; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould; Detection of coagulase positive staphylococci	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MT-757	2 x vial + 1 x minimum 200g matrix	Meat powder	<u>Qualitative Package</u> Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157 (non-toxigenic strain); <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Salmonella</i> species Identification of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MT-758	10g	Lyophilised meat	Enumeration of aerobic psychrotrophs	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-MT-759	10g	Lyophilised meat	Enumeration of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MT-763	375g	Meat powder	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-MT-764	125g	Meat powder	Detection of <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Listeria</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		

Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC's fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#)

To access our General Protocol, covering our scheme organisation and operation, test materials, reporting of results, data analysis/performance assessment and information provided to participants, please click on the following link: [GENERAL PROTOCOL – PT Schemes](#)

## YOUR DETAILS

Returning customers, if you would like to keep your contact/address details as per previous year, please tick here:

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If changes are required or you are a new customer, please complete your details below:

Send Test Materials to:	Send Invoices to:
Contact name: <input type="text"/>	Contact name: <input type="text"/>
Department: <input type="text"/>	Department: <input type="text"/>
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### Existing customers

If you would like to change your marketing preferences, please visit our [preference centre](#) or contact [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

### New customers

LGC would like to contact you by email, phone or post about its products, services and related areas or research. LGC does not sell contact details to external parties. You may unsubscribe at any time.

- ☐ Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research
- ☐ No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

**All customers:** Customers who order microbiological samples must also complete and sign our [Customer Declaration on the Purchase of Microbiological Materials](#) and send it to [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com).

**German customers only:** Customers who do not fall under an exception under §45 or §52 IfSG must also submit a copy of their valid access permit according to §44 IfSG.

By sending in this application form, you are agreeing to comply by [LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services](#) and are agreeing that you have read and agree to the 'General Notes' at the end of this document.

Name

Date

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced a new sample as follows:

- PT-MT-766 Elements in offal. This sample is available in round MT347 (March 2025).

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the below sample:

- PT-MT-762 Fenbuconazole in beef

We have changed the format of the following samples to a ready-to-test format:

- PT-MT-763 Detection of Salmonella in meat powder: 375g meat powder matrix will now be provided
- PT-MT-764 Detection of Listeria in meat powder: 125g meat powder matrix will now be provided

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other Food and Feed schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Food and Feed schemes webpage](#)

We also have a number of other samples which may be of interest to you:

- PT-FC-774 (Water activity in food) Further information can be found on our [PT-FC-774 web page](#)
- PT-FC-852 (Allergens in canned meat) Further information can be found on our [PT-FC-852 web page](#)

## GENERAL NOTES

Please note:

- All prices stated are exclusive of VAT and carriage charges.
- VAT (charged at the prevailing rate) is payable by all participants based in the European Union if a VAT Registration Number is not provided.
- Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges (where not specified previously in the application form).
- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).
- Surplus PT samples (Quality Control Material) are available; please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for further information.



- By submitting this application form, you are agreeing to comply by [LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services](#).

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The Food Microbiology (QMS) proficiency testing scheme includes microbiological samples in food. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

Returning customer Lab  
ID:

Purchase order no.:  
(compulsory)

### YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	MC345	06 Jan 2025	10 Feb 2025	06F, 07D, 08D, 09D, 10D, 15F, 16D, 16F, 17D, 17F, 23F, 24F
FEB	MC346	03 Feb 2025	10 Mar 2025	05F, 06D, 06SP, 07F, 07VG, 09F, 10F, 13F, 16D, 16F, 17F, 18F, 20D, 21, 23D, 26D, 36, 36SP, 37, 42
MAR	MC347	03 Mar 2025	07 Apr 2025	06EG, 06F, 07F, 08F, 09D, 10F, 16D, 16F, 17D, 17F, 22F, 23F, 24F, 33, 34, 35, 40, 47, 52
MAR	MC348	31 Mar 2025	06 May 2025	04F, 06F, 06TE, 07D, 09F, 10D, 11D, 12F, 14D, 15D, 16D, 16F, 17F, 23D, 26F, 29, 38, 39D, 41, 43, 46EG, 48
MAY	MC349	06 May 2025	09 Jun 2025	03D, 04D, 06D, 06HB, 07CH, 07F, 08F, 09D, 10F, 16D, 16F, 17D, 17F, 18D, 21, 23D, 24D, 24HB, 32, 36, 36HB, 37, 44, 53, 55
JUN	MC350	02 Jun 2025	07 Jul 2025	06F, 06VG, 07F, 10F, 13F, 16D, 16F, 17F, 20F, 22D, 23F, 25F, 26D, 45, 50
JUN	MC351	30 Jun 2025	04 Aug 2025	06F, 07D, 08D, 09D, 10D, 15F, 16D, 16F, 17D, 17F, 23D, 24F, 27
AUG	MC352	04 Aug 2025	08 Sep 2025	04D, 06D, 06HB, 07F, 07HB, 09F, 16D, 16F, 17F, 18F, 21, 23F, 26F, 36, 36SP, 37, 51
SEP	MC353	01 Sep 2025	06 Oct 2025	05D, 06CH, 06F, 07F, 08F, 09D, 10F, 16D, 16F, 17D, 17F, 22F, 23D, 24F, 33, 34, 35, 40, 41, 54
SEP	MC354	29 Sep 2025	03 Nov 2025	06CF, 06F, 07D, 10F, 11F, 13F, 14D, 15D, 16D, 16F, 17F, 20D, 23D, 25D, 26D, 27, 38, 39D
NOV	MC355	03 Nov 2025	08 Dec 2025	04D, 06D, 06SP, 07F, 08F, 09D, 10D, 16D, 16F, 17D, 17F, 18D, 21, 23F, 24D, 24SP, 32, 36, 36HB, 37
DEC	MC356	01 Dec 2025	19 Jan 2026	06F, 06NS, 07F, 09F, 10F, 11D, 16D, 16F, 17F, 22F, 23D, 26F

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

### SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-03D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-MC-04D	25g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Cronobacter</i> species in 10g; <i>Cronobacter</i> species in 25g	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-04F	25g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Cronobacter</i> species in 10g; <i>Cronobacter</i> species in 25g	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-MC-05D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of Osmophilic yeast; Osmophilic mould; Osmophilic yeast and mould (ISO 21527-2)	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-05F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of Osmophilic yeast; Osmophilic mould; Osmophilic yeast and mould (ISO 21527-2)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>										
PT-MC-06CF.	Vial+25g	Chicken faeces	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>										<input type="checkbox"/>		

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-06CH	Vial+25g	Hard cheese	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-06D	25g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-06EG.	Vial+25g	Egg powder	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>									
PT-MC-06F	Vial+25g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-06HB	Vial+25g	Herbs	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-MC-06NS	Vial+25g	Seeds and nuts	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>												<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-06SP	Vial+25g	Spices	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-06TE	Vial+25g	Tea	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-MC-06VG.	Vial+25g	Mixed vegetables	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-MC-07CH	Vial+25g	Hard cheese	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>							

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-07D	25g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-07F	25g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-07HB	Vial+25g	Herbs	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-07VG	25g	Mixed vegetables	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-08D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-08F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-09D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of Enterococci (faecal streptococci)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-09F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of Enterococci (faecal streptococci)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-10D	10g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Clostridium</i> species; <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; Enumeration of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; <i>Clostridium</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-10F	10g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Clostridium</i> species; <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; Enumeration of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; <i>Clostridium</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-11D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of mesophilic <b>aerobic</b> bacterial spores; Thermophilic <b>aerobic</b> plate count; Thermophilic <b>aerobic</b> bacterial spores; High heat resistant thermophilic <b>aerobic</b> spores (HHR-TSC)	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-11F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of mesophilic <b>aerobic</b> bacterial spores; Thermophilic <b>aerobic</b> plate count; Thermophilic <b>aerobic</b> bacterial spores; High heat resistant thermophilic <b>aerobic</b> spores (HHR-TSC)	<input type="checkbox"/>										<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MC-12F	25g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Shigella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-MC-13F	25g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Vibrio</i> species; <i>Vibrio parahaemolyticus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MC-14D	25g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Yersinia</i> species; <i>Yersinia enterocolitica</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MC-15D	10g	Dairy matrix	Total anaerobic mesophilic count Enumeration of <b>anaerobic</b> sulphite-reducing bacteria; Mesophilic <b>anaerobic</b> spores; Sulphite-reducing Clostridium spores	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-MC-15F	10g	Food matrix	Total anaerobic mesophilic count Enumeration of <b>anaerobic</b> sulphite-reducing bacteria; Mesophilic <b>anaerobic</b> spores; Sulphite-reducing Clostridium spores	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-MC-16D	10g	Dairy matrix	Total <b>aerobic</b> mesophilic count; Enumeration of Coliforms; Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-16F	10g	Food matrix	Total <b>aerobic</b> mesophilic count; Enumeration of Coliforms; Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-17D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus</i> species; Coagulase positive staphylococci; <i>Bacillus</i> species; <i>Bacillus cereus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-17F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus</i> species; Coagulase positive staphylococci; <i>Bacillus</i> species; <i>Bacillus cereus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-18D	10g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-18F	10g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-20D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Thermotolerant coliforms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-20F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Thermotolerant coliforms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-21.	Vial+min 25g sample	Dairy Matrix	Detection of <i>Campylobacter</i> species in 10g; <i>Campylobacter</i> species in 25g	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-22D	25g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157 (non-toxigenic strain)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-22F	25g	Food matrix	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157 (non-toxigenic strain)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-23D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould (ISO 21527-1) Identification of yeast and mould to genus and/or species level	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-23F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould (ISO 21527-1) Identification of yeast and mould to genus and/or species level	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-24D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of lactic acid bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-24F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of lactic acid bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-24HB	Vial+10g	Herbs	Enumeration of lactic acid bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-24SP	Vial+10g	Spices	Enumeration of lactic acid bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-25D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of aerobic psychrotrophic organisms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-25F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of aerobic psychrotrophic organisms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-26D	10g	Dairy matrix	Enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas</i> species Detection of <i>Pseudomonas</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-26F	10g	Food matrix	Enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas</i> species Detection of <i>Pseudomonas</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MC-27	Vial	Vial	Enumeration of <i>Bifidobacterium</i> species; <i>Lactobacillus</i> species; Combined Enumeration of <i>Lactobacillus</i> species and <i>Bifidobacterium</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-29	Vial+10g	Tea	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Coliforms; Coagulase positive staphylococci; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-MC-32.	Vial+10g sample	Dairy Matrix	Enumeration of <i>Campylobacter</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-33	Vial	Vial	Identification of unknown organism (non pathogen)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-34	Vial	Vial	Identification of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-35-VIRTUAL	-	Paper exercise	Colony count and calculation of number of microorganisms	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-36	2 x Vial+min 20g sample	Dairy matrix	<u>Quantitative Package (2 samples)</u> Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of total coliforms; Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; <i>Bacillus cereus</i> ; Coagulase positive staphylococci; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and mould Detection of coagulase positive staphylococci	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-36HB	2 x Vial+min 20g sample	Herbs	<u>Quantitative Package (2 samples)</u> Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of total coliforms; Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; <i>Bacillus cereus</i> ; Coagulase positive staphylococci; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and mould Detection of coagulase positive staphylococci	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>	

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-36SP	2 x Vial+min 20g sample	Spices	Quantitative Package (2 samples) Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of total coliforms; Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; <i>Bacillus cereus</i> ; Coagulase positive staphylococci; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and mould Detection of coagulase positive staphylococci	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-MC-37	2 x Vial + min 200g sample	Dairy matrix	Qualitative Package (2 samples) Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157 (non-toxigenic strain); <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Salmonella</i> species; Identification of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-38	Vial+min 20g sample	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Clostridium</i> perfringens; Coagulase positive staphylococci	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-39D	10g	Dairy matrix	Bacterial level by Bactoscan; Bacterial level by colony count	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-MC-40	375g	Skimmed milk powder	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-41 Ready meal	Vial+10g	Dried food matrix	Total aerobic mesophilic count Enumeration of Coliforms; Coagulase positive Staphylococci; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould; Enterobacteriaceae; <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-42	Vial+ 25g	Dairy matrix	Detection of <i>Cronobacter</i> species (low level)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>										
PT-MC-43	375g	Skimmed milk powder	Detection of <i>Cronobacter</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-44	Vial+min 100g sample	Ready-to-eat food matrix	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157 (non-toxigenic strain); <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Salmonella</i> species Identification of <i>Listeria</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-MC-45	Vial+10g	Fruit	Enumeration of thermophilic acidophilic bacteria ( <i>Alicyclobacillus</i> spp); Detection of guaiacol producing thermophilic acidophilic bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-MC-46EG	2 x 25g	Egg powder	Detection of <i>Salmonella Typhimurium</i> and/or <i>Salmonella Enteritidis</i> (2 samples)	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-MC-47	125g	Skimmed milk powder	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>									
PT-MC-48 *	2 x Vial + min 100g matrix	Infant formula	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species in 25g; <i>Cronobacter</i> species in 10g or 25g (2 samples)	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-MC-50 *	Vial+10g matrix	Cheese matrix	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; Coagulase positive staphylococci	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-MC-51 *	5 x 10ml vials	Vial containing lyophilised milk (may or may not contain microorganisms at low levels)	Commercial sterility; Identification of microorganism	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-MC-52	3 x 10ml vials	Vial containing single organism (contents may include pathogens and/or non-pathogens)	Confirmation and /or Identification of <b>Gram-negative</b> organisms (including <i>Salmonella</i> ) to genus and/or species	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>									

Samples Available				Round and Month (MC)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 345	FEB 346	MAR 347	MAR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUN 351	AUG 352	SEP 353	SEP 354	NOV 355	DEC 356
PT-MC-53	3 x 10ml vials	Vial containing single organism (contents may include pathogens and/or non-pathogens)	Confirmation and /or Identification of <b>Gram-positive</b> organisms (including <i>Listeria</i> ) to genus and/or species	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-MC-54	1 x 10ml vial	Vial containing up to 5 different organisms (contents may include pathogens and/or non-pathogens)	Identification of organisms to genus and/or species	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-MC-55 * <b>NEW</b>	Vial+10g	Nut matrix	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of coliforms; yeast; mould; yeast and mould	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>							

\*Please note that these samples are not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation.

†Please note that a volume discount may apply to this price, depending on the number of Food Microbiology (QMS) PT Scheme samples purchased. For further details, please see the Volume Quantity Discount section.

Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC's fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#)

To access our General Protocol, covering our scheme organisation and operation, test materials, reporting of results, data analysis/performance assessment and information provided to participants, please click on the following link: [GENERAL PROTOCOL – PT Schemes](#)

## YOUR DETAILS

Returning customers, if you would like to keep your contact/address details as per previous year, please tick here:

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If changes are required or you are a new customer, please complete your details below:

Send Test Materials to:	Send Invoices to:
Contact name: <input type="text"/>	Contact name: <input type="text"/>
Department: <input type="text"/>	Department: <input type="text"/>
Company: <input type="text"/>	Company: <input type="text"/>
Address: <input type="text"/>	Address: <input type="text"/>
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County: <input type="text"/>	County: <input type="text"/>
Post/Zip Code: <input type="text"/>	Post/Zip Code: <input type="text"/>
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Tel: <input type="text"/>	Tel: <input type="text"/>
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### Existing customers

If you would like to change your marketing preferences, please visit our [preference centre](#) or contact [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

### New customers

LGC would like to contact you by email, phone or post about its products, services and related areas or research. LGC does not sell contact details to external parties. You may unsubscribe at any time.

- ☐ Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research
- ☐ No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

**All customers:** Customers who order microbiological samples must also complete and sign our [Customer Declaration on the Purchase of Microbiological Materials](#) and send it to [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com).

**German customers only:** Customers who do not fall under an exception under §45 or §52 IfSG must also submit a copy of their valid access permit according to §44 IfSG.

By sending in this application form, you are agreeing to comply by [LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services](#) and are agreeing that you have read and agree to the 'General Notes' at the end of this document.

Name

Date

## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Samples purchased per order	Volume Discount
1-5	0.0%
6-9	10.0%
10-19	17.0%
20-29	27.0%
30-49	30.0%
50+	33.0%

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced a new sample as follows:

- PT-MC-55 Indicator organisms in nuts. This sample is available in round MC349 (May 2025)

We have changed the format of the following samples to a ready-to-test format:

- PT-MC-40 Detection of Salmonella species in pooled sample: 375g skimmed milk powder will now be provided
- PT-MC-43 Detection of Cronobacter species: 375g skimmed milk powder will now be provided
- PT-MC-47 Detection of Listeria species: 125g skimmed milk powder will now be provided

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other Food and Feed schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on [our Food and Feed schemes webpage](#).

We also have a sample which may be of interest to you PT-CH-68 (Staph enterotoxins). Further information can be found on our [PT-CH-68 web page](#).

## GENERAL NOTES

Please note:

- All prices stated are exclusive of VAT and carriage charges.
- VAT (charged at the prevailing rate) is payable by all participants based in the European Union if a VAT Registration Number is not provided.
- Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges (where not specified previously in the application form).
- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.



- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).
- Surplus PT samples (Quality Control Material) are available; please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for further information.
- By submitting this application form, you are agreeing to comply by [LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services](#).

### LGC AXIO PT FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY

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Customer	
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Quotation	
Co-ordinator	
Case Number	
Case Email Address	
Contact Name	
Template Name	
Additional	

The Alcoholic Drinks (DAPS) proficiency testing scheme includes samples in alcoholic beverages. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

Returning customer Lab  
ID:

Purchase order no.:  
(compulsory)

### YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	DP120	27 Jan 2025	03 Mar 2025	A1, A2, B1, B2-A, B3-A, B4, C1, D1, D2, E1, E2
APR	DP121	14 Apr 2025	19 May 2025	A1, A2, B1, B2-B, B3-B, B4, B5, C1, D1, D2, E1, E2, E3
JUL	DP122	28 Jul 2025	01 Sep 2025	A1, A2, B1, B2-C, B3-C, B4, C1, D1, D2, E1, E2
OCT	DP123	13 Oct 2025	17 Nov 2025	A1, A2, B1, B2-D, B3-B, B4, B5, C1, D1, D2, E1, E2, E3

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

Samples Available			Round and Month (DP)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	All Rounds	JAN 120	APR 121	JUL 122	OCT 123
PT-DP-A1 Fermented Wort	500mL	Fermented Wort (fermented wash)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DP-A2 Simulated Wort	250mL	Simulated Wort	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DP-B1 Scotch Whisky	300mL	Commercially available Scotch Whisky (Round DP121 is peated whisky)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DP-B2-A Bourbon	300mL	Bourbon	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DP-B2-B Dark Rum	300mL	Dark Rum	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DP-B2-C Brandy	300mL	Brandy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DP-B2-D Irish Whiskey	300mL	Irish Whiskey	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DP-B3-A Gin	300mL	Gin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Samples Available			Round and Month (DP)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	All Rounds	JAN 120	APR 121	JUL 122	OCT 123
PT-DP-B3-B Vodka	300mL	Vodka	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-B3-C White Rum	300mL	White Rum	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-B4 Simulated Spirit	250mL	Simulated Spirit	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-B5 Esters	100mL	Non chill filtered whisky	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-C1 Ciders	2 bottles or cans	Commercially available cider	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-D1 White/ Rosé wine	500mL	Commercially available White or Rosé wine. Participants should ensure that they analyse the samples for sulfur dioxide within three days of sample receipt.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-D2 Red wine	500mL	Commercially available Red wine. Participants should ensure that they analyse the samples for sulfur dioxide within three days of sample receipt.	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-E1 Fruit Flavoured Drink (ABV<10%)	2 bottles or cans	Commercially available 'ready to drink' beverages (provided in original packaging)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-E2 Liqueur (ABV 20-40%)	300mL	Commercially available liqueur	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-DP-E3 Cream Liqueur	300mL	Commercially available cream liqueur	<input type="checkbox"/>				

†Please note that a volume discount may apply to this price, depending on the number of Alcoholic Drinks (DAPS) PT Scheme samples purchased. For further details, please see the Volume Quantity Discount section.

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- ☐ Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research
- ☐ No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

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Name

Date

## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Samples purchased per annum	Discount
1-4	0.0%
5-8	5.0%
9-12	10.0%
13-17	15.0%
18-21	20.0%
22-30	25.0%
31+	40.0%

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

There have been no technical changes to the 2025 scheme year.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other Beverage schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Beverage schemes webpage](#).

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- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).



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Case Email Address	
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Additional	

The Brewing Analytes (BAPS) proficiency testing scheme includes a large number of chemical, microbiological and sensory samples in beers. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

Returning customer Lab  
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Purchase order no.:  
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### YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Chemistry				
Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	BA391	13 Jan 2025	17 Feb 2025	1L, 2L, O3, O5
FEB	BA393	10 Feb 2025	17 Mar 2025	1B, 1L, 2L, O3, O5, 7A, O9, 10
MAR	BA394	17 Mar 2025	22 Apr 2025	1L, 2L, O3, O5, 11
APR	BA396	14 Apr 2025	19 May 2025	1L, 2L, O3, O5, 7B, O8, O9
MAY	BA397	19 May 2025	23 Jun 2025	1B, 1L, 2L, O3, O5
JUN	BA399	16 Jun 2025	21 Jul 2025	1L, 2L, O3, O5
JUL	BA400	14 Jul 2025	18 Aug 2025	1L, 2L, O3, O5
AUG	BA402	11 Aug 2025	15 Sep 2025	1B, 1L, 2L, O3, O5, O9
SEP	BA403	15 Sep 2025	20 Oct 2025	1L, 2L, O3, O5
OCT	BA405	13 Oct 2025	17 Nov 2025	1L, 2L, O3, O5, 7A, O8, O9
NOV	BA406	10 Nov 2025	15 Dec 2025	1B, 1L, 2L, O3, O5
DEC	BA408	08 Dec 2025	26 Jan 2026	1L, 2L, O3, O5, 7B

Microbiology				
Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	BA392	27 Jan 2025	03 Mar 2025	O4
MAR	BA395	24 Mar 2025	28 Apr 2025	O4
MAY	BA398	27 May 2025	30 Jun 2025	O4
JUL	BA401	28 Jul 2025	01 Sep 2025	O4
SEP	BA404	22 Sep 2025	27 Oct 2025	O4
NOV	BA407	24 Nov 2025	12 Jan 2026	O4

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

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### SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

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### CHEMISTRY

Samples Available				Round and Month (BA)																							
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 391	JAN 392	FEB 393	MAR 394	MAR 395	APR 396	MAY 397	MAY 398	JUN 399	JUL 400	JUL 401	AUG 402	SEP 403	SEP 404	OCT 405	NOV 406	NOV 407	DEC 408					
PT-BA-01B	4 x cans/bottles 440ml or greater	Ale (bitter)	Chemical analysis of a range of key brewing analytes that are routinely analysed in the brewing industry	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-BA-01L	4 x cans/bottles 440ml or greater	Lager	Chemical analysis of a range of key brewing analytes that are routinely analysed in the brewing industry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-BA-02L	4 x cans/bottles 440ml or greater	Lager	Chemical analysis of a range of additional analytes that complement those provided by sample 1L/B.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-BA-03	1 x can/bottle 330ml or greater	High colour ale: BA391; BA393; BA396; BA397; BA400; BA402; BA405; BA406 High bitter ale: BA394; BA399; BA403; BA408	Chemical analysis (ABV; Bitterness; Colour; Iso-α-acids; Tetra iso-α-acids; Free Diacetyl; Total Diacetyl; Free 2,3-Pentanedione; Total VDK)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>					

Samples Available				Round and Month (BA)																							
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 391	JAN 392	FEB 393	MAR 394	MAR 395	APR 396	MAY 397	MAY 398	JUN 399	JUL 400	JUL 401	AUG 402	SEP 403	SEP 404	OCT 405	NOV 406	NOV 407	DEC 408					
PT-BA-05	4 x cans/bottles 330ml or greater	Lager or ale	Evaluation of aroma and taste characteristics by sensory panels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>																						
PT-BA-07A	2 x cans/bottles 330mL or greater	Alcohol free beer	Chemical analysis (ABV; Apparent gravity; Bitterness; Colour; pH)	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-BA-07B	2 x cans/bottles 330mL or greater	Low alcohol beer	Chemical analysis (ABV; Apparent gravity; Bitterness; Colour; pH)	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-BA-08. *	2 x cans/bottles 330ml or greater	Beer	Low level gluten beer for Chemical Analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-BA-09 *	8 x cans/bottles 440ml or greater	Stout	Alcohol by Volume; Original Gravity; Original Extract; Apparent Gravity; Present Gravity; Attenuation Limit; Remainder; Acidity; Bitterness; Colour; pH; Carbon Dioxide; Total Diacetyl; Total VDK; Turbidity; Foam stability (HRV)	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-BA-10 * <b>NEW</b>	50ml	Beer	Bisphenol A	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-BA-11 * <b>NEW</b>	50ml	Beer	Perfluorobutanoic acid (PFBA); Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA); Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA); Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA); Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA); Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA); Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS); Perfluoroheptane sulfonic acid (PFHpS); Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS); GenX (HFPO-DA); NaDONA; 11CI-PF3ONS; 9CI-PF3ONS	<input type="checkbox"/>																							

\*Please note that this sample is not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation.

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## MICROBIOLOGY

Samples Available				Round and Month (BA)																							
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 391	JAN 392	FEB 393	MAR 394	MAR 395	APR 396	MAY 397	MAY 398	JUN 399	JUL 400	JUL 401	AUG 402	SEP 403	SEP 404	OCT 405	NOV 406	NOV 407	DEC 408					
PT-BA-04	2 x 10ml	Lyophilised test materials (one low-level and one high-level)	Total aerobic microbial count; Total anaerobic microbial count; Total aerobic bacterial count; Identity of Organism; Enumeration of wild yeast; lactic acid bacteria	<div></div>		<div></div>			<div></div>			<div></div>			<div></div>			<div></div>			<div></div>						

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**All customers:** Customers who order microbiological samples must also complete and sign our [Customer Declaration on the Purchase of Microbiological Materials](#) and send it to [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com).

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## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Sample reference	%Discount for taking all rounds
PT-BA-01L	40%
PT-BA-02L	40%
PT-BA-01B**	N/A
PT-BA-03	40%
PT-BA-04	20%
PT-BA-05	40%
Other samples	N/A

\*\*Please note that 12 rounds of lager and ale (bitter) combined will also be eligible for the 40% discount, e.g. all 4 rounds of ale (bitter) plus 8 rounds of lager or 2 rounds of ale (bitter) plus 10 rounds of lager.

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat/Duplicate samples	Price per sample
PT-BA-01L, 01B, 04 and 05	These samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.
PT-BA-02L, 03, 07A, 07B, 08, 09, 10 and 11	Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced new samples as follows:

- Sample PT-BA-10 (Bisphenol A in beer). This will be available in round BA393 (February 2025).
- Sample PT-BA-11 (PFAS in beer). This will be available in round BA394 (March 2025).

The frequency of sample PT-BA-09 (Stout ale for Chemical Analysis) has been reduced from 6 rounds to 4 rounds.

We have changed the quantity of sample provided for the following samples:

- PT-BA-05 Lager/Ale (Bitter) for Sensory Analysis: sample size decreased from 440ml to 330ml (4 cans/bottles provided)
- PT-BA-07A Alcohol free for Chemical Analysis: decreased from 500ml to 330ml (2 cans/bottles provided)
- PT-BA-07B Low alcohol beer for Chemical Analysis: decreased from 500ml to 330ml (2 cans/bottles provided)
- PT-BA-09 Stout ale for Chemical Analysis: increased from 4 cans to 8 cans (cans/bottles of 440ml or greater)

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The Malt Analytes (MAPS) proficiency testing scheme includes samples for the analysis of malt. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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## YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	MP337	06 Jan 2025	10 Feb 2025	01, 02, 05
FEB	MP338	03 Feb 2025	10 Mar 2025	01, 02, 04A
MAR	MP339	03 Mar 2025	07 Apr 2025	01, 02, 03
MAR	MP340	31 Mar 2025	06 May 2025	01, 02, 06
APR	MP341	28 Apr 2025	02 Jun 2025	01, 02
JUN	MP342	02 Jun 2025	07 Jul 2025	01, 02, 03, 04B, 07
JUN	MP343	30 Jun 2025	04 Aug 2025	01, 02, 05
AUG	MP344	04 Aug 2025	08 Sep 2025	01, 02, 04A
SEP	MP345	01 Sep 2025	06 Oct 2025	01, 02, 03, 06
OCT	MP346	06 Oct 2025	10 Nov 2025	01, 02
NOV	MP347	10 Nov 2025	15 Dec 2025	01, 02, 04B
DEC	MP348	08 Dec 2025	26 Jan 2026	01, 02, 03, 07

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

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Samples Available				Round and Month (MP)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 337	FEB 338	MAR 339	MAR 340	APR 341	JUN 342	JUN 343	AUG 344	SEP 345	OCT 346	NOV 347	DEC 348
PT-MP-01	2 x 1000ml	Malt	Brewers and Distiller malt for chemical analysis (Rounds MP340 and MP346 are peated malt)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MP-02	1 x 1000ml	Barley	Barley for chemical analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MP-03	2 x 100g	Malt flour (sample and blank)^	Malt flour for mycotoxin analysis (Ochratoxin A; Deoxynivalenol)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-MP-04A	1 x 300ml	Black malt	Black malt for chemical analysis (Moisture; Colour)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>
PT-MP-04B	1 x 300ml	Crystal malt	Crystal malt for chemical analysis (Moisture; Colour; Degrees of crystallisation; Dry matter extract <b>NEW</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>
PT-MP-05	1 x 200g	Flour based matrix	Malt flour for NDMA analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>
PT-MP-06	1 x 1000ml	Malt	High diastatic power malt for chemical analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>

Samples Available				Round and Month (MP)												
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 337	FEB 338	MAR 339	MAR 340	APR 341	JUN 342	JUN 343	AUG 344	SEP 345	OCT 346	NOV 347	DEC 348
PT-MP-07 *	1 x 1000ml	Malted wheat	Malted wheat for chemical analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>

\*Please note that this sample is not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation.

^Blank material supplied as a quality control material only (results are not required to be returned for this material).

†Please note that a volume discount may apply to this price, depending on the number of Malt Analytes (MAPS) PT Scheme samples purchased. For further details, please see the Volume Quantity Discount section.

Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC's fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#)

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## YOUR DETAILS

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- ☐ Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research
- ☐ No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

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Name

Date

## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Sample Reference	% Discount for taking all available rounds
01	40.0%
02	40.0%

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have added the analyte 'Dry matter extract' to sample PT-MP-04B (Specialised malt for chemical analysis)

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other Beverage schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Beverage schemes webpage](#).

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- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).
- Surplus PT samples (Quality Control Material) are available; please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for further information.
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The Soft Drinks/Fruit Juice (QBS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and microbiological samples in juices and soft drinks. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

Returning customer Lab  
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Purchase order no.:  
(compulsory)

## YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
FEB BV346	17 Feb 2025	24 Mar 2025	510,514,515,516,517,521,524,529,530	500,501
MAY BV349	19 May 2025	23 Jun 2025	510,514,515,516,517,518,522,527	500,501,505,506,507
AUG BV352	11 Aug 2025	15 Sep 2025	510,514,515,516,517,524,528,529,530	500,501
NOV BV355	24 Nov 2025	12 Jan 2026	510,514,515,516,517,519,520,531	500,501,505

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

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### MICROBIOLOGY

Samples Available					Round and Month (BV)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Price per sample & round	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAY 349	AUG 352	NOV 355
PT-BV-500 Fruit Juice	Vial + 90ml simulated fruit juice + 10ml primary diluent	Simulated Fruit Juice	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Lactic acid bacteria; Total acidophilic flora; Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i>	€256	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-501 Soft Drink	Vial + 90ml simulated soft drink + 10ml primary diluent	Simulated soft drink	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Lactic acid bacteria; Total acidophilic flora; Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i>	€256	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-505 Filtration	Vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 1 litre	Lyophilised test material (Diluent not provided)	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Lactic acid bacteria; Total acidophilic flora; Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i>	€256	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-506 Filtration	Vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 1 litre	Lyophilised test material (Diluent not provided)	Enumeration of Thermophilic acidophilic bacteria ( <i>Alicyclobacillus</i> spp); Detection of Guaiacol producing thermophilic acidophilic bacteria	€276	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

Samples Available					Round and Month (BV)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Price per sample & round	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAY 349	AUG 352	NOV 355
PT-BV-507 Fruit Juice	Vial + 100ml simulated fruit juice	Simulated fruit juice	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Escherichia coli</i> O157	€256	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

### CHEMISTRY

Samples Available					Round and Month (BV)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Price per sample & round	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAY 349	AUG 352	NOV 355
PT-BV-510 Fruit Juice	125ml	BV346: Orange BV349: Apple BV352: Grape BV355: Blueberry	Brix; Acidity (as Citric Acid Monohydrate); pH; Fructose; Glucose; Calcium; Phosphorus; Potassium; Magnesium; Sodium	€324	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-514 Vitamin C	100ml	Liquid test material	Ascorbic Acid (Vitamin C)	€245	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-515 Soft Drink	2 x 330ml	Carbonated soft drink	Brix; Acidity (as Citric Acid Monohydrate); pH; Carbon Dioxide; Fructose; Glucose; Sucrose	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-516 Simulated soft drink (degassed)	2 x 250ml	Simulated soft drink (degassed)	Sample A: Benzoic Acid; Caffeine; Sulfur Dioxide (Total); Sorbic Acid (as free acid); Phosphoric Acid Sample B: Acesulfame K; Aspartame; Cyclamic acid (as free acid); Saccharin (as free imide); Sucralose	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Samples Available					Round and Month (BV)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Price per sample & round	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAY 349	AUG 352	NOV 355
PT-BV-517 Soft Drink dilutable/ ready to drink	2 x 250ml	BV346: Dilutable drink BV349: Ready to drink BV352: Dilutable drink BV355: Ready to drink	Sample A: Acidity (as Citric Acid Monohydrate); Benzoic Acid; Brix; Caffeine; Sulfur Dioxide (Total); pH; Sorbic Acid (as free acid) Sample B: Acesulfame K; Aspartame; Cyclamic acid (as free acid); Fructose; Glucose; Saccharin (as free imide); Sucrose; Sucralose	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-518 Fruit Juice	100ml	Orange juice test material	Antimony; Arsenic; Cadmium; Iron; Lead; Tin; Zinc	€435	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-BV-519 Soft Drink	100ml	Soft drink test material	Antimony; Arsenic; Cadmium; Iron; Lead; Tin; Zinc; Calcium; Phosphorus; Potassium; Magnesium; Sodium; Aluminium#; Manganese#; Copper#; Selenium#	€435	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-520 Fruit Juice	60ml	Clear apple juice test material	Patulin (corrected for recovery)	€324	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-BV-521 Soft Drink	250ml	Soft drink test material	Nicotinamide (Vitamin B3); Pantothenic acid (Vitamin B5); Pyridoxine (Vitamin B6); Cyanocobalamin (Vitamin B12); Ascorbic acid (Vitamin C); DL- $\alpha$ -Tocopherol (Vitamin E); Riboflavin (Vitamin B2)#	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-BV-522 Soft Drink	125ml	Soft drink test material	Total steviol glycosides; Rebaudioside A	€245	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-BV-524 * Carbonated Water	2 x 500ml	Carbonated water test material	Carbon dioxide; Conductivity (20°); pH; Calcium; Magnesium; Potassium; Sodium; Bicarbonate; Chloride; Total Dissolved solids	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-BV-527 * Ready to drink beverage	250ml	Ready to drink beverage	Vitamin E; Vitamin A	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

Samples Available					Round and Month (BV)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Price per sample & round	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAY 349	AUG 352	NOV 355
PT-BV-528 * Tea beverage	100ml	Kombucha tea	Total polyphenols; pH <b>NEW</b> ; Electrical conductivity <b>NEW</b> ; Brix <b>NEW</b>	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-BV-529 * Beverage <b>NEW</b>	50ml	Beverage test material	Quinine	€391	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-BV-530 * Fruit concentrate <b>NEW</b>	100ml	Fruit concentrate	Brix; Acidity (expressed as citric acid monohydrate); pH	€313	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-BV-531 * Beverage <b>NEW</b>	50ml	Beverage	Colour L; Colour a; Colour b	€205	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>

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## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced new samples as follows:

- PT-BV-529 Quinine in beverage. This sample is available in rounds BV346 (February 2025) and BV352 (August 2025).
- PT-BV-530 Analysis of fruit concentrate. This sample is available in rounds BV346 (February 2025) and BV352 (August 2025).
- PT-BV-531 Colour of beverages. This sample is available in round BV355 (November 2025).

Sample PT-BV-528 has now been updated to cover Tea beverage physicochemical testing. This sample was previously for the analysis of Polyphenols in tea beverage, but we have now added analytes pH, Electrical conductivity and Brix, and confirmed the matrix will be kombucha tea.

We have changed the frequency of the following samples:

- PT-BV-514 (Vitamin C) has been increased from 2 rounds to 4 rounds
- PT-BV-524 (Carbonated water) has been decreased from 4 rounds to 2 rounds

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the following samples:

- PT-BV-525 Nutritional Analysis of Smoothies
- PT-BV-526 Nutritional Analysis of Energy Drinks

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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Co-ordinator	
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Case Email Address	
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The Sugar (SUPS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and microbiological samples in sugar. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
JAN PC272	13 Jan 2025	17 Feb 2025	01,10	
JAN PC273	13 Jan 2025	17 Mar 2025	01,03,04	
JAN PC274	13 Jan 2025	14 Apr 2025	01	
MAR SM274	24 Mar 2025	28 Apr 2025		06,08
APR PC275	07 Apr 2025	12 May 2025	01,02,05	
APR PC276	07 Apr 2025	09 Jun 2025	01,03,04	
APR PC277	07 Apr 2025	07 Jul 2025	01,07	
JUL PC278	07 Jul 2025	11 Aug 2025	01,10	
JUL PC279	07 Jul 2025	08 Sep 2025	01,03,04	
JUL PC280	07 Jul 2025	06 Oct 2025	01	
SEP SM280	15 Sep 2025	20 Oct 2025		06,08
OCT PC281	27 Oct 2025	01 Dec 2025	01,02,05	
OCT PC282	27 Oct 2025	05 Jan 2026	01,03,04	
OCT PC283	27 Oct 2025	02 Feb 2026	01,07	

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

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### CHEMISTRY

Samples Available				Round and Month (PC)															
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 272	JAN 273	JAN 274	MAR 274	APR 275	APR 276	APR 277	JUL 278	JUL 279	JUL 280	SEP 280	OCT 281	OCT 282	OCT 283	
PT-PC-01	330ml	Pot of cane/beet sugar	Colour; Turbidity; Ash; Reflectance grade	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-PC-02	200g	Pot of cane/beet sugar	Arsenic; Lead; Copper; Iron; Cadmium#; Mercury#	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-PC-03	300ml	Pot of cane/beet sugar	Sulfur dioxide; Reducing sugars; Polarisation	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-PC-04	500ml	Pot of cane/beet sugar	Sediment (insoluble)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-PC-05	200g of molasses	PC275: Cane PC281: Beet	Sucrose; Reducing sugars; pH; Dry substance; Sulfated ash; Fermentable sugars#; Colour#; Total sugar as invert sugar (TSAI); Total sugar as reducing sugar (TSRS)	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-PC-07	500g	Raw sugar	Ash; Colour; Dextran; Moisture; Polarisation; Reducing sugars; Starch	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>	

Samples Available				Round and Month (PC)														
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 272	JAN 273	JAN 274	MAR 274	APR 275	APR 276	APR 277	JUL 278	JUL 279	JUL 280	SEP 280	OCT 281	OCT 282	OCT 283
PT-PC-10 *	75g	Cane or beet sugar	Moisture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>						

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†Please note that a volume discount may apply to this price, depending on the number of Sugar (SUPS) PT Scheme samples purchased. For further details, please see the Volume Quantity Discount section.

## MICROBIOLOGY

Samples Available				Round and Month (PC)															
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 272	JAN 273	JAN 274	MAR 274	APR 275	APR 276	APR 277	JUL 278	JUL 279	JUL 280	SEP 280	OCT 281	OCT 282	OCT 283	
PT-SM-06	10ml vial	Lyophilised material	Total aerobic mesophilic count Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Osmophilic yeast; Osmophilic mould	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-SM-08	10ml vial	Lyophilised material	Enumeration of Thermophilic acidophilic bacteria ( <i>Alicyclobacillus</i> spp) Detection of Guaiacol producing thermophilic acidophilic bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>				

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- ☐ Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research
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Date

## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Sample reference	%Discount for taking all rounds
PT-PC-01	10%
PT-PC-02	N/A
PT-PC-03	10%
PT-PC-04	10%

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

There have been no technical changes to the 2025 scheme year.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other Beverage schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Beverage schemes webpage](#).

We also have a sample which may be of interest to you PT-FC-817 (Nutritional analysis of jam or marmalade). Further information can be found on our [PT-FC-817web page](#).

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- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).
- Surplus PT samples (Quality Control Material) are available; please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for further information.

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Additional	



The Air & Stack Emissions (AIR) proficiency testing scheme includes a number of sample for workplace air, ambient air and emissions. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

Returning customer Lab  
ID:

Purchase order no.:  
(compulsory)

## YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages. If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	AR068	13 Jan 2025	17 Feb 2025	01, 1A, 05, 06, 07, 08, 11, 12, 12A, 14, 18, 21, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38
APR	AR069	28 Apr 2025	02 Jun 2025	01, 1B, 1C, 2X, 2F, 2I, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 11, 12, 13, 22, 31, 33, 34, 35, 38, 39
JUN	AR070	16 Jun 2025	06 Oct 2025	03, 04, 17, 40
JUL	AR071	28 Jul 2025	01 Sep 2025	01, 1A, 1B, 2X, 2F, 2I, 05, 06, 07, 08, 10B, 11, 12, 12A, 14, 18, 21, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38
OCT	AR072	27 Oct 2025	01 Dec 2025	01, 1B, 1C, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10A, 11, 12, 13, 16, 22, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39
NOV	AR073	17 Nov 2025	16 Mar 2026	03, 04, 17, 40

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay. The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

Samples PT-AR-06 and PT-AR-18 are subject to UK export control and as such, we require a licence to ship. Please ensure your order is placed 6 weeks prior to the despatch date to allow sufficient time to apply for a license. LGC will contact you with further information once the order is placed.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

Workplace Air			Round and Month (AR)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 068	APR 069	JUN 070	JUL 071	OCT 072	NOV 073
PT-AR-01 Metals	4 x spiked membrane filters 25mm Ø	Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Manganese#; Nickel; Lead; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-01-A * Metals	4 x spiked cassette capsules 37mm Ø	Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Manganese; Nickel; Lead; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-01-B * Metals	4 x spiked membrane filters 37mm Ø	Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Manganese; Nickel; Lead; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-01-C * Metals	4 x spiked Zefon DIS filter inserts 25mm Ø	Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Manganese; Nickel; Lead; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-02 (2X) Direct Measurement of Quartz by XRD	3 x dynamically loaded PVC GLA5000 filters 25mm Ø	Respirable grade quartz by XRD (by direct analysis of filters supplied)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-02-FTIR (2F) Direct Measurement of Quartz by FTIR	3 x dynamically loaded PVC GLA5000 filters 25mm Ø	Respirable grade quartz by FTIR (by direct analysis of filters supplied)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-02I (2I) Indirect Measurement of Quartz by XRD or FTIR	3 x dynamically loaded PVC GLA5000 filters 25mm Ø	Respirable grade quartz by either XRD or FTIR (by indirect analysis, i.e. by ashing and redeposition onto analytical filter or by KBr disc)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Workplace Air			Round and Month (AR)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 068	APR 069	JUN 070	JUL 071	OCT 072	NOV 073
PT-AR-03 Dust	4 x spiked glass fibre filters 25mm Ø ^	Dust by gravimetry (mass of solids)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-04 Dust	4 x spiked glass fibre filters 37mm Ø ^	Dust by gravimetry (mass of solids)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-05 VOCs	4 x dynamically loaded charcoal sorbent tubes (workplace air levels)	Benzene; Toluene; Xylene; Ethyl benzene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-06 VOCs	4 x dynamically loaded charcoal sorbent tubes (workplace air levels)	1,1,1-Trichloroethane; n-Hexane; n-Butyl acetate; Tetrachloroethene; Trichloroethylene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-07 VOCs	4 x spiked Tenax thermal desorption tubes (workplace air levels)	Benzene; Toluene; Xylene; Ethyl benzene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-08 Aldehydes	4 x spiked glass fibre filters 25mm Ø	Formaldehyde; Acetaldehyde	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-09 Cr (VI)	4 x spiked NaOH treated Millipore PVDF filters 25mm Ø	Chromium (VI)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-10A * Metals	1 x bulk welding fume sample	Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Manganese; Nickel; Zinc. One or more of the listed elements will be included in each round.	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-10B * Lead	1 x bulk lead-containing dust sample	Lead	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AR-16 * Diesel fume	4 x dynamically loaded quartz fibre filters 25mm Ø	Elemental carbon	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

Workplace Air			Round and Month (AR)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 068	APR 069	JUN 070	JUL 071	OCT 072	NOV 073
PT-AR-18 * Beryllium	4 x spiked mixed cellulose ester filter 37mm Ø	Beryllium	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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†20% discount available when purchasing all rounds per sample (for samples with more than one round available).

Ambient Air			Round and Month (AR)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 068	APR 069	JUN 070	JUL 071	OCT 072	NOV 073
PT-AR-11 NO2	4 x dynamically loaded Palmes type diffusion tubes	Nitrogen dioxide (as nitrite)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-12 VOCs	4 x dynamically loaded Tenax thermal desorption tubes (ambient air levels)	Benzene; Toluene; Xylene; Ethyl benzene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-12A. * VOCs	4 x dynamically loaded Carbopack thermal desorption tubes (ambient air levels)	Benzene; Toluene; Xylene; Ethyl benzene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-13 * Metals	4 x spiked quartz fibre filters 47mm Ø	Antimony; Arsenic, Cadmium; Nickel; Lead	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-14 Anions on filters	4 x spiked quartz fibre filters 47mm Ø	Chloride; Nitrate, Sulfate; Phosphate <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AR-17 * Dust	4 x spiked quartz fibre filters 47mm Ø ^	Dust by gravimetry (mass of solids)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Indoor/Chamber Air			Round and Month (AR)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 068	APR 069	JUN 070	JUL 071	OCT 072	NOV 073
PT-AR-21 VOCs (Material Emission Testing)	4 x dynamically loaded Tenax thermal desorption tubes at chamber air levels	Benzene; n-Hexane; Toluene; Butyl acetate; MIBK; p-Xylene; Diacetyl#; Phenol; 124-TMB; Limonene; 4-PCH; Dodecane; Styrene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AR-22 VOCs (Qualitative determination)	2 x dynamically loaded Tenax thermal desorption tubes at chamber air levels	Qualitative determination of VOCs including alcohol, aliphatic, aromatic, ester, halocarbon and terpene compounds. See Appendix B in the AIR PT Scheme Description for compound listing for sample 22.	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Stack Emissions			Round and Month (AR)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 068	APR 069	JUN 070	JUL 071	OCT 072	NOV 073
PT-AR-31 Mercury	1 x potassium permanganate & sulfuric acid impinger solution containing mercury	Volume; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-32 Mercury	1 x potassium dichromate & nitric acid impinger solution containing mercury	Volume; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AR-33 Metals	1 x nitric acid impinger solution containing up to 6 trace metals	AR068 – Volume, Sb, Cd, Co, Mn, Se#, V AR069 – Volume, As, Cr, Cu, Pb, Ni, Tl AR071 – Volume, Sb, Cd, Co, Mn, Se#, V AR072 – Volume, As, Cr, Cu, Pb, Ni, Tl	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-34 Sulfur dioxide	1 x hydrogen peroxide impinger solution containing SO <sub>2</sub>	Volume; Sulfur dioxide	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	

Stack Emissions			Round and Month (AR)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 068	APR 069	JUN 070	JUL 071	OCT 072	NOV 073
PT-AR-35 Hydrogen fluoride	1 x sodium hydroxide impinger solution containing HF	Volume; Hydrogen fluoride	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-36 Hydrogen chloride	1 x aqueous impinger solution containing hydrogen chloride	Volume; Hydrogen chloride	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-37 Ammonia	1 x sulfuric acid impinger solution containing ammonia	Volume; Ammonia	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-38 * Metals	1 x quartz filter spiked with up to 6 trace elements and fly ash 47mm Ø	ARO68 – As, Cr, Cu, Pb, Ni, V ARO69 – Sb, Cd, Co, Mn, Se, Tl ARO71 – As, Cr, Cu, Pb, Ni, Tl ARO72 – Sb, Cd, Co, Mn, Se, V	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-39 * Dust analysis (solution)	1 x rinsing solution containing dissolved and suspended solids	Total solids	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AR-40 Dust analysis (filter)	4 x spiked quartz filters 47mm Ø ^	Dust analysis (mass of solids)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>

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†20% discount available when purchasing all rounds per sample (for samples with more than one round available).

## **Dust Filter Samples (3, 4, 17 and 40) Distribution Schedule**

For the dust filter samples (3, 4, 17 and 40), filters are despatched to participants in order for them to weigh. Participants then ship the filters back to LGC AXIO PT (Bury, UK) for spiking. LGC AXIO PT re-send the spiked filters back to the participants for reweighing who then report the results (initial value; reweighing value; calculated difference) to LGC AXIO PT via PORTAL for assessment. Dust filter sample specific dates:

Round	Despatch Date (week commencing)	Filters required back at LGC by	Filters re-despatch date (week commencing)	Reporting Deadline
AR064	16 Jun 2025	21 Jul 2025	26 Aug 2025	06 Oct 2025
AR067	17 Nov 2025	05 Jan 2026	09 Feb 2026	16 Mar 2026

Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC's fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#).

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- ☐ No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

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Name

Date

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat/Duplicate samples	Price per sample
7, 12, 12A, 21 and 22	Full Price
3, 4, 17 and 40	Repeat samples are not available for the dust filters. Additional samples can be purchased at full price.
1, 1A, 1B, 1C, 2X, 2F, 2I, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10A, 10B, 11, 13, 14, 16, 18, 31-39	These samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have increased the frequency of the below samples from 2 to 3 rounds per year:

- PT-AR-36 (HCl (hydrogen chloride and hydrochloric acid))
- PT-AR-37 (Ammonia)

We have added the analyte Phosphate to sample PT-AR-14 (Anions on filters).

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other Water and Environment schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Water and Environment schemes web page](#).

We also have a sample which may be of interest to you PT-HY-09 (TVC; Yeast and Mould on air filter). Further information can be found on our [PT-HY-09 web page](#).

## GENERAL NOTES

Please note:

- This scheme is managed and operated by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing and is supported through technical advice from HSE. LGC is the accredited PT provider of this scheme.
- Thermal desorption tubes used in samples 7, 12, 12A, 21 and 22 are the Perkin Elmer type (6.4mm OD, 5mm ID and 90mm long).
- Thermal desorption tubes must be returned at the participant's cost to LGC proficiency testing within 2 months after receipt (including additional or repeat samples). Failure to do so will result in an additional charge of £270 per sample set being made to replace the tubes.
- When returning thermal desorption tubes, please label the parcels with the supplied label "Returned Sample tubes for laboratory proficiency testing – no commercial value" and declare a "nominal value of £1 / \$1 / €1". Failure to do so could result in any incurred excise / importation fee being passed onto the participant.
- All prices stated are exclusive of VAT and carriage charges.
- VAT (charged at the prevailing rate) is payable by all participants based in the UK.
- Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges (where not specified previously in the application form).
- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.

- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).
- Enrolment in AIR PT for samples 7, 8 and 12 only for those laboratories joining via AIHA Industrial Hygiene Proficiency Analytical Testing (IHPAT) program requires agreement on behalf of these participants that the results report shall be released to AIHA Laboratory Accreditation Programs (AIHA-LAP) for accreditation purposes.
- Enrolment in AIR PT by UK laboratories for sample 11 (does not apply to other samples) requires agreement on behalf of these participants that summary performance shall be released to the UK Department, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) and subsequently published on the DEFRA Local Air Quality Management (AQM) website. Please note that this summary information published on the website lists those UK laboratories participating in the AIR PT for sample 11, and provides a percentage of satisfactory performance scores achieved in recent rounds. Participant lab numbers or actual performance scores remain strictly confidential and are not disclosed to DEFRA.
- Surplus PT samples (Quality Control Material) are available; please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for further information.
- By submitting this application form, you are agreeing to comply by [LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services](#) and the AIR PT scheme specific requirements noted above.

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The Water & Environmental Chemistry (AQUACHECK) Proficiency Testing scheme includes a large number of chemical samples in water, soil and sludge. The following form contains the calendar of rounds and then the description of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
**Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)**

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If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

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### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Other	Potable	Surface and Groundwaters	Waste Waters and Effluents
JAN AQ680	20 Jan 2025	24 Feb 2025	30,31		4G,5G,6A,6B,6C,7A,7B,7C,7D,8,8B,9,22,22A,25,26,28,33,37,52	
FEB AQ681	03 Feb 2025	10 Mar 2025	14,42		1H,1S,2A,2H,2S,3,4,5,5A,5B,5C,36,51	
FEB AQ682	17 Feb 2025	24 Mar 2025	1A,50	3B,3C	3A,44	18A,18B,18C,19A,19B,19C,19D,20,20B,21,23,24,27
MAR AQ683	10 Mar 2025	14 Apr 2025	13,16,61		71	10,11,12,12C,15,17A,17B,17C,17D,29,32
APR AQ684	22 Apr 2025	27 May 2025	30,31	72	4G,5G,6A,6B,6C,7A,7B,7C,7D,8,8B,9,22,22A,25,26,28,33,37,52	
MAY AQ685	12 May 2025	16 Jun 2025	14,59	67,73	1H,1S,2A,2H,2S,3,4,4A,5,5A,5B,5C,36,41	60
MAY AQ686	27 May 2025	30 Jun 2025	1A,50	3B,3C,74	3A,34A,34B,34C,34D,34E,53	18A,18B,18C,19A,19B,19C,19D,20,20B,21,23,24,27
JUN AQ687	09 Jun 2025	14 Jul 2025	13,16,69	1HP,1SP,2HP,2SP,70	75	10,11,12,12C,15,17A,17B,17C,17D,29,32
JUN AQ688	23 Jun 2025	28 Jul 2025	30,31	68	4G,5G,6A,6B,6C,7A,7B,7C,7D,8,8B,9,22,25,38,39,40,43	
JUL AQ689	07 Jul 2025	11 Aug 2025	14,42		1H,1S,2H,2S,3,4,5,5B,51,66	
JUL AQ690	21 Jul 2025	26 Aug 2025	1A,50	3B,3C	3A,34D,44	18A,18C,19A,19B,19C,19D,20,20B,21,23,24
AUG AQ691	11 Aug 2025	15 Sep 2025	13,16,62			10,11,12,12C,17A,17B,17C,17D,32,35
AUG AQ692	26 Aug 2025	29 Sep 2025	30,31		4G,5G,6A,6B,6C,7A,7B,7C,7D,8,8B,9,22,22A,25,26,28,33,37,57	
SEP AQ693	08 Sep 2025	13 Oct 2025	14,59		1H,1S,2A,2H,2S,3,4,4A,5,5A,5B,5C,36,41	
SEP AQ694	22 Sep 2025	27 Oct 2025	1A,50	3B,3C	3A,34D,44,56	18A,18B,18C,19A,19B,19C,19D,20,20B,21,23,24,27
OCT AQ695	06 Oct 2025	10 Nov 2025	13,16,61,69	1HP,1SP,2HP,2SP		10,11,12,12C,15,17A,17B,17C,17D,29,32,63
OCT AQ696	20 Oct 2025	24 Nov 2025	30,31		4G,5G,6A,6B,6C,7A,7B,7C,7D,8,8B,9,22,22A,25,38,39,40,43,65	
NOV AQ697	03 Nov 2025	08 Dec 2025	14	67	1H,1S,2H,2S,3,4,5,5B,41	60

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Other	Potable	Surface and Groundwaters	Waste Waters and Effluents
NOV AQ698	17 Nov 2025	22 Dec 2025	1A,50	3B,3C	3A,34F,34G,34H,34I,34J,44,58	18A,18C,19A,19B,19C,19D,20,20B,21,23,24
DEC AQ699	01 Dec 2025	19 Jan 2026	13,16,64	70		10,11,12,12C,15,17A,17B,17C,17D,32,35

\*Other: Bottled (59), Recreational (64), Marine (61, 62), Sludge (13, 16), Soils (14), Ecotoxicology (50), Radiochem (30, 31, 42)

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

Samples PT-AQ-12, PT-AQ-17C, PT-AQ-41, PT-AQ-42 and PT-AQ-65 are subject to UK export control and as such, we require a licence to ship. Please ensure your order is placed 6 weeks prior to the despatch date to allow sufficient time to apply for a license. LGC will contact you with further information once the order is placed.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details

Surface and groundwaters (Inorganic and nutrients)		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-01H Major Inorganic Components (Hard)	Calcium; Magnesium; Total Hardness; Alkalinity; Potassium; Sodium; Chloride; Sulfate; Fluoride; Conductivity (20°C); Kjeldahl Nitrogen; Total Phosphorus; Barium	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AQ-01S Major Inorganic Components (Soft)	Calcium; Magnesium; Total Hardness; Alkalinity; Potassium; Sodium; Chloride; Sulfate; Fluoride; Conductivity (20°C); Kjeldahl Nitrogen; Total Phosphorus; Barium	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-AQ-02A pH in Poorly Buffered Waters	pH at 20-25°C – Low; pH at 20-25°C – High	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>						

Surface and groundwaters (Inorganic and nutrients)		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-02H Nutrients and Others (Hard)	Total Oxidised Nitrogen (TON); Silicate; Nitrite; Ammonia; Soluble Reactive Phosphorus (PO <sub>4</sub> ); pH at 20-25°C; Conductivity (20°C); Colour; Permanganate Index (PI); Total Cyanide; Free Cyanide; Nitrate; Total Dissolved Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-02S Nutrients and Others (Soft)	Total Oxidised Nitrogen (TON); Silicate; Nitrite; Ammonia; Soluble Reactive Phosphorus (PO <sub>4</sub> ); pH at 20-25°C; Conductivity (20°C); Colour; Permanganate Index (PI); Total Cyanide; Free Cyanide; Nitrate; Total Dissolved Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-03 Non-specific Analytes	BOD (5 day); COD; Suspended Solids; Methylene Blue Active Substances (MBAS); Non-Ionic Surfactants; Dissolved Organic Carbon; Turbidity	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-03A Inorganic Disinfection By-products	Bromide; Bromate; Chlorate (low level); Chlorite (low level); Chlorate (high level); Chlorite (high level)	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-04 Metals	Iron; Manganese; Copper; Aluminium; Zinc; Silver; Barium; Boron; Strontium; Lithium	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-04A * Dissolved Metals <b>NEW</b>	Iron; Manganese; Copper; Aluminium; Zinc; Barium; Boron; Strontium; Lithium	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-04G Metals	Iron; Manganese; Copper; Aluminium; Zinc; Silver; Barium; Boron; Strontium; Lithium	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-05 Toxic Metals	Cadmium; Lead; Nickel; Selenium; Arsenic; Antimony; Mercury; Cobalt; Vanadium; Chromium; Molybdenum; Tin; Beryllium; Titanium#	<input type="checkbox"/>																				
PT-AQ-05A Metals for Hydride Generation	Arsenic; Selenium; Antimony; Tin	<input type="checkbox"/>																				



Surface and groundwaters (Inorganic and nutrients)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
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PT-AQ-05B EQS Metals	Cadmium; Copper; Total Chromium; Lead; Nickel; Zinc; Vanadium; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-AQ-05C Chromium (VI)	Chromium (VI)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>									
PT-AQ-05G Toxic Metals	Cadmium; Lead; Nickel; Selenium; Arsenic; Antimony; Mercury; Cobalt; Vanadium; Chromium; Molybdenum; Tin; Beryllium#; Titanium#; Lanthanum#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-34A * Water Framework Directive	Cadmium; Lead; Mercury; Nickel	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>																
PT-AQ-75 * Lanthanides <b>NEW</b>	Lanthanum; Cerium; Praseodymium; Neodymium; Gadolinium; Terbium	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>															

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Bottled mineral water		Round and Month (AQ)																																
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699												
PT-AQ-59 * Bottled Mineral Water	Calcium; Magnesium; Potassium; Sodium; Bicarbonate; Chloride; Sulfate; Nitrate; pH; TDS/Dry Residue	<input type="checkbox"/>																																

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Potable (treated) water		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-03B Free Chlorine	Free Chlorine (at typical potable levels – see AQUACHECK scheme description for further details)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-03C Total Chlorine	Total Chlorine (at typical potable levels – see AQUACHECK scheme description for further details)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-1HP Major Inorganic Components (Hard)	Calcium; Magnesium; Total Hardness; Alkalinity; Potassium; Sodium; Chloride; Sulfate; Fluoride; Conductivity (20°C); Kjeldahl Nitrogen; Total Phosphorus; Barium	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-AQ-1SP Major Inorganic Components (Soft)	Calcium; Magnesium; Total Hardness; Alkalinity; Potassium; Sodium; Chloride; Sulfate; Fluoride; Conductivity (20°C); Kjeldahl Nitrogen; Total Phosphorus; Barium	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-AQ-2HP Nutrients and Others (Hard)	Total Oxidised Nitrogen (TON); Silicate; Nitrite; Ammonia; Soluble Reactive Phosphorus (PO <sub>4</sub> ); pH at 20–25°C; Conductivity (20°C); Colour; Permanganate Index (PI); Total Cyanide; Free Cyanide; Nitrate; Total Dissolved Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-AQ-2SP Nutrients and Others (Soft)	Total Oxidised Nitrogen (TON); Silicate; Nitrite; Ammonia; Soluble Reactive Phosphorus (PO <sub>4</sub> ); pH at 20–25°C; Conductivity (20°C); Colour; Permanganate Index (PI); Total Cyanide; Free Cyanide; Nitrate; Total Dissolved Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>							
PT-AQ-67 * PFAS	Participants are provided with a solution containing a minimum of 20 Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) for quantitative determination.	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>												<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-AQ-68 * Estrogens	17-β Estradiol; Estrone	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>														
PT-AQ-70 * PFAS <b>NEW</b>	For analyte information, please refer to the AQUACHECK Scheme Description	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>												<input type="checkbox"/>			

Potable (treated) water		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-72 * Epichlorohydrin NEW	Epichlorohydrin	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>																		
PT-AQ-73 * FTOHs NEW	6:2 Fluorotelomer Alcohol; 8:2 Fluorotelomer Alcohol	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>																	
PT-AQ-74 * Vinyl chloride NEW	Vinyl chloride	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>																

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Surface and groundwaters (Organic)		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-06A Haloforms & Chlorinated Solvents	Chloroform; Bromodichloromethane; Dibromochloromethane; Bromoform; Trichloroethene; Tetrachloroethene; Carbon Tetrachloride; 1,2 Dichloroethane	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-AQ-06B Phenols	Phenol; 2-Chlorophenol; 4-Chlorophenol; 3-Bromophenol#; 2,4-Dichlorophenol; 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol; Pentachlorophenol; 2,5-Dimethylphenol#; 3,5-Dimethylphenol#; 2-Methylphenol (o-cresol)#; 3-Methylphenol (m-cresol)#; 4-Methylphenol (p-cresol)#; Total monosubstituted methylphenols#; 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol#; 2,6-Dichlorophenol#; 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol#; 2,4-Dimethylphenol#; Nonylphenol#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-AQ-06C Benzene, Toluene & Xylenes	Benzene; Toluene; Ethylbenzene; Styrene; o-Xylene; m-Xylene; p-Xylene; Total Xylene; m-+ p-Xylene; 1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene#; MTBE (methyl tert-butyl ether)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			

Surface and groundwaters (Organic)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
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PT-AQ-07A Organochlorine Pesticides	Endrin; Dieldrin; Aldrin; p,p'-DDT; o,p'-DDT; p,p'-DDE; o,p'-DDE#; p,p'-DDD; o,p'-DDD (TDE)#; Alpha Hexachlorocyclohexane; Beta Hexachlorocyclohexane; Delta Hexachlorocyclohexane; Lindane (Gamma HCH); Trifluralin; Alpha Endosulphan; Beta Endosulphan; Hexachlorobenzene; Heptachlor; Heptachlor Epoxide; Pentachlorobenzene; Pendimethalin#; Cis-Chlordane#; Trans-Chlordane#; Methoxychlor#; Endosulfan Sulfate#; Endrin Aldehyde#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-07B Chlorinated Solvents	Hexachlorobutadiene; Carbon Tetrachloride; Tetrachloroethene; 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene; Trichloroethene; 1,1,1-Trichloroethane; 1,3,5 Trichlorobenzene; 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene; 1,2-Dichloroethane; Chloroform	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-07C Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons	Fluoranthene; Benzo(b)fluoranthene; Benzo(k)fluoranthene; Benz(a)pyrene; Benzo(ghi)perylene; Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene; Acenaphthene; Acenaphthylene; Anthracene; Benz(a)anthracene; Chrysene; Dibenzo(ah)anthracene; Fluorene; Naphthalene; Perylene; Phenanthrene; Pyrene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-07D Polychlorinated Biphenyls	PCB (28); PCB (52); PCB (101); PCB (118); PCB (138); PCB (153); PCB (180); PCB (149)#; PCB (170)#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-08 Acid Herbicides	2,4,5-T#; 2,4,5-TP (Fenoprop)#; 2,4-D; 2,4-DB; Dicamba; 2,3,6-TBA#; Picloram#; Clopyralid#; Fluroxypyr#; Benazolin#; Mecoprop; Dichlorprop; Quinmerac#; MCPA; MCPB; Triclopyr; Bentazone; Bromoxynil; Dichlobenil#; Ioxynil; Metaldehyde; Alachlor#; Metazachlor#; Propachlor#; S-Metolachlor#; Flufenacet#; Propyzamide; Asulam#; Chloridazon#; Napropamide#; Glyphosate; AMPA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						

Surface and groundwaters (Organic)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-08B Triazines & Urea Herbicides	Isoproturon; Diuron; Linuron; Chlortoluron; Monuron; Chloroxuron#; Metoxuron#; Monolinuron#; Methabenzthiazuron#; Iodosulfuron methyl#; Mesosulfuron methyl#; Metsulfuron methyl#; Thifensulfuron methyl#; Tribenuron methyl#; Diflufenican#; Bromacil#; Simazine; Atrazine; Propazine; Cyanazine#; Trietazine#; Prometryn#;Terbutryn#; Ametryn#; Desethylatrazine#; Desisopropylatrazine#;Terbutylazine#; Cyromazine#; Carbetamide#; Pirimicarb#; Carbofuran#; Methiocarb#; Prosulfocarb#; Metamitron#; Metribuzin#; Florasulam#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-09 Organophosphorus Pesticides	Azinphos-methyl; Azinphos-ethyl; Dichlorvos; Fenitrothion; Malathion; Mevinphos; Chlorfenvinphos; Diazinon; Fenthion; Parathion-ethyl; Parathion-methyl; Chlorpyrifos; Cypermethrin; Propetamphos#; Dimethoate#; Ethion#; Carbophenothion#; Disulfoton#; Ethoprophos#; Fenchlorphos#; Fonofos#; Phorate#; Tetrachlorvinphos#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-26 PFOS & PFOA	PFOS; PFOA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>										
PT-AQ-28 Formaldehyde	Formaldehyde	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>										
PT-AQ-33 Chlorophyll	Chlorophyll <i>a</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>										
PT-AQ-34B * Water Framework Directive	Atrazine; Diuron; Isoproturon; Simazine	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>																
PT-AQ-34C * Water Framework Directive	Alachlor; Chlorfenvinphos; Chlorpyrifos	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>																

Surface and groundwaters (Organic)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-34D * Water Framework Directive	4-n Pentylphenol; 4-n Hexylphenol; 4-n Heptylphenol; 4 tert-Octylphenol; 4-n-Nonylphenol; Pentachlorophenol; Bisphenol A	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-AQ-34E * Water Framework Directive	Endosulphan; Hexachlorobenzene; Hexachlorocyclohexane; Pentachlorobenzene; Trifluralin; Hexachlorobutadiene	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>																
PT-AQ-34F * Water Framework Directive	Benz(a)pyrene; Benzo(b)fluoranthene; Benzo(ghi)perylene; Benzo(k)fluoranthene; Indeno(123-cd)pyrene; Anthracene; Fluoranthene	<input type="checkbox"/>																			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-34G * Water Framework Directive	Tributyltin compounds	<input type="checkbox"/>																			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-34H * Water Framework Directive	1,2-Dichloroethane; Dichloromethane; Trichlorobenzenes; Trichloromethane	<input type="checkbox"/>																			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-34I * Water Framework Directive	2,4,4-Tribromodiphenylether (BDE 28); 2,2,4,4,5-Pentabromodiphenylether (BDE 99); 2,2,4,4,5,6-Hexabromodiphenylether (BDE 154)	<input type="checkbox"/>																			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-34J * Water Framework Directive	DEHP; Benzene; Naphthalene	<input type="checkbox"/>																			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-36 * Taste & Odour	TFN; TON	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>									
PT-AQ-37 * Acrylamide	Acrylamide	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>										
PT-AQ-38 UV Absorbing Organic Constituents	UV absorption	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>						

Surface and groundwaters (Organic)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-39 * Geosmin & MIB	Geosmin; Methyl Isoborneol; Anisole; TCA (2,4,6-Trichloroanisole); TBA (2,4,6-Tribromoanisole)	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-40 * Fungicides	Carbendazim; Chlorothalonil; Fenpropimorph; Flutriafol; Epoxyconazole; Flusilazole; Cyproconazole; Tebuconazole; Azoxystrobin; Boscalid; Kresoxym-methyl; Cyprodinil; Propiconazole; Prothioconazole	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-41 * Microcystin	Microcystin-LR; Microcystin-YR; Microcystin-RR; Total Microcystin	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-AQ-43 * Triclosan	Triclosan	<input type="checkbox"/>									<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-44 * Haloacetic Acids	Monochloroacetic acid; Dichloroacetic acid; Trichloroacetic acid; Monobromoacetic acid; Dibromoacetic acid; Tribromoacetic acid; Bromochloroacetic acid; Bromodichloroacetic acid; Dibromochloroacetic acid; 2,2-Dichloropropionic acid	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-51 * Synthetic Pyrethroid Insecticides	Bifenthrin; Cyfluthrin; Cypermethrin; Flumethrin; cis-Permethrin; trans-Permethrin	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>													
PT-AQ-52 * Low Level CIP2 contaminants	Benzo(a)pyrene; Fluoranthene; Cypermethrin; PFOS; PFOA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>																		
PT-AQ-53 * EQSD Directive – Low Level Triazines	Simazine; Atrazine; Terbutryn; Alachlor; Diclofol; Bifenox; Quinoxifen	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>																
PT-AQ-56 * EQSD Directive – Low Level Organophosphorus & Chlorinated Solvents	Dichlorvos; Fenitrothion; Malathion; Chlorfenvinphos; Diazinon; Chlorpyrifos; Hexachlorobutadiene; 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene; 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene; 1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene	<input type="checkbox"/>															<input type="checkbox"/>								

Surface and groundwaters (Organic)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-57 * Pharmaceuticals	Ibuprofen; Propranolol; Ofloxacin; Oxytetracycline; Salicylic acid; Fluoxetine; Diclofenac; Naproxen	<input type="checkbox"/>													<input type="checkbox"/>										
PT-AQ-58 * EQSD Directive – Low Level Organochlorines	Endrin; Dieldrin; Aldrin; p,p'-DDT; o,p-DDT; p,p'-DDE; p,p'-DDD; Alpha Hexachlorocyclohexane; Beta Hexachlorocyclohexane; Delta Hexachlorocyclohexane; Lindane (Gamma HCH); Trifluralin; Alpha Endosulphan; Beta Endosulphan; Hexachlorobenzene; Heptachlor; Heptachlor epoxide; Pentachlorobenzene; Pendimethalin	<input type="checkbox"/>																			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-65 * Explosives	1,3,5-Trinitrobenzene; 1,3-Dinitrobenzene; 2,4-Dinitrotoluene; 2,6-Dinitrotoluene; 2-Amino-4,6-dinitrotoluene; 2-Nitrotoluene; 3-Nitrotoluene; 4-Amino-2,6-dinitrotoluene; 4-Nitrotoluene; Diphenylamine; Nitrobenzene	<input type="checkbox"/>																	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-66 * Neonicotinoids	Clothianidin; Imidacloprid; Thiamethoxam; Acetamiprid; Thiacloprid	<input type="checkbox"/>										<input type="checkbox"/>													
PT-AQ-71 * 6PPD quinone <b>NEW</b>	6PPD quinone	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>																			

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Surface and groundwaters (Qualitative)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-22 Qualitative Organics by GCMS in Clean Water	Ten organic analytes are provided for qualitative identification. This sample is designed to test the ability of laboratories to identify organic compounds via GCMS analysis.	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>			



Surface and groundwaters (Qualitative)		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-22A Qualitative Organics by Purge and Trap GCMS in Clean Water	Six organic analytes are provided for qualitative identification. This sample is designed to test the ability of laboratories to identify organic compounds via purge and trap GCMS analysis.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-AQ-25 Qualitative Determination in Clean Water	The intent of this sample is to test the ability of laboratories to detect and identify an unknown contaminant in surface/potable waters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>						

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Waste Waters & Effluents – Inorganic and Nutrients		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-10 Nutrients and other analytes	Total Oxidised Nitrogen (TON); Nitrate; Nitrite; Ammonia; Total Silicate; Soluble Reactive Phosphorus (PO <sub>4</sub> ); Chloride; Total Cyanide; Kjeldahl Nitrogen; Free Cyanide; Total Nitrogen; Total Phosphorus	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AQ-11 Non- specific Analytes	BOD (5 day); COD; Suspended Solids; Methylene Blue Active Substances (MBAS); Dissolved/Total Organic Carbon; Turbidity; Non-Ionic Surfactants	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AQ-12 Metals	Antimony#; Arsenic; Aluminium; Chromium; Beryllium#; Iron; Manganese; Cadmium; Copper; Lead; Nickel; Zinc; Mercury; Selenium; Molybdenum; Tellurium#; Uranium#; Titanium#	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AQ-12C Chromium (VI)	Chromium (VI)	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AQ-15 Settleable Solids	Settleable solids	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>

Waste Waters & Effluents – Inorganic and Nutrients		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-29 High and Low COD	COD – high; COD – low	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-35 BOD/ COD at high concentration	COD; BOD	<input type="checkbox"/>												<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>

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Waste Waters & Effluents – Industrial Waste Waters		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-17A Major Waste Water Analytes	pH at 20-25°C; Settled Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD); Total COD; Suspended Solids; Conductivity (20°C); Total Dissolved Solids; Non Filterable COD; Salinity	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-AQ-17B Total Phenol, Cyanide and Sulfate	Total Phenol; Total Cyanide; Sulfate; Fluoride <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-AQ-17C Metals	Aluminium; Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Boron; Beryllium#; Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Lead; Manganese; Molybdenum; Mercury; Nickel; Selenium; Silver; Tin; Vanadium; Zinc; Titanium#	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-AQ-17D Ammonia, Phosphate & Nitrogen	Ammonia; Soluble Reactive Phosphorus (PO <sub>4</sub> ); Total Phosphorus; Total Nitrogen	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-AQ-32 * Sulfide	Total Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			

Waste Waters & Effluents – Industrial Waste Waters		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-60 * M-Certs	Ammonia; COD; Conductivity (20°C); Nitrate; Nitrite; Orthophosphate; pH at 20-25°C; Total Arsenic; Total Copper; Total Mercury; Total Cadmium; Total Lead; Total Nickel; Turbidity	<div></div>						<div></div>												<div></div>		
PT-AQ-63 * Acetate & Iodide	Acetate; Iodide	<div></div>																<div></div>				

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Waste Waters and Effluents – Organic		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-18A Haloforms & Chlorinated Solvents	Chloroform; Bromodichloromethane; Dibromochloromethane; Bromoform; Trichloroethene; Tetrachloroethene; Carbon Tetrachloride; 1,2 Dichloroethane	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AQ-18B Phenols	Phenol; 2-Chlorophenol; 4-Chlorophenol; 3-Bromophenol#; 2,4-Dichlorophenol; 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol; Pentachlorophenol; 2,5-Dimethylphenol#; 3,5-Dimethylphenol#; 2-Methylphenol (o-cresol)#; 3-Methylphenol (m-cresol)#; 4-Methylphenol (p-cresol)#; Total monosubstituted methylphenols#; 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol#; 2,6-Dichlorophenol#; 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol#; 2,4-Dimethylphenol#; Nonylphenol#	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-AQ-18C Benzene, Toluene & Xylenes	Benzene; Toluene; Ethylbenzene; Styrene; o-Xylene; m-Xylene; p-Xylene; Total Xylene; m-+ p-Xylene	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	

Waste Waters and Effluents – Organic		Round and Month (AQ)																							
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699			
PT-AQ-19A Organochlorine Pesticides	Endrin; Dieldrin; Aldrin; p,p'-DDT; o,p-DDT; p,p'-DDE; o,p'-DDE#; p,p'-DDD; o,p'-DDD (TDE)#; Alpha Hexachlorocyclohexane (HCH); Beta Hexachlorocyclohexane (HCH); Delta Hexachlorocyclohexane (HCH); Lindane (Gamma HCH); Trifluralin; Alpha endosulphan; Beta endosulphan; Hexachlorobenzene; Heptachlor; Heptachlor Epoxide; Pentachlorobenzene; Pendimethalin#; Cis-Chlordane#; Trans-Chlordane#; Methoxychlor#; Endosulfan Sulfate#; Endrin Aldehyde#	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-AQ-19B Chlorinated Solvents	Hexachlorobutadiene; Carbon Tetrachloride; Tetrachloroethene; 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene; Trichloroethene; 1,1,1-Trichloroethane; 1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene; 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene; 1,2-Dichloroethane; Chloroform	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-AQ-19C Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons	Fluoranthene; Benzo(b)fluoranthene; Benzo(k)fluoranthene; Benz(a)pyrene; Benzo(ghi)perylene; Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene; Acenaphthene; Acenaphthylene; Anthracene; Benz(a)anthracene; Chrysene; Dibenzo(ah)anthracene; Fluorene; Naphthalene; Perylene; Phenanthrene; Pyrene	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-AQ-19D Polychlorinated Biphenyls	PCB (28); PCB (52); PCB (101); PCB (118); PCB (138); PCB (153); PCB (180); PCB (149)#; PCB (170)#	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-AQ-20 Acid Herbicides	2,4,5-T#; 2,4,5-TP (Fenoprop)#; 2,4-D; 2,4-DB; Dicamba; 2,3,6-TBA#; Clopyralid#; Fluroxypyr#; Benazolin#; Mecoprop; Dichloroprop; MCPA; MCPB; Triclopyr; Bentazone; Bromoxynil; Dichlobenil#; Ioxynil; Metaldehyde; Metazachlor#; Propachlor#; Propyzamide; Glyphosate; AMPA	<input type="checkbox"/>																							
PT-AQ-20B Triazines and Urea Herbicides	Isoproturon; Diuron; Linuron; Chlortoluron; Monuron; Methabenzthiazuron#; Diflufenican#; Bromacil#; Simazine; Atrazine; Propazine; Cyanazine#; Trietazine#; Prometryn#; Terbutryn#; Ametryn#; Carbetamide#; Pirimicarb#; Metamitron#	<input type="checkbox"/>																							

Waste Waters and Effluents – Organic		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-21 Organophosphorus Pesticides	Azinphos-methyl; Azinphos-ethyl; Dichlorvos; Fenitrothion; Malathion; Mevinphos; Chlorfenvinphos; Diazinon; Fenthion; Parathion-ethyl; Parathion-methyl; Chlorpyrifos; Cypermethrin; Propetamphos#; Ethion#; Dimethoate#	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AQ-23 Mineral Oil in Water	Volume of sample provided; Hydrocarbons C10–C40 by GC Analysis; Hydrocarbons C10–C40 by IR Analysis; Hydrocarbons C10–C40 by Gravimetric Analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AQ-24 Oil & Grease in Water	Volume of sample provided; Total Oil and Grease	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AQ-27 AOX	AOX	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>					
PT-AQ-69 * Free Chlorine <b>NEW</b>	Free Chlorine	<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>								<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Radiochemistry		Round and Month (AQ)																						
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699		
PT-AQ-30 Gross Alpha and Gross Beta in Clean Water	Gross Alpha as <sup>239</sup> Plutonium; Gross Alpha as <sup>241</sup> Americium; Gross Alpha as <sup>230</sup> Thorium; Gross Beta as <sup>40</sup> Potassium; Gross Beta as <sup>137</sup> Caesium; Gross Beta as <sup>90</sup> Strontium	<input type="checkbox"/>																						
PT-AQ-31 Aqueous Tritium in Clean Water	Aqueous Tritium	<input type="checkbox"/>																						

Radiochemistry		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-42 * Plutonium and Uranium	<sup>239</sup> Plutonium; <sup>234</sup> Uranium; <sup>235</sup> Uranium; <sup>238</sup> Uranium; Total Uranium	<div></div>		<div></div>								<div></div>										

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Marine Waters		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-01A Major Ions - Higher Salinity	Sodium; Magnesium; Chloride; Sulfate; pH at 20- 25°C; Conductivity (20°C); Total Organic Carbon (TOC); Total Dissolved Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-AQ-61 * Nutrients	Total Oxidised Nitrogen (TON); Nitrate; Total Phosphorus; Potassium; Sulfate; Magnesium; Calcium; Alkalinity; Ammonia; Total Nitrogen; Orthophosphate; pH at 20-25°C; Conductivity (20°C); Silicate; Total Dissolved Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>												<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-AQ-62 * Metals	Arsenic; Boron; Cadmium; Copper; Iron; Manganese; Molybdenum; Strontium; Zinc; Barium; Lithium; Sodium; Sulfur; Nickel; Cobalt; Lead; Selenium	<input type="checkbox"/>												<input type="checkbox"/>								

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Sewage Sludge – Inorganic		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-13 Sewage Sludge Inorganics & Specific Elements	Arsenic; Cadmium; Chromium; Copper; Lead; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Vanadium; Zinc; Selenium; Total Boron; Fluoride; Total Nitrogen; Total Phosphorus; Total Potassium; Cobalt; Iron; Manganese; Total Carbon#; Total Sulphur#	<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>
PT-AQ-16 Compositional Analysis	Total Solids (105±5°C); Loss on ignition (500±5°C); pH at 20-25°C; Calcium; Magnesium; Ammoniacal Nitrogen#	<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>

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Soils – Inorganic		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-14 Agricultural Soil Inorganics & Specific Elements	Arsenic; Cadmium; Chromium; Copper; Lead; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Vanadium; Zinc; Selenium; Total Boron; Water Extractable Boron; Fluoride; Total Nitrogen; Total Phosphorus; Total Potassium; Cobalt; Iron; Manganese; Total Solids; Loss On Ignition; pH at 20-25°C; Extractable Phosphorus; Extraction of Potassium; Extraction of Magnesium; Extraction of Sodium; Organic Carbon Content; Conductivity; Carbonate Content; Antimony <b>NEW</b>	<div></div>																				

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Ecotoxicology		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-50 Ecotoxicology Tests	Daphnia Magna 48hr EC50; Daphnia Magna 24hr EC50; Vibrio Fischeri 30 minute IC50 (ISO 11348-3); Other 30 minute luminescent bacteria IC50 tests; 15 minute luminescent bacteria IC50 tests; Freshwater algae growth inhibition test ( <i>Pseudokirschneriella subcapitata</i> )	<div></div>			<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>				<div></div>	



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		Round and Month (AQ)																				
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 680	FEB 681	FEB 682	MAR 683	APR 684	MAY 685	MAY 686	JUN 687	JUN 688	JUL 689	JUL 690	AUG 691	AUG 692	SEP 693	SEP 694	OCT 695	OCT 696	NOV 697	NOV 698	DEC 699
PT-AQ-64 * Trihalomethanes & Nutrients	Trichloromethane; Bromodichloromethane; Dibromodichloromethane; Tribromomethane; Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM); pH at 20-25°C; Total Organic Carbon (TOC); Total Alkalinity; Total Hardness; Total Dissolved Solids	<div></div>																				<div></div>

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Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC's fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#).

To access our General Protocol, covering our scheme organisation and operation, test materials, reporting of results, data analysis/performance assessment and information provided to participants, please click on the following link: [GENERAL PROTOCOL – PT Schemes](#)

### YOUR DETAILS

Returning customers, if you would like to keep your contact/address details as per previous year, please tick here:

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If changes are required or you are a new customer, please complete your details below:

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Name

Date

### VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

10% discount available when purchasing all rounds per sample.

### REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat/Duplicate samples	Price per sample
Full additional groups	Full additional groups will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.
Additional Matrix water	Please contact LGC for a quotation.
Additional Spikes	Please contact LGC for a quotation.
Additional Spiked matrix water	Please contact LGC for a quotation.

### CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

### CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

#### CHANGES

We have introduced a number of new samples as follows:

- Sample PT-AQ-70 (47 x PFAS in potable water). This will be available in rounds AQ680 (January 2025) and AQ696 (October 2025)
- Sample PT-AQ-71 (6PPD quinone in surface water). This will be available in round AQ683 (March 2025)
- Sample PT-AQ-72 (Epichlorohydrin in potable water). This will be available in round AQ684 (April 2025)
- Sample PT-AQ-73 (Fluorotelomer Alcohols (FTOHs) in potable water). This will be available in round AQ685 (May 2025)
- Sample PT-AQ-74 (Vinyl chloride in potable water). This will be available in round AQ686 (May 2025)
- Sample PT-AQ-75 (Lanthanides in surface water (Preserved in 0.5% Nitric Acid)). This will be available in round AQ687 (June 2025)

We have added a number of new analytes as follows:

- Antimony added to PT-AQ-14 (Agricultural Soil Inorganics and Specific Elements)
- Fluoride added to PT-AQ-17B (Total Phenol, Cyanide and Sulfate at typical wastewater levels)

Sample volume increased for PT-AQ-2HP (Nutrients and Others in hard, potable (treated) water) from 250mL to 500mL

Sample volume increased for PT-AQ-2SP (Nutrients and Others in soft, potable (treated) water) from 250mL to 500mL

Sample volume decreased for PT-AQ-21 (Organophosphorus Pesticides in Wastewater) from 2 x 10mL spiking solution to 1 x 10mL spiking solution

We have changed the format of the following samples:

- PT-AQ-03B: this sample has changed from Free Chlorine in Clean Water to Free Chlorine in potable water
- PT-AQ-03C: this sample has changed from Total Chlorine in Clean Water to Total Chlorine in potable water

- PT-AQ-67: this sample has changed from PFAS in groundwater to PFAS in potable water (EU Drinking Water Directive)
- PT-AQ-68: this sample has changed from Estrogens in surface water to Estrogens in potable water

We have removed a number of analytes as follows:

- Demeton; Demeton-O; Demeton-S; Dioxathion; Famphur; Phosmet; Terbufos from PT-AQ-09 (Organophosphorus Pesticides in Groundwater)
- Carbophenothion; Demeton; Demeton-O; Demeton-S; Dioxathion; Disulfoton; Ethoprophos; Famphur; Fenchlorphos; Fonofos; Phorate; Phosmet; Terbufos; Tetrachlorvinphos from PT-AQ-21 (Organophosphorus Pesticides in Wastewater)
- PETN (Pentaerythritol tetranitrate); HMX (Octogen) from PT-AQ-65 (Explosives in Groundwater)

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the following sample:

- PT-AQ-55 (VOCs (Fumigants in Groundwater))

### **OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST**

We have a number of other Water and Environment schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Water and Environment schemes web page](#).

### **GENERAL NOTES**

Please note:

- All prices stated are exclusive of VAT and carriage charges.
- VAT (charged at the prevailing rate) is payable by all participants based in the European Union if a VAT Registration Number is not provided.
- Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges (where not specified previously in the application form).
- All courier charges set by LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently after the despatch of each round.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting).
- Surplus PT samples (Quality Control Material) are available; please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for further information.
- By submitting this application form, you are agreeing to comply by [LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services](#).

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The Contaminated Land (CONTEST) proficiency testing scheme includes a large number of determinations in soils and leachates. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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ID:

Purchase order no.:  
(compulsory)

## YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Groups	Individual samples
FEB CN145	10 Feb 2025	17 Mar 2025	A-FULL,A-REDUCED,B-FULL,B-REDUCED,C-FULL,C-REDUCED,D,E	23,25,30,27
APR CN146	14 Apr 2025	19 May 2025	A-FULL,A-REDUCED,B-FULL,B-REDUCED,C-FULL,C-REDUCED,E	23,26,32
JUN CN147	30 Jun 2025	04 Aug 2025	A-FULL,A-REDUCED,B-FULL,B-REDUCED,C-FULL,C-REDUCED,D,E	25,27,28
SEP CN148	15 Sep 2025	20 Oct 2025	A-FULL,A-REDUCED,B-FULL,B-REDUCED,C-FULL,C-REDUCED,E	23,26,30
NOV CN149	17 Nov 2025	22 Dec 2025	A-FULL,A-REDUCED,B-FULL,B-REDUCED,C-FULL,C-REDUCED,D,E	25,29,28

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

Sample C (FULL) is subject to UK export control and as such, we require a licence to ship. Please ensure your order is placed 6 weeks prior to the despatch date to allow sufficient time to apply for a license. LGC will contact you with further information once the order is placed.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

**Samples A, B and C are defined as follows:**

**Full** = Soil plus additional solutions or extracts. The solutions/extracts test the analytical/instrumental phase of the process and may be used for diagnostic/training type purposes.

**Reduced** = Soil only (for 3C this also includes a spiking solution for phenolics)

Group A – Metals			Round and Month (CN)					
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 145	APR 146	JUN 147	SEP 148	NOV 149
PT-CN-AFULL Group A Full participation	Standard solutions: 1a-1c, 13. Solution of soil extract: 2. Soil (prepared): 3a.	1a: Barium; Beryllium; Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Lead; Manganese; Molybdenum; Nickel; Thallium; Tin; Vanadium; Zinc 1b: Antimony; Arsenic; Selenium 1c: Mercury 2: Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Beryllium; Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Lead; Manganese; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Selenium; Thallium; Tin; Vanadium; Zinc 3a: Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Beryllium; Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Lead; Manganese; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Selenium; Thallium; Tin; Vanadium; Zinc; Chromium (VI) 13: Chromium (VI)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-ARED Group A Reduced participation	Soil (prepared)	3a ONLY: Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Beryllium; Cadmium; Chromium; Cobalt; Copper; Iron; Lead; Manganese; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Selenium; Thallium; Tin; Vanadium; Zinc; Chromium (VI)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Group B – Inorganics			Round and Month (CN)					
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 145	APR 146	JUN 147	SEP 148	NOV 149
PT-CN-BFULL Group B Full participation	Soil (prepared): 3b. Standard solutions: all other samples.	<b>3b:</b> Ammonia; Complex Cyanide; Free Cyanide; Total Cyanide; Dry Matter; Loss On Ignition; pH; Thiocyanate; Total Sulfate; Easily Liberated Sulfide; Water Soluble Boron; Water Soluble Chloride; Water Soluble Fluoride; Water Soluble Sulfate; Total Sulfur <b>6:</b> Total Cyanide <b>8:</b> Total Sulfate <b>10:</b> Water Soluble boron <b>12:</b> Easily Liberated Sulfide <b>16:</b> Thiocyanate <b>17:</b> Total Fluoride	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-BRED Group B Reduced participation	Soil (prepared)	<b>3b ONLY:</b> Ammonia; Complex Cyanide; Free Cyanide; Total Cyanide; Dry Matter; Loss On Ignition; pH; Thiocyanate; Total Sulfate; Easily Liberated Sulfide; Water Soluble Boron; Water Soluble Chloride; Water Soluble Fluoride; Water Soluble Sulfate; Total Sulfur	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Group C – Organics			Round and Month (CN)					
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 145	APR 146	JUN 147	SEP 148	NOV 149
PT-CN-CFULL Group C Full participation	Soil (prepared) + spiking solution: 3c. Standard solution+blank: 20. Standard solutions: all other samples.	<b>3c:</b> Acenaphthene; Acenaphthylene; Anthracene; Benz(a)anthracene; Benzo(b)fluoranthene; Benzo(k)fluoranthene; Benzo(b/k)fluoranthene (sum); Benzo(ghi)perylene; Benz(a)pyrene; Chrysene; Dibenz(ah)anthracene; Fluoranthene; Fluorene; Indeno(123-cd)pyrene; Naphthalene; Phenanthrene, Pyrene; Total PAH; Phenols; Cresols; Xylenols; Distillable Phenolic Substances; PCB (28); PCB (52); PCB (77); PCB (101); PCB (118); PCB (138); PCB (153); PCB (180); Elemental Sulfur; Total Organic Carbon; TPH (C10–C40 inclusive); TPH Banding Aliphatic (>C10–C12; >C12–C16; >C16–C21; >C21–C35; >C35–C40); TPH Banding Aromatic (>EC10–EC12; >EC12–EC16; >EC16–EC21; >EC21–EC35; >EC35–EC40) <b>5:</b> Acenaphthene; Acenaphthylene; Anthracene; Benz(a)anthracene; Benzo(b)fluoranthene; Benzo(k)fluoranthene; Benzo(b/k)fluoranthene (sum); Benzo(ghi)perylene; Benz(a)pyrene; Chrysene; Dibenz(ah)anthracene; Fluoranthene; Fluorene; Indeno(123-cd)pyrene; Naphthalene; Phenanthrene, Pyrene <b>7a:</b> Monohydric Phenols <b>7b:</b> Total Phenols (Sum of Phenol, Cresols and Xylenols); Total Cresols; Total Xylenols; Phenol <b>11:</b> PCB (28); PCB (52); PCB (101); PCB (118); PCB (138); PCB (153); PCB (180) <b>14a:</b> TPH, Range C10 – C40 (inclusive) <b>14b:</b> TPH, Aliphatic ≤C6; TPH, Aliphatic >C6–C8; TPH, Aliphatic >C8–C10; TPH, Aromatic EC6; TPH, Aromatic >EC6–EC8; TPH, Aromatic >EC8–EC10 <b>15:</b> Benzene; Toluene; Ethylbenzene; o-Xylene; m + p-Xylenes <b>19:</b> 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene; 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene; 2-Chlorotoluene; 1,2-Dichloroethane; 1,2-Dichloroethene; Dichloromethane; Hexachloro-1,3-Butadiene; 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane; 1,1,1-Trichloroethane; Tetrachloromethane; Trichloroethene; Trichloromethane <b>20:</b> Six semi volatile organic compounds (SVOCs) – Qualitative	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-CRED Group C Reduced participation	Soil (prepared) + spiking solution	<b>3c ONLY:</b> Acenaphthene; Acenaphthylene; Anthracene; Benz(a)anthracene; Benzo(b)fluoranthene; Benzo(k)fluoranthene; Benzo(b/k)fluoranthene (sum); Benzo(ghi)perylene; Benz(a)pyrene; Chrysene; Dibenz(ah)anthracene; Fluoranthene; Fluorene; Indeno(123-cd)pyrene; Naphthalene; Phenanthrene, Pyrene; Total PAH; Phenols; Cresols; Xylenols; Distillable Phenolic Substances; PCB (28); PCB (52); PCB (77); PCB (101); PCB (118); PCB (138); PCB (153); PCB (180); Elemental Sulfur; Total Organic Carbon; TPH (C10–C40 inclusive); TPH Banding Aliphatic (>C10–C12; >C12–C16; >C16–C21; >C21–C35; >C35–C40); TPH Banding Aromatic (>EC10–EC12; >EC12–EC16; >EC16–EC21; >EC21–EC35; >EC35–EC40)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Group D – Leachate			Round and Month (CN)					
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 145	APR 146	JUN 147	SEP 148	NOV 149
PT-CN-D	Soil (prepared)	Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Cadmium; Calcium; Chromium; Copper; Iron; Lead; Magnesium; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Potassium; Selenium; Sodium; Tin; Zinc; Sulfate; Chloride; Fluoride; Nitrate; Boron; Chromium (VI); Phosphate; Ammonia; Free Cyanide; Total Cyanide; Thiocyanate; pH; Conductivity (20°C); COD; TOC/DOC; Phenol Index	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Group E – WAC (Waste Acceptance Criteria)			Round and Month (CN)					
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 145	APR 146	JUN 147	SEP 148	NOV 149
PT-CN-E	WAC material: 21. Leachate (prepared): 24.	<b>21:</b> Dry Matter Content Ratio; Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Cadmium; Chromium; Copper; Lead; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Selenium; Zinc; Sulfate; Chloride; Fluoride; Phenol Index; DOC; Total Dissolved Solids. Rounds <b>CN145, CN147, CN149:</b> Moderate contamination. <b>CN146:</b> High contamination. <b>CN148:</b> Low contamination. <b>24*:</b> Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Cadmium; Chromium; Copper; Lead; Mercury; Molybdenum; Nickel; Selenium; Zinc; Sulfate; Chloride; Fluoride; Phenol Index; DOC; Total Dissolved Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Other Samples			Round and Month (CN)					
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 145	APR 146	JUN 147	SEP 148	NOV 149
PT-CN-23 * Volatile Hydrocarbons in soil	Standard solution + moist soil <b>NEW</b>	Aliphatic EC5-EC6; Aliphatic >EC6-EC8; Aliphatic >EC8-EC10; Aromatic >EC6-EC9; Aromatic >EC9-EC10	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-25 * VOCs in soil	Standard solution + soil	Acetonitrile; Benzene; Bromobenzene; Bromochloromethane; Bromodichloromethane; Bromoform; Bromomethane; n-Butylbenzene; sec-Butylbenzene; tert-Butylbenzene; Carbon disulfide; Carbon tetrachloride; Chlorobenzene; Chloroethane; Chloroform; Chloromethane; 2-Chlorotoluene; 4-Chlorotoluene; cis-1,2-Dichloroethylene; Dibromochloromethane; 1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane; 1,2-Dibromoethane; Dibromomethane; 1,2-Dichlorobenzene; 1,3-Dichlorobenzene; 1,4-Dichlorobenzene; Dichlorodifluoromethane; 1,1-Dichloroethane; 1,2-Dichloroethane; 1,1-Dichloroethylene; trans-1,2-Dichloroethylene; 1,2-Dichloroethylene (sum); 1,2-Dichloropropane; 1,3-Dichloropropane; 2,2-Dichloropropane; 1,1-Dichloropropylene; cis-1,3-Dichloropropylene; trans-1,3-Dichloropropylene; Ethylbenzene; Hexachlorobutadiene; Hexachloroethane; Isopropylbenzene; 4-Isopropyltoluene; Methylene chloride; Methyl t-butyl ether; m-Xylene; m&p-Xylene; Naphthalene; Nitrobenzene; n-Propylbenzene; o-Xylene; p-Xylene; Styrene; 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane; 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane; Tetrachloroethylene; Toluene; Total Xylenes; 1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene; 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene; 1,1,1-Trichloroethane; 1,1,2-Trichloroethane; Trichloroethylene; Trichlorofluoromethane; 1,2,3-Trichloropropane	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-26 * Organochlorine Pesticides in soil	Standard solution + soil	Endrin; Dieldrin; Aldrin; p,p'-DDT; o,p'-DDT; p,p'-DDE; p,p'-DDD; Alpha Hexachlorocyclohexane; Beta Hexachlorocyclohexane; Delta Hexachlorocyclohexane; Lindane (Gamma HCH); Trifluralin; Alpha Endosulphan; Beta Endosulphan; Hexachlorobenzene; Heptachlor; Heptachlor epoxide; Pentachlorobenzene	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Samples			Round and Month (CN)					
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 145	APR 146	JUN 147	SEP 148	NOV 149
PT-CN-30 * Organophosphorus Pesticides in soil	Standard solution + soil	Azinphos-methyl; Azinphos-ethyl; Dichlorvos; Fenitrothion; Malathion; Mevinphos; Chlorfenvinphos; Diazinon; Fenthion; Parathion-ethyl; Parathion-methyl; Chlorpyrifos; Cypermethrin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-32 * PFAS in soil <b>NEW</b>	Soil	Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA); Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA); Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS); Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS); Sum of 4 PFAS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-A29 * Incinerator Bottom Ash	IBA material	Arsenic; Barium; Cadmium; Copper; Iron; Lead; Magnesium; Manganese; Nickel; Potassium; Sodium; Total Chromium; Zinc; pH; Alkali Reserve	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-B27 * LOI Fines	LOI material	Loss On Ignition at 440°C	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CN-B28 * Soil Texture	Soil	Soil texture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

\*Please note that these samples are not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation.

†Please note that a volume discount may apply to this price, depending on the number of Contaminated Land (CONTEST) PT Scheme samples purchased. For further details, please see the Volume Quantity Discount section.

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Date

## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Total number of groups ordered per annum*	Discounts
0-4	0.0%
5-9	2.5%
10-14	5.0%
15-19	15.0%
20+	25.0%

\*For example, a lab participating in four groups in all five rounds will be taking 20 groups in total; therefore, will qualify for a 25% discount.

Please note that duplicate samples (or individual samples purchased from groups A-C) will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount.

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced new samples as follows:

- Sample PT-CN-32 (PFAS in soil). This sample is available in round CN146 (April 2025)

Sample PT-CN-23 has now been updated to cover Aliphatic and aromatic fractions of volatile petroleum hydrocarbons in field moist soil. This sample was previously for the analysis of Total Hydrocarbons in Soil, but we have now removed the TPH analytes, and confirmed the matrix will include field moist soil.

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the below sample:

- PT-CN-31 (UBM BioAccessibility Research Group of Europe (UBM BARGE method))

The frequency of sample PT-CN-25 (VOCs in Soil) has been increased from 2 rounds to 3 rounds.

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The Cryptosporidium (CRYPTS) proficiency testing scheme aims to promote quality in the measurement and enumeration of Cryptosporidium oocysts in treated water supplies to satisfy current drinking water legislation. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
**Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)**

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	CY298	06 Jan 2025	27 Jan 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
FEB	CY299	03 Feb 2025	24 Feb 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
MAR	CY300	03 Mar 2025	24 Mar 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
MAR	CY301	31 Mar 2025	22 Apr 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
APR	CY302	28 Apr 2025	19 May 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
MAY	CY303	27 May 2025	16 Jun 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
JUN	CY304	23 Jun 2025	14 Jul 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
JUL	CY305	21 Jul 2025	11 Aug 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
AUG	CY306	18 Aug 2025	08 Sep 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
SEP	CY307	15 Sep 2025	06 Oct 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
OCT	CY308	13 Oct 2025	03 Nov 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05
NOV	CY309	10 Nov 2025	01 Dec 2025	01, 02, 03, 04, 05

Please ensure your samples (PT-CY-04 and PT-CY-05) are returned to our collaboration partner, Moredun Scientific, by the day after the reporting deadline. Please see the Return of Samples section for further details.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

Samples Available			Round and Month (CY)												
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 298	FEB 299	MAR 300	MAR 301	APR 302	MAY 303	JUN 304	JUL 305	AUG 306	SEP 307	OCT 308	NOV 309
PT-CY-01	Dynal Slide	Enumeration of Cryptosporidium oocysts Enumeration of other Cryptosporidium Enumeration of Crypto-like bodies (CLB's) Enumeration of Giardia	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CY-02	Genera Slide	Enumeration of Cryptosporidium oocysts Enumeration of other Cryptosporidium Enumeration of Crypto-like bodies (CLB's) Enumeration of Giardia	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CY-03	Suspension	Enumeration of Cryptosporidium oocysts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CY-04	Filta Max Filter	Enumeration of Cryptosporidium oocysts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CY-05	Filta Max Xpress Filter	Enumeration of Cryptosporidium oocysts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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**All customers:** Customers who order microbiological samples must also complete and sign our [Customer Declaration on the Purchase of Microbiological Materials](#) and send it to [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com).

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Name

Date

## RETURN OF SAMPLES

For the filter samples (PT-CY-04 and PT-CY-05), following examination:

- The filter housings (PT-CY-04 and PT-CY-05) must be returned to our collaboration partner Moredun Scientific; the deadline for returning samples is the day after the reporting deadline - this information can be found in the Schedule Overview table on page 1.
- Samples must be returned in the original container.
- Costs of the return shipment are to be covered by the participant.
- Return address details and a reminder of the Sample Return deadline will be included in the sample package.
- We would advise you to analyse the samples as soon as possible on receipt and return to Moredun Scientific immediately afterwards.

For sample PT-CY-01, PT-CY-02 and PT-CY-03 Suspension, it is not necessary to return samples to Moredun Scientific.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

There have been no technical changes to the 2025 scheme year.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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The Hygiene Surface Monitoring (HYGIENE) proficiency testing scheme includes samples for environmental microbiology analysis. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
MAR	HY347	24 Mar 2025	28 Apr 2025	01, 02, 03, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 11
JUL	HY351	21 Jul 2025	26 Aug 2025	01, 02, 03, 12, 13, 14
NOV	HY355	17 Nov 2025	22 Dec 2025	01, 02, 03, 05, 09, 10, 11, 14, 15

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

### SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

Swab			Round and Month (HY)			
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAR 347	JUL 351	NOV 355
PT-HY-01 Surface swabbing (Indicators)	Plastic surface with a lyophilised tablet	Direct count and/or swab count of the following analytes: Total aerobic mesophilic count; Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-HY-02 Surface swabbing (Pathogens)	Plastic surface with a lyophilised tablet	Direct detection and/or swab detection of the following analytes: Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-HY-10 Swab rinsate sample (Indicators)	Lyophilised tablet and 10ml diluent	Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould; Enterobacteriaceae; Coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Total aerobic mesophilic count	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-HY-11 Swab rinsate sample (Pathogens)	Lyophilised tablet and 10ml diluent	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> ; <i>Salmonella</i> species; <i>E.coli</i> O157	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Contact Plate			Round and Month (HY)			
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAR 347	JUL 351	NOV 355
PT-HY-03 Contact plate	Plastic surface with a lyophilised tablet	Total aerobic mesophilic count; Identification of organism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-HY-06 Contact plate	Plastic surface with a lyophilised tablet	Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



Contact Plate			Round and Month (HY)			
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAR 347	JUL 351	NOV 355
PT-HY-07 Contact plate	Plastic surface with a lyophilised tablet	Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-HY-12 Contact plate	Plastic surface with a lyophilised tablet	Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Sponge			Round and Month (HY)			
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAR 347	JUL 351	NOV 355
PT-HY-13 * Sponge	Ready to test sponge	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-HY-14 * Sponge	Ready to test sponge	Detection of <i>Listeria</i> species; <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-HY-15 * Sponge <b>NEW</b>	Ready to test sponge	Detection of <i>Cronobacter</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Air Filter			Round and Month (HY)			
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAR 347	JUL 351	NOV 355
PT-HY-09. Air filter testing	2 x Dry 0.45µm membrane filter	Total viable count; Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ATP Monitoring Systems				Round and Month (HY)			
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAR 347	JUL 351	NOV 355	
PT-HY-05 * ATP	Lyophilised tablet/s for testing using ATP monitoring systems (diluent required)	ATP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

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- ☐ Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research
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**All customers:** Customers who order microbiological samples must also complete and sign our [Customer Declaration on the Purchase of Microbiological Materials](#) and send it to [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com).

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## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced a new sample as follows:

- PT-HY-15 Cronobacter detection in sponge. This will be available in round HY355 (November 2025).

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other samples in our other schemes that may be of interest to you:

- Water Microbiology (QWAS): PT-WT-433 Endoscope water. Further information can be found on our [Water Microbiology \(QWAS\) Scheme web page](#)
- Food Chemistry (QFCS): PT-FC-855 (Gluten on surface swabs) and PT-FC-882 (Peanut on surface swabs). Further information can be found on our [Food Chemistry \(QFCS\) Scheme web page](#)

## GENERAL NOTES

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The Water Microbiology (QWAS) proficiency testing scheme includes microbiological samples in water. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
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### YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
FEB	WT346	10 Feb 2025	17 Mar 2025	412, 413, 417, 418, 420, 422, 434
MAR	WT347	10 Mar 2025	14 Apr 2025	412, 413, 414, 416, 419, 421, 423, 426, 427
APR	WT348	07 Apr 2025	12 May 2025	412, 413, 425, 429, 432, 435, 436
MAY	WT349	12 May 2025	16 Jun 2025	412, 413, 414, 416, 419, 421, 424, 433
JUN	WT350	16 Jun 2025	21 Jul 2025	412, 413, 417, 418, 423
JUL	WT351	14 Jul 2025	18 Aug 2025	412, 413, 414, 416, 419, 421
SEP	WT353	08 Sep 2025	13 Oct 2025	412, 413, 417, 418, 424, 427
OCT	WT354	06 Oct 2025	10 Nov 2025	412, 413, 414, 416, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 431, 434
NOV	WT355	10 Nov 2025	15 Dec 2025	412, 413, 425
DEC	WT356	08 Dec 2025	26 Jan 2026	412, 413, 417, 418

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### SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

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Domestic and Potable (low contamination)			Round and Month (WT)											
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAR 347	APR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	OCT 354	NOV 355	DEC 356	
PT-WT-412 Potable Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 1 litre	Total aerobic count at 22 & 37°C; Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Coliforms; Enterococci (faecal streptococci)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-WT-413 Potable Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 1 litre	Enumeration of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> ; sulphite-reducing Clostridia; sulphite-reducing Clostridia spores ONLY; <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> ; Yeast & Mould (total); Yeast; Mould; Detection of sulphite-reducing Clostridia	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-WT-420 Mineral Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of up to 10 x 1 litre	Total aerobic count at 22 & 37°C; Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterococci (faecal streptococci); <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-WT-423 Potable Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of up to 10 x 1 litre	Detection of <i>Legionella</i> species (low level); Enumeration of <i>Legionella</i> species by culture; Identification of <i>Legionella pneumophila</i> <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-WT-424 Mineral Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 1 litre	Detection of coagulase positive staphylococci; sulphite-reducing Clostridia; sulphite-reducing Clostridia spores ONLY	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-WT-425 Potable Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to a final volume of 1 litre	Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Coliforms; Enterococci (faecal streptococci)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>		



Domestic and Potable (low contamination)			Round and Month (WT)											
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAR 347	APR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	OCT 354	NOV 355	DEC 356	
PT-WT-431 * Drinking water	Vial	Detection of Somatic coliphages; Quantification of Somatic coliphages	<div></div>								<div></div>			

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Industrial/Effluent/Biofilm (high contamination)			Round and Month (WT)											
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAR 347	APR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	OCT 354	NOV 355	DEC 356	
PT-WT-414 Process Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 100ml	Total aerobic count; Enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas</i> species; <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> ; Yeast & Mould (total); Yeast; Mould	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-WT-417 Industrial Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of up to 10 x 1 litre	Enumeration of <i>Legionella pneumophila</i> by PCR or culture (membrane filtration or direct count); Detection of <i>Legionella pneumophila</i> ; Identification of <i>Legionella pneumophila</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-WT-418 Industrial Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of up to 10 x 1 litre	Enumeration of <i>Legionella</i> species by PCR or culture (membrane filtration or direct count); Detection of <i>Legionella</i> species; Identification of <i>Legionella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	

Surface/Waste/Sludge/Bathing/Recreational/Natural			Round and Month (WT)											
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAR 347	APR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	OCT 354	NOV 355	DEC 356	
PT-WT-416 Simulated Effluent Sludge	2 x 10g simulated sludge sample	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species; Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterobacteriaceae <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-WT-419 Surface/Waste/ Bathing Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of up to 10 x 1 litre	Enumeration of total coliforms; faecal coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterococci (faecal streptococci); Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			

Surface/Waste/Sludge/Bathing/Recreational/Natural			Round and Month (WT)											
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAR 347	APR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	OCT 354	NOV 355	DEC 356	
PT-WT-421 Surface/Bathing/ Recreational Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 1 litre	Total aerobic count; Enumeration of coagulase positive staphylococci; <i>Staphylococcus</i> species; sulphite-reducing Clostridia; <i>Clostridium perfringens</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-WT-422 Sea Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of up to 10 x 1 litre	Enumeration of total coliforms; faecal coliforms; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterococci (faecal streptococci); Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-WT-432 * Simulated Effluent Sludge NEW	10g simulated sludge sample	Enumeration of Enterococci	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-WT-435 * Surface/Waste/ Recreational Water NEW	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of up to 10 x 1 litre	Enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Enterococci; <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-WT-436 * Waste water NEW	Vial	Detection of Somatic coliphages; Quantification of Somatic coliphages	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>								

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General water microbiology			Round and Month (WT)											
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAR 347	APR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	OCT 354	NOV 355	DEC 356	
PT-WT-426 General Water	Vial	Identification of unknown organism	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>									
PT-WT-427- VIRTUAL	Paper exercise	Colony count and calculation of number of microorganisms	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-WT-434 * Water (all types) NEW	Vial	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>							<input type="checkbox"/>			

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Hospital/Pharmaceutical			Round and Month (WT)											
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 346	MAR 347	APR 348	MAY 349	JUN 350	JUL 351	SEP 353	OCT 354	NOV 355	DEC 356	
PT-WT-429 Dialysis Water	10ml vial to be reconstituted to final volume of 100ml	Total aerobic count @ 17-23°C	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>								
PT-WT-433 * Endoscope water NEW	Vial	Total viable count; Detection of environmental <i>Mycobacterium</i> species; <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>							

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To access our General Protocol, covering our scheme organisation and operation, test materials, reporting of results, data analysis/performance assessment and information provided to participants, please click on the following link: [GENERAL PROTOCOL – PT Schemes](#)

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced a number of new samples as follows:

- Sample PT-WT-432 (Microorganisms in Effluent sludge). This sample is available in round WT348 (April 2025)
- Sample PT-WT-433 (Endoscope water). This sample is available in round WT349 (May 2025)
- Sample PT-WT-434 (Detection of Salmonella in water (all types)). This sample is available in round WT346 (February 2025) and WT354 (October 2025)
- Sample PT-WT-435 (Microorganisms in Surface/Waste/recreational). This sample is available in round WT348 (April 2025)
- Sample PT-WT-436 (Somatic Coliphages ( $\phi$ X174) in Wastewater). This sample is available in round WT348 (April 2025)

We have added a number of new analytes as follows:

- Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae added to PT-WT-416 (Detection of Salmonella in Effluent sludge)
- Identification of *Legionella pneumophila* added to PT-WT-423 (Legionella in Potable Water)

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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The Cosmetics, Toiletries & Detergents (COSMETICS) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and microbiological samples in cosmetic and related products. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
JAN CS057	27 Jan 2025	03 Mar 2025	21,22,27,29	
APR CS058	22 Apr 2025	27 May 2025	19,23,33,34,35,36	10A,10B,13A,13B,16A,16B,30,37
AUG CS059	18 Aug 2025	22 Sep 2025	20,22,24,28,31,32	
NOV CS060	24 Nov 2025	12 Jan 2026	19,23,25	10A,10B,13A,13B,16A,16B,30

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### MICROBIOLOGY

Microbiological Testing				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-10A	Vial + 10g matrix	Powder	Detection and/or enumeration of aerobic mesophilic bacteria; <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-10B	Vial + 10g matrix	Powder	Enumeration of yeast and mould (total count); Detection of <i>Candida albicans</i> ; <i>Burkholderia cepacia</i> ; Detection and/or enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-13A	Vial + 10g matrix	Cream	Detection and/or enumeration of aerobic mesophilic bacteria; <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-13B	Vial + 10g matrix	Cream	Enumeration of yeast and mould (total count); Detection of <i>Candida albicans</i> ; <i>Burkholderia cepacia</i> ; Detection and/or enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-16A	Vial + 10mL matrix	Liquid	Detection and/or enumeration of aerobic mesophilic bacteria; <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ; Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae; Detection of <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-16B	Vial + 10mL matrix	Liquid	Enumeration of yeast and mould (total count); Detection of <i>Candida albicans</i> ; <i>Burkholderia cepacia</i> ; Detection and/or enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Microbiological Testing				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-30 *	Vial + 10mL matrix	Cream	Microbial challenge test (Preservative efficacy testing); Microbial enumeration; Log <sub>10</sub> reduction in microbial load  <b>April (CS058): <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i></b> <b>November (CS060): <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i></b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-37 * <b>NEW</b>	10ml	Vial	Identification of unknown organism	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

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### CHEMISTRY

Elements				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-19	5g	Lipstick	Cadmium; Chromium; Lead; Nickel; Arsenic#; Mercury#	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-20	5g	Lip gloss	Cadmium; Chromium; Lead; Nickel; Arsenic#; Mercury#	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-CS-21	5g	Powder sample	Cadmium; Chromium; Lead; Nickel; Arsenic#; Mercury#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-CS-24 *	125mL	Mouthwash sample	Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Copper; Fluoride; Mercury; Selenium; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-CS-25 *	25g	Toothpaste sample	Antimony; Arsenic; Barium; Copper; Fluoride; Mercury; Selenium; Zinc	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>

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Additives and Preservatives				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-22	5mL	Cream sample	Hydroquinone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-27 *	25mL	Cream sample	Methylparaben; Propylparaben; Butylparaben; Benzoic acid; Sorbic acid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-31 *	5g	Mascara sample	Methylparaben; Propylparaben; Butylparaben; Benzoic acid; Sorbic acid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Product Quality and Essential characteristics				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-23	500mL	Liquid cosmetic sample	pH; Viscosity; Density	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-28 *	100g	Liquid or solid soap	Chlorides (as Cl <sup>-</sup> ); Free caustic alkali (as NaOH); Free fatty acids (as oleic acid); Matter insoluble in ethanol; Moisture and volatile matter; Total fatty matter content	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-29 *	100g	Powder detergent	Water insoluble matter; pH (1% aqueous solution at 25°C); Moisture and volatile matter; Anionic-active matter; Chlorides (as Cl <sup>-</sup> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-32 *	100mL	Liquid detergent	Water insoluble matter; pH (1% aqueous solution at 25°C); Moisture and volatile matter; Anionic-active matter; Chlorides (as Cl <sup>-</sup> ); Phosphates (as PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-CS-33 *	3 x 20mL	Hand sanitiser	Ethanol <b>NEW</b> ; Methanol <b>NEW</b> ; 1-Propanol <b>NEW</b> ; 2-Propanol <b>NEW</b> ; Total Alcohol <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Product Quality and Essential characteristics				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-34 *	50 x Face masks	Face masks	Bacterial filtration efficiency (BFE); Differential pressure (Breathability); Microbial cleanliness (Bioburden); Fluid resistance to synthetic blood	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

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Allergens				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-35 *	30mL	Liquid in an amber glass bottle^	Allergenic compounds	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

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^Allergens in cosmetics e.g. fragrances. The format of this material is subject to change.

Banned/restricted compounds				Round and Month (CS)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 057	APR 058	AUG 059	NOV 060
PT-CS-36 * <b>NEW</b>	10g	Sunscreen cream	Benzene	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have expanded the scheme name to be the ‘Cosmetics, Toiletries & Detergents’ Scheme, in order to correctly capture the full extent of the materials covered within the scheme.

We have introduced a new sample as follows:

- PT-CS-36 (Benzene in sunscreen cream). This will be available in round CS058 (April 2025).
- PT-CS-37 (Identification Test). This will be available in round CS058 (April 2025).

We have removed the analyte ‘Cationic active matter’ from samples PT-CS-29 (Chemical analysis of powder detergents) and PT-CS-32 (Chemical analysis of liquid detergents).

For sample PT-CS-33 (Quality of Hand Sanitiser), we have amended the sample format to provide 3 x 20ml liquid hand sanitiser. We have also extended the analytes within the sample to cover the following:

- Ethanol
- Methanol
- 1-Propanol
- 2-Propanol
- Total Alcohol

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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The Nickel Migration (NiMS) proficiency testing scheme includes samples for nickel migration analysis. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany  
Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JUN	NK350	30 Jun 2025	04 Aug 2025	01

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

Samples Available				Round and Month (NK)
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	JUN 350
PT-NK-01	3 x test articles (A, B and C)	Test articles may be alloy disks, jewellery or other appropriate articles (whole or parts of items).	Surface area; Nickel release	

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

For the 2025 scheme year, we have reduced the number of rounds for the NiMS scheme from two rounds to one round.

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The Pharmaceutical and Dietary Supplements (PHARMASSURE) proficiency testing scheme includes samples for physicochemical analytical techniques and microbiological analyses. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month & Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Chemistry	Microbiology
FEB PH092	24 Feb 2025	31 Mar 2025	01,2A,2E,6F,6J,6K,8B	4A,4B,05
MAY PH093	27 May 2025	30 Jun 2025	01,2B,6A,6B,6C,7A,11,12,20,22	03,05
AUG PH094	26 Aug 2025	29 Sep 2025	01,2A,2E,6D,6E,6F,6M,8A,14,16,21	4A,4B,05,09,24,25
NOV PH095	24 Nov 2025	12 Jan 2026	01,2B,6G,6H,6I,7A,7B,7C,11,15,23	03,05,26

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**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

For Pharmacopoeia method information, please scroll to the end of the **SAMPLE AVAILABILITY** section.

### CHEMISTRY

Chemical Testing				Round and Month (PH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 092	MAY 093	AUG 094	NOV 095
PT-PH-01	Varying volumes	6 samples 1A-1F	1A: pH; 1B: Acid/Base titration; 1C: Other titrations, for the determination of: Dipotassium hydrogen phosphate, Sodium bicarbonate, Magnesium, Sodium chloride; 1D: Density; 1E: Refractive Index; 1F: Melting point	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-02A	Varying volumes <sup>^</sup>	1 sample and reference standard (PH092: Assay. PH094: Related substances test)	HPLC Analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-02B *	5g sample; 1g matrix	Powder	Trace elements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-02E *	2g sample; 1ml spike	Powder and spiking solution	Residual solvents	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-06A	Varying volumes <sup>^</sup>	Sample and reference standard <sup>^</sup>	Gas Chromatography (GC)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-06B	Varying volumes <sup>^</sup>	1 sample <sup>^</sup>	UV	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



Chemical Testing				Round and Month (PH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 092	MAY 093	AUG 094	NOV 095
PT-PH-06C	250mL	Liquid solution sample	Viscosity	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-PH-06D	Varying volumes^	1 sample^	Loss on Drying (LOD)	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-PH-06E	Varying volumes^	Sample and reference standard^	FTIR	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-PH-06F	Varying volumes^	PH092: Solid PH094: Liquid	Karl Fischer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-PH-06G	Varying volumes^	Sample, reference standard and TLC plates^	TLC	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-06H	60mL	Liquid solution sample	FLAA	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-06I	Varying volumes^	1 sample^	Polarimetry	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-06J	Varying volumes^	1 sample^	Advanced Titration	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-PH-06K *	1g	1 sample^	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) Spectrometry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
PT-PH-06M *	Varying volumes^	1 sample^	Residue on Ignition	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	

Chemical Testing				Round and Month (PH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 092	MAY 093	AUG 094	NOV 095
PT-PH-07A *	Varying volumes^	PH093: HPLC PH095: UV	Dissolution testing	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-PH-07B *	-	1 sample	Tablet testing	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-PH-07C *	10	Dosage units and reference standard	Uniformity of dosage units	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-PH-08A *	125mL	1 sample	Low level conductivity (<50 µS/cm)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-PH-08B *	-	1 sample	Particulate determination	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-PH-11 *	4mL	Solution	Endotoxins in solutions	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-PH-22 * <b>NEW</b>	2g	Powdered drug substances	N-nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA); N-nitrosodiethylamine (NDEA)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
PT-PH-23 * <b>NEW</b>	100ml	E-liquid	D-Glucose; D-Fructose; Caffeine; Taurine; Vitamin E acetate	<input type="checkbox"/>				

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^Format depends upon type of test material.

Consumer Safety samples				Round and Month (PH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 092	MAY 093	AUG 094	NOV 095
PT-PH-12 *	100mL	E-Liquid Solution	Nicotine; Propylene glycol; Glycerol; Density; Refractive index; pH	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		

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Dietary and Herbal Supplements				Round and Month (PH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 092	MAY 093	AUG 094	NOV 095
PT-PH-14 *	10g	Supplement	Arsenic; Cadmium; Lead; Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-PH-15 *	2 x 5g sample	Sexual enhancement supplement	Adulterants (including Sildenafil) <b>NEW</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-16 *	10ml of oil or 5g of powdered material	Oil or Powdered material	Cannabidiol	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-PH-20 *	30g	Multivitamin supplement	Vitamin B1; Vitamin B2; Vitamin B3; Vitamin B5; Vitamin B6; Folic acid; Biotin; Vitamin B12; Vitamin C	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
PT-PH-21 *	15g	Multielement supplement	Calcium; Zinc; Magnesium; Copper; Manganese; Potassium; Iron; Total Chromium; Selenium; Compliance with labelling	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	

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## MICROBIOLOGY

Microbiological Testing				Round and Month (PH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 092	MAY 093	AUG 094	NOV 095
PT-PH-03	10ml (final test quantity 100ml)	Vial representing pharmaceutical product	Low-level enumeration; Identification of microorganism (Intended for membrane filtration)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Microbiological Testing				Round and Month (PH)				
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	FEB 092	MAY 093	AUG 094	NOV 095
PT-PH-04A	10ml (final test quantity 100ml)	Vial representing pharmaceutical product	Total aerobic microbial count; Total bacterial count; Detection and/or Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Bile tolerant gram-negative bacteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-04B	10ml (final test quantity 100ml)	Vial representing pharmaceutical product	Detection of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> ; <i>Burkholderia cepacia</i> ; <i>Candida albicans</i> ; Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Total yeast and mould; <i>Candida albicans</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-05	5 x 5ml (final test quantity 5 x 100ml)	Vial representing pharmaceutical product	Sterility; Identification of microorganism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-09	10ml (final test quantity 100ml)	Vial representing pharmaceutical product	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-24 <b>NEW</b>	10ml vial + 10g medicinal herb matrix	Vial + medicinal herb matrix	Total aerobic microbial count Detection and/or Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ; Bile tolerant gram-negative organisms; <i>Escherichia coli</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-25 * <b>NEW</b>	10ml vial + 10g medicinal herb matrix	Vial + medicinal herb matrix	Detection and/or Enumeration of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> ; <i>Candida albicans</i> ; yeast; mould; yeast and mould	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-PH-26 <b>NEW</b>	10ml vial + 10g medicinal herb matrix	Vial + medicinal herb matrix	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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†Please note that a volume discount may apply to this price, depending on the number of Pharmaceutical (PHARMASSURE) PT Scheme samples purchased. For further details, please see the Volume Quantity Discount section.

EUP, USP and CHP methods are indicated for information only. Other methods can be used by the participants.

Sample	EUP	USP	CHP
PT-PH-01	2.2.3	541	0601
	2.2.6	741	0612
	2.2.14	791	0622
	2.2.20	831	0631
	2.2.60		0701
PT-PH-02A	2.2.29	621	0512
PT-PH-02B	5.2	252	0411
			0406
			0412
PT-PH-02E	2.2.28	467	0861
	2.4.24		
PT-PH-03	2.6.12	-	1105
PT-PH-04A	2.6.12	-	1105
	2.6.13		1106

Sample	EUP	USP	CHP
PT-PH-04B	2.6.13	60	1105
		61	1106
		62	
PT-PH-05	2.6.1	71	1101
PT-PH-06A	2.2.28	621	0521
PT-PH-06B	2.2.25	-	0401
PT-PH-06C	2.2.9	911	0633
	2.2.10	912	
PT-PH-06D	2.2.32	731	0831
PT-PH-06E	2.2.24	197	0402
PT-PH-06F	2.5.12	921	0832
PT-PH-06G	2.2.27	621	0502
PT-PH-06H	2.2.22	232	0407
	2.2.23	233	
	2.2.57		

Sample	EUP	USP	CHP
PT-PH-06I	2.2.7	781	0621
PT-PH-06J	-	-	0701
			0702
PT-PH-06K	2.2.33	761	0441
PT-PH-06M	2.4.14	281	0841
PT-PH-07A	2.9.3	711	0931
PT-PH-07B	2.9.1	701	0101
	2.9.5	1216	0921
	2.9.7	1217	0923
	2.9.8		
PT-PH-07C	2.9.40	905	0941
PT-PH-08A	2.2.338	644	0681
PT-PH-08B	2.9.19	788	0903
	2.2.20		

Sample	EUP	USP	CHP
PT-PH-09	2.6.13	62	1106
PT-PH-11	2.6.14	85	1143
PT-PH-14	-	-	2321
PT-PH-22	-	1469	-
PT-PH-24	-	61	-
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PT-PH-25	-	61	-
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PT-PH-26	-	61	-
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**All customers:** Customers who order microbiological samples must also complete and sign our [Customer Declaration on the Purchase of Microbiological Materials](#) and send it to [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com).

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## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Sample Reference	% Discount for taking all available rounds
05	10.0%

## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have expanded the scheme name to be the ‘Pharmaceutical and Dietary Supplements’ Scheme, in order to correctly capture the full extent of the materials covered within the scheme.

We have introduced new samples as follows:

- PT-PH-22 Nitrosamines (NDMA) in pharmaceuticals. This will be available in round PH093 (May 2025).
- PT-PH-23 Additives in e-liquid. This will be available in round PH095 (November 2025).
- PT-PH-26 Salmonella in medicinal herbs. This will be available in round PH095 (November 2025).

We have discontinued sample PT-PH-10 (Microbiological testing of medicinal herbs) and replaced it with two samples aligning with the contents of samples PT-PH-04A and PT-PH-04B, but in a medicinal herb matrix:

- PT-PH-24 is for the analysis of Total aerobic microbial count; Detection and/or Enumeration of *Staphylococcus aureus*; Bile tolerant gram-negative organisms; *Escherichia coli*
- PT-PH-25 is for the analysis of Detection and/or Enumeration of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*; *Candida albicans*; yeast; mould; yeast and mould

Sample PT-PH-15, for the analysis of Sildenafil, now also covers other adulterants in sexual enhancement supplements.

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the following samples:

- PT-PH-13 Potency of Ginseng
- PT-PH-18 Potency of *Ginkgo biloba*
- PT-PH-19 Phytochemical Identity Confirmation

We have added PT-PH-24 for Total aerobic count, S.aureus and indicators in medicinal herbs and PT-PH-26 for Salmonella in medicinal herbs, as accredited under LGC’s flexible scope of UKAS accreditation.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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The Toys and Consumer Product Testing (TOYTEST) proficiency testing scheme includes chemical and physical samples to guarantee the safety of toys and materials. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
**LGC Standards GmbH, Mercatorstr. 51, 46485 Wesel, Germany**  
 Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)

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### YOUR ORDER

If you would like to renew your order for the same samples/rounds as per previous year, please tick this box:

**RENEW ME AS LAST YEAR**

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages.

If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	TY113	27 Jan 2025	03 Mar 2025	02, 03, 10, 14
MAR	TY114	24 Mar 2025	28 Apr 2025	01, 03, 07, 09, 11, 12, 17, 18, 24
MAY	TY115	19 May 2025	23 Jun 2025	02, 03, 10, 13, 15, 16
JUL	TY116	21 Jul 2025	26 Aug 2025	03, 09, 10, 14, 17, 25
SEP	TY117	22 Sep 2025	27 Oct 2025	01, 03, 05, 07, 11, 12, 18, 19
NOV	TY118	24 Nov 2025	12 Jan 2026	02, 03, 09, 10, 13, 23

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

The despatch date shown above is the date the sample will leave our site in the UK. Please note, this is not the date the samples will arrive at your laboratory. Delivery times vary based on country, if you require further information, please contact LGC.

## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

**Please note:** Where a footnote symbol ( \* | # | ^ | † ) appears in a column, the footnote description text may appear at the end of a table that may span across multiple pages. Please scroll to the end of the table for these details.

Physical Testing			Round and Month (TY)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 113	MAR 114	MAY 115	JUL 116	SEP 117	NOV 118
PT-TY-01	Toy product provided for paper exercise	EN71 Part 1	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-02	Sections of material/toy products for flammability testing	EN71 Part 2	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-07	Toy product provided for paper exercise	ASTM F963	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-11	Selection of products (e.g. cord, plastic sheeting)	Measurement testing (EN71-1 & ASTM F963)	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-12	Toy product provided	Kinetic energy testing (EN71-1 & ASTM F963)	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-13	Toy product provided	Acoustic testing (EN71-1)	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-14 *	Magnetic material provided	Flux testing (EN71-1 & ASTM F963)	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-15 *	Toy or similar for assessment	Electrical testing (EN62115)	<input type="checkbox"/>						

Physical Testing			Round and Month (TY)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 113	MAR 114	MAY 115	JUL 116	SEP 117	NOV 118
PT-TY-25 * <b>NEW</b>	Soothers	Shield ventilation; Ring; Puncture resistance of teat (EN 1400:2013+A1:2014)	<input type="checkbox"/>						

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Chemical Testing			Round and Month (TY)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 113	MAR 114	MAY 115	JUL 116	SEP 117	NOV 118
PT-TY-03	Real material plus test solutions Category I: Wax Crayons (TY115) Category II: Liquid paint (TY114) and (TY117) Category III: Paint flakes (TY116) and (TY118), Textile (TY113)	EN71 Part 3	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-09	Dried paint flakes	Total Lead, Total Cadmium, Total Chromium & Total Nickel; Total Tin, Total Mercury	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-10	Section of rubber material plus two test solutions	Phthalates	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-16 *	Plastic bead or pellet	Total Bisphenol A	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-17 *	50g 'slime' product	Toy Safety Directive / EN 71-3 - Boron	<input type="checkbox"/>						
PT-TY-18 *	2x1g sample	Total lead & total cadmium in jewellery (REACH regulation)	<input type="checkbox"/>						

Chemical Testing			Round and Month (TY)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 113	MAR 114	MAY 115	JUL 116	SEP 117	NOV 118
PT-TY-19 *	Flammability of moulded plastic material (Toy product provided)	Flammability assessment of moulded plastic to US ASTM F963-17, 16 CFR § 1500.44, SRS-013	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	
PT-TY-24 *	2g of faux leather	SCCPs; MCCPs	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>				

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Activity Toys Safety Assessment			Round and Month (TY)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 113	MAR 114	MAY 115	JUL 116	SEP 117	NOV 118
PT-TY-05-VIRTUAL	Information provided for paper exercise	EN71 Part 8	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Product labelling			Round and Month (TY)						
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	JAN 113	MAR 114	MAY 115	JUL 116	SEP 117	NOV 118
PT-TY-23 *	Information and/or actual toy product provided for paper exercise	Toy product labelling: Assessment to Toy Safety standard clauses (to be specified)	<input type="checkbox"/>						<input type="checkbox"/>

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Samples purchased per order	Volume Discount
1-3	0.0%
4-7	10.0%
8+	20.0%

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We have introduced a new sample as follows:

- PT-TY-25 Soothers for babies and young children (EN 1400:2013+A1:2014). This sample is available in round TY116 (July 2025)

For sample PT-TY-10 (analysis of phthalates), we have increased the quantity provided of the simulated silicon material to 12g.

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the following samples:

- PT-TY-20 Aniline in toy materials
- PT-TY-21 Hazardous heavy metal analysis in rubber (Cadmium)
- PT-TY-22 Nonylphenol in baby textiles

We have removed chalk as a matrix type available in sample PT-TY-03 (EN71-3 testing).

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The DAH proficiency testing scheme includes clinical samples for drugs in hair. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
MAR	DH048	03 Mar 2025	07 Apr 2025	01+02
MAY	DH049	19 May 2025	23 Jun 2025	01+02
AUG	DH050	18 Aug 2025	22 Sep 2025	01+02
NOV	DH051	24 Nov 2025	12 Jan 2026	01+02

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

Samples Available			Round and Month (DH)				
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	All Rounds	MAR 048	MAY 049	AUG 050	NOV 051
PT-DH-01+2 *	2 x 250 milligrams of 2-3 mm segments of human hair	For the identification and quantification of up to 4 analytes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

\*Please note that these samples are not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation.

†Participants taking all four rounds will receive 10% discount.

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the following samples:

- Sample PT-DH-03&04 (Identification and quantification of Ethyl Glucuronide).

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

We have a number of other Clinical schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on our [Clinical schemes webpage](#)

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The Drugs of Abuse in Urine (DAU) proficiency testing scheme includes clinical samples for drugs in urine. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	DU155	20 Jan 2025	24 Feb 2025	FULL, SCREENING
APR	DU156	28 Apr 2025	02 Jun 2025	FULL, SCREENING
JUL	DU157	28 Jul 2025	01 Sep 2025	FULL, SCREENING
OCT	DU158	27 Oct 2025	01 Dec 2025	FULL, SCREENING

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please tick the relevant box to indicate your required level of participation:

Samples Available			Rounds (DU)
Sample	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-DU-FULL-W Full participation using confirmatory methods	Full participants will be able to report for the screening only analytes using immunoassay type techniques and individual analytes by chromatography type techniques. Approximately 210 individual analytes are available and are managed by your PORTAL online screening profile. Participants will receive 3 freeze-dried urine samples, each with a volume of 15ml.	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-DU-SCREEN-W Screening only methods	This is designed for participants who report using immunoassay type techniques, including POCT (point of care testing). Participants will receive 3 freeze-dried urine samples, each with a volume of 15ml. The screening groups are as follows:		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Amfetamine screen	Methadone screen	
	Barbiturate screen	Methamphetamine screen	
	Benzodiazepine screen	Opiate screen	
	Buprenorphine screen	Phencyclidine screen	
	Cannabinoid screen	Propoxyphene screen	
	Cocaine screen	Tricyclic screen	
	LSD screen	Integrity tests	
	Please note that it is not possible to report on individual analytes if participating on Screening-only basis.		

### Reporting Thresholds

Prior to submitting your results you will be asked to configure your screening profile (**applicable to both screening and full participation**), we recommend that you only select the analytes that you are routinely screening for; any drugs that are detected which you are not routinely screening should be added/removed from your screening profile on a round by round basis.

When configuring the screening profile it's **essential** that you choose the analyte with the reporting threshold that is most appropriate to your laboratory, this will either be the clinical threshold, EWDTS threshold or SAMHSA threshold.

E.g. Amphetamine (Clinical threshold 1000 µg/L) or Amphetamine (EWDTS threshold 200 µg/L)

**Note:** Failure to choose the most appropriate threshold to your laboratory could result in your laboratory being incorrectly assessed.

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## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

Repeat and duplicate samples will be charged at 50% of the main sample cost. Please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

There have been no technical changes to the 2025 scheme year.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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## GENERAL NOTES

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- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme.
- LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
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The Drugs of Abuse in Oral Fluid (DOF) proficiency testing scheme includes clinical samples for drugs in oral fluid. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
FEB	DO155	24 Feb 2025	31 Mar 2025	OF
JUN	DO156	09 Jun 2025	14 Jul 2025	OF
AUG	DO157	26 Aug 2025	29 Sep 2025	OF
NOV	DO158	17 Nov 2025	22 Dec 2025	OF

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please tick the following box to confirm your participation:

Samples Available			Rounds (DO)
Sample	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-DO-OF	<p>Participants will receive three samples at quarterly intervals with 4 weeks being allowed for drug analysis. The samples consist of 1.7ml volume of oral fluid obtained from volunteers.</p> <p>Participants report on the major misused drug groups, reporting ‘detected or “not detected” to scheme thresholds.</p>	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please note that all accredited samples are accredited within the boundaries of LGC’s fixed and flexible scope of UKAS accreditation. For further details and the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the [Scheme Description](#)

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## REPEAT/ADDITIONAL SAMPLES PRICES

For repeat/additional samples, please contact LGC for a quotation.

## CARRIAGE CHARGES

Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. Please contact LGC AXIO Proficiency Testing for up-to-date charges.

## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

There have been no technical changes to the 2025 scheme year.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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The Immunosuppressant (IPT) proficiency testing scheme includes clinical samples for immunosuppressants. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	IP490	13 Jan 2025	17 Feb 2025	CIC, EVE, MPA, SIR, TAC
FEB	IP491	10 Feb 2025	17 Mar 2025	CIC, SIR, TAC
MAR	IP492	10 Mar 2025	14 Apr 2025	CIC, EVE, MPA, SIR, TAC
APR	IP493	14 Apr 2025	19 May 2025	CIC, SIR, TAC
MAY	IP494	12 May 2025	16 Jun 2025	CIC, EVE, MPA, SIR, TAC
JUN	IP495	09 Jun 2025	14 Jul 2025	CIC, SIR, TAC
JUL	IP496	07 Jul 2025	11 Aug 2025	CIC, EVE, MPA, SIR, TAC
AUG	IP497	11 Aug 2025	15 Sep 2025	CIC, SIR, TAC
SEP	IP498	15 Sep 2025	20 Oct 2025	CIC, EVE, MPA, SIR, TAC
OCT	IP499	13 Oct 2025	17 Nov 2025	CIC, SIR, TAC
NOV	IP500	10 Nov 2025	15 Dec 2025	CIC, EVE, MPA, SIR, TAC
DEC	IP501	08 Dec 2025	19 Jan 2026	CIC, SIR, TAC

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the required samples in the grid.

Samples Available					Rounds (IP)
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-IP-CIC	3 x 1ml	Liquid human blood (A, B and C) <sup>^</sup>	Ciclosporin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-IP-EVE	3 x 1ml	Liquid human blood (A, B and C)	Everolimus	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-IP-MPA	2 x 1ml	Liquid human plasma	Mycophenolic acid	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-IP-SIR	3 x 1ml	Liquid human blood (A, B and C)	Sirolimus	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-IP-TAC	3 x 1ml	Liquid human blood (A, B and C) <sup>^</sup>	Tacrolimus	12	<input type="checkbox"/>

<sup>^</sup>Labs will receive one set of samples for both Ciclosporin and Tacrolimus. You must be registered for the relevant analyte(s) in order to return results for assessment.

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## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

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The Therapeutic Drugs Monitoring (TDM) proficiency testing scheme includes clinical samples in therapeutic drugs. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	AT256	06 Jan 2025	10 Feb 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
JAN	AT257	06 Jan 2025	10 Mar 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
JAN	AT258	06 Jan 2025	07 Apr 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
JAN	TM256	20 Jan 2025	24 Feb 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, AH01, AM1, CN1, CRD, NC01, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS05, PS06, PS07, PS08, PS09, PS10, PS11, PS26, PS29, PS32, PS34, PS37, PS40, SA01, SA02, TD1
JAN	TM257	20 Jan 2025	24 Mar 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS12, PS13, PS14, PS15, PS16, PS17, PS18, PS27, PS30, PS35, PS38, PST1, SA01, SA02, TD1
JAN	TM258	20 Jan 2025	22 Apr 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS19, PS20, PS21, PS22, PS23, PS24, PS25, PS28, PS31, PS33, PS39, SA01, SA02, TD1
APR	AT259	07 Apr 2025	12 May 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
APR	AT260	07 Apr 2025	09 Jun 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
APR	AT261	07 Apr 2025	07 Jul 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
APR	TM259	28 Apr 2025	02 Jun 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, AH01, AM1, CN1, CRD, NC01, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS05, PS06, PS07, PS08, PS09, PS10, PS11, PS26, PS29, PS32, PS34, PS37, PS40, SA01, SA02, TD1

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
APR	TM260	28 Apr 2025	30 Jun 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS12, PS13, PS14, PS15, PS16, PS17, PS18, PS27, PS30, PS35, PS38, PST1, SA01, SA02, TD1
APR	TM261	28 Apr 2025	28 Jul 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS19, PS20, PS21, PS22, PS23, PS24, PS25, PS28, PS31, PS33, PS39, SA01, SA02, TD1
JUN	AT262	30 Jun 2025	04 Aug 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
JUN	AT263	30 Jun 2025	01 Sep 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
JUN	AT264	30 Jun 2025	29 Sep 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
JUL	TM262	21 Jul 2025	26 Aug 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, AH01, AM1, CN1, CRD, NC01, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS05, PS06, PS07, PS08, PS09, PS10, PS11, PS26, PS29, PS32, PS34, PS37, PS40, SA01, SA02, TD1
JUL	TM263	21 Jul 2025	22 Sep 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS12, PS13, PS14, PS15, PS16, PS17, PS18, PS27, PS30, PS35, PS38, PST1, SA01, SA02, TD1
JUL	TM264	21 Jul 2025	20 Oct 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS19, PS20, PS21, PS22, PS23, PS24, PS25, PS28, PS31, PS33, PS39, SA01, SA02, TD1
SEP	AT265	29 Sep 2025	03 Nov 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
SEP	AT266	29 Sep 2025	01 Dec 2025	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
SEP	AT267	29 Sep 2025	05 Jan 2026	01, 02, 03, 07, AF01
OCT	TM265	27 Oct 2025	01 Dec 2025	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, AH01, AM1, CN1, CRD, NC01, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS05, PS06, PS07, PS08, PS09, PS10, PS11, PS26, PS29, PS32, PS34, PS37, PS40, SA01, SA02, TD1
OCT	TM266	27 Oct 2025	05 Jan 2026	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS12, PS13, PS14, PS15, PS16, PS17, PS18, PS27, PS30, PS35, PS38, PST1, SA01, SA02, TD1
OCT	TM267	27 Oct 2025	02 Feb 2026	AE1, AE2, AE4, AE5, AE6, AE7, CN1, CRD, PS01, PS02, PS03, PS04, PS19, PS20, PS21, PS22, PS23, PS24, PS25, PS28, PS31, PS33, PS39, SA01, SA02, TD1

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the required samples in the grid.

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Therapeutic Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-TD01	3 x 5ml samples of lyophilised human serum	Carbamazepine; CBZ-epoxide; Carbamazepine + CBZ-epoxide; Clonazepam; Lamotrigine; Phenytoin; Ethosuximide; Phenobarbitone; Primidone; Valproate; Caffeine; Digoxin; Lithium; Theophylline; Methotrexate; Paracetamol (Acetaminophen); Salicylic Acid; TD-Amikacin; TD-Gentamicin; TD-Tobramycin; TD-Vancomycin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Therapeutic Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-AE01	1 x 4ml sample of lyophilised human serum	OH-oxcarbazepine; Gabapentin; Tiagabine; Levetiracetam; Pregabalin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-AE02	1 x 4ml sample of lyophilised human serum	Topiramate; Vigabatrin; Felbamate; Zonisamide; Rufinamide; Lacosamide	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-AE04 *	1 x 2ml sample of lyophilised human serum	Perampanel	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-AE05 *	1 x 2ml sample of lyophilised human serum	Brivaracetam	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-AE6 * NEW	1 x 2ml sample of lyophilised human serum	Stiripentol	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-AE7 * NEW	1 x 2ml sample of lyophilised human serum	Sulthiame	12	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Therapeutic Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-AM01 *	2 x 5ml sample of lyophilised human serum	Ibuprofen; Diclofenac; Tramadol; O-Desmethyiltramadol <b>NEW</b>	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-CN01	2 x 2ml samples of lyophilised human serum	Clobazam; Norclobazam	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-CRD Cardiac mixture	1 x 2ml sample of lyophilised human serum	Amiodarone; Desethylamiodarone; Flecainide	12	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Drugs for Treatment of substance related disorders				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-SA01 Drugs for the Treatment of substance related disorders 1	2 x 2ml lyophilised human serum	Buprenorphine; Norbuprenorphine	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-SA02 Drugs for the Treatment of substance related disorders 2	2 x 2ml lyophilised human serum	Methadone; EDDP	12	<input type="checkbox"/>

Anti-Hypertensive Drug Screen				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-AH01 * Anti-Hypertensive in Urine	1 x 5ml lyophilised human urine (A and B)	Drug identification. Up to four drugs may be present in the sample, please see the TDM scheme description for further details	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Psychoactive Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-PS01	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Amitriptyline; Nortriptyline	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS02	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Imipramine; Desipramine	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS03	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Clomipramine; Norclomipramine	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS04	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Clozapine; Norclozapine	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS05	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Doxepin; Nordoxepin	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS06	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Fluoxetine; Norfluoxetine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS07	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Fluphenazine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS08	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Sertraline; Norsertraline	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS09	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Trimipramine; Nortrimipramine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS10	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Risperidone; HO-risperidone	4	<input type="checkbox"/>



Psychoactive Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-PS11	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Mirtazapine; Normirtazapine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS12	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Maprotiline	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS13	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Thioridazine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS14	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Haloperidol	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS15	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Olanzapine; Norolanzapine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS16	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Perphenazine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS17	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Quetiapine; Norquetiapine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS18	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Citalopram; Norcitalopram	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS19	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Dothiepin; Northiaden	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS20	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Venlafaxine; Norvenlafaxine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

Psychoactive Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-PS21	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Paroxetine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS22	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Fluvoxamine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS23	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Zuclopenthixol	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS24	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Amisulpride	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS25	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Aripiprazole; Dehydroaripiprazole	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS26	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Ziprasidone	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS27	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Duloxetine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS28	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Escitalopram	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS29	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Trazodone	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS30	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Sulpiride	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

Psychoactive Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-PS31 *	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Chlorpromazine; Norchlorpromazine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS32 *	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Mianserin	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS33 *	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Brexpiprazole	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS34 *	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Lurasidone	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS35 *	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Sertindole	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS37 *	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Vortioxetine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS38 *	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Meclobemide	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS39 * <b>NEW</b>	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Bupropion; Hydroxybupropion	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TM-PS40 * <b>NEW</b>	1 x 5ml sample of lyophilised newborn calf serum or human serum	Flupentixol	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Psychostimulants				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-PST1 *	2 x 5ml lyophilised human serum	Atomoxetine; Methylphenidate; Ritalinic acid	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Smoking Related Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TM-NC01 *	2 x 5ml lyophilised human urine	Nicotine; Cotinine	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Antibiotic and Antifungal Drugs				Rounds (TM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-AT-01	1 x 1ml human serum	Gentamicin; Vancomycin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AT-02	1 x 1ml human serum	Tobramycin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AT-03	1 x 1ml human serum	Amikacin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AT-07	1 x 1ml human serum	Teicoplanin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-AT-AF01 *	1 x 1.7 ml human serum	Posaconazole; Voriconazole; Itraconazole; OH-Itraconazole; Fluconazole; Isavuconazole	12	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Date

## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

Please note that any additional/duplicate samples ordered will not contribute to the calculation of volume discount, but will be charged at a lower rate (see Repeat/Additional samples section).

Psychoactive Drugs samples purchased per order	Volume Discount
1-5	0.0%
6-10	5.0%
11-15	10.0%
16+	15.0%

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have introduced a number of new samples as follows:

- Sample PT-TM-PS39 (Bupropion and Hydroxybupropion). This will be available quarterly.
- Sample PT-TM-PS40 (Flupentixol). This will be available quarterly.

We have added a new analyte as follows:

- Norolanzapine added to PT-TM-PS15 (Olanzapine)

To fall in line with the TDM samples, we will now despatch the Antibiotics samples quarterly, you will receive 3 rounds per despatch. The round open dates can be found in PORTAL.

We have removed sample PT-TM-TCO1 from this scheme however the sample has been added to our TOXICOLOGY Scheme.

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the below sample:

- PT-TM-PS36 (Iloperidone)

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We have a number of other Clinical schemes available which may be of interest to you. Further details can be found on [our Clinical schemes webpage](#)

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The Toxicology (TOX) proficiency testing scheme includes clinical samples for the toxicological analysis of biological specimens. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
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### YOUR ORDER

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We will copy over the samples/rounds purchased by you in the previous year and send you an order confirmation for your review. If you would like to add any other samples to your order, please mark them accordingly on the subsequent pages. If you would prefer to place a different/new order for this scheme year, please review the samples available on subsequent pages and indicate the number of samples required for each sample/round accordingly.

### SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JAN	TX316	13 Jan 2025	17 Feb 2025	BLD, QT, SM, TAS, URN
FEB	TX317	10 Feb 2025	17 Mar 2025	BLD, BNZB, SM, URN
FEB	TX318	10 Feb 2025	24 Mar 2025	CAS
MAR	TX319	10 Mar 2025	14 Apr 2025	BLD, BNZ, SM, URN, ZMIX
APR	TX320	14 Apr 2025	19 May 2025	BLD, QT, SM, URN
MAY	TX321	06 May 2025	09 Jun 2025	BLD, BNZB, GHB, SM, TAK, URN
MAY	TX322	06 May 2025	16 Jun 2025	CAS
JUN	TX323	09 Jun 2025	14 Jul 2025	BLD, BNZ, SM, URN, ZMIX
JUL	TX324	07 Jul 2025	11 Aug 2025	BLD, QT, SM, TAS, URN
AUG	TX325	04 Aug 2025	08 Sep 2025	BLD, BNZB, SM, URN
AUG	TX326	04 Aug 2025	15 Sep 2025	CAS
SEP	TX327	08 Sep 2025	13 Oct 2025	BLD, BNZ, SM, URN, ZMIX
OCT	TX328	13 Oct 2025	17 Nov 2025	BLD, QT, SM, URN
NOV	TX329	10 Nov 2025	15 Dec 2025	BLD, BNZB, GHB, SM, TAK, URN
NOV	TX330	10 Nov 2025	22 Dec 2025	CAS
DEC	TX331	08 Dec 2025	19 Jan 2026	BLD, BNZ, SM, URN, ZMIX

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Alcohol containing samples					Rounds (TX)
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TX-BLD	1 x 1.7ml	Liquid Blood Sample	Ethanol; Paracetamol (Acetaminophen); Salicylic acid; Carboxyhaemoglobin	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-SM	3 x 1.7ml	Liquid Serum Sample	Ethanol; Paracetamol (Acetaminophen); Salicylic acid	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-TAK	1 x 1.7ml	Liquid Blood Sample	Ethanol; Methanol; Isopropylalcohol (IPA); Acetone; Ethylene Glycol	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-TAS	1 x 1.7ml	Liquid Serum Sample	Ethanol; Methanol; Isopropylalcohol (IPA); Acetone; Ethylene Glycol	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-URN	1 x 1.7ml	Liquid Urine Sample	Ethanol	12	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Drug containing samples					Rounds (TX)
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-TX-BNZ	2 x 4ml	Lyophilised Human Serum Samples	Diazepam; Nordazepam; Temazepam; Oxazepam; Nitrazepam	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-BNZB	2 x 4ml	Lyophilised Human Serum Samples	Alprazolam; Bromazepam; Clonazepam; Lorazepam; Midazolam; Etizolam#	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-CAS	7ml Serum + 20ml Urine	1 x Serum Sample; 1 x Urine Sample + Scenario	Participants should report results, toxicological involvement and treatment options	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-GHB	3 x 2ml	Lyophilised Urine	Gammahydroxybutyrate	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-QT	2 x 9ml	Human blood samples	Participants should report quantitative data on specified analytes	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-TX-ZMIX *	2 x 4ml	Lyophilised Human Serum Samples	Zopiclone; Zaleplon; Zolpidem	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## VOLUME QUANTITY DISCOUNT

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PT-TX- <b>SM</b>	Quantitative - serum	2 samples = 20% 3 samples = 30%
PT-TX- <b>BLD</b>	Quantitative - blood	
PT-TX- <b>URN</b>	Quantitative - urine	

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

We have changed the format of the following sample:

- PT-TX-QT Whole blood quantitative toxicology: 2 x 9ml will now be provided instead of 2 x 10ml blood samples

Due to low participation numbers, we have removed the following samples:

- PT-TX-TC Tricyclic Antidepressant Screening in Human Serum
- PT-TX-CAN Quantitative Sample : Cannabinoid Mix

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The Forensic Analysis for Explosives (FAE) proficiency testing scheme aims to enable laboratories providing Forensic Analysis for Explosives (FAE) analytical services to monitor their performance and compare it with that of their peers. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

Please complete all sections below and return to:  
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**Tel: +49 (0)281 9887 210, Fax: +49 (0)2814 9887 199, E-Mail: [axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com](mailto:axiopt.de@lgcgroup.com)**

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## YOUR ORDER

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
APR	FA013	22 Apr 2025	27 May 2025	ID
SEP	FA014	22 Sep 2025	27 Oct 2025	ID

Please ensure that LGC receive your order as soon as possible in order to avoid stock shortages. Please note that orders received the week prior to the despatch date may be subject to a despatch delay.

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

Samples Available		Round and Month (FA)		
Sample	Target Analytes	All Rounds	APR 013	SEP 014
PT-FA-ID	<p>Participants are provided with a case scenario and samples relating to this scenario. Details of the sample/samples will be supplied when they are distributed.</p> <p><b>Participants will receive:</b> Samples for analysis and a corresponding Case Scenario. The case scenarios and samples differ between rounds and have included a range of scenarios including: a bomb factory, car bomb with debris, solutions from swabs taken after a letter bomb. Samples have included: analysis of raw materials, solutions obtained from post explosion swabbings and solutions for anion and cation analysis.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

There have been no technical changes to the 2025 scheme year.

### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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The Forensic Isotope Ratio Mass Spectrometry (FIRMS) proficiency testing scheme aims to enable laboratories performing isotope ratio analysis of a range of test materials to monitor their performance and compare it with that of their peers.. The following form contains the calendar of rounds followed by descriptions of the samples and prices.

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
JUN	FM350	09 Jun 2025	14 Jul 2025	01+02

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**SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES**

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid.

Samples Available			Round and Month (FM)
Sample	Supplied As	Target Analytes	JUN 350
PT-FM-01+2	0.5g in sealed amber vial	01 d-mannitol – $\delta^2\text{H}$ ; $\delta^{13}\text{C}$ ; $\delta^{15}\text{N}$ ; $\delta^{18}\text{O}$	<input type="text"/>
		02 Cinnamon powder – $\delta^2\text{H}$ ; $\delta^{13}\text{C}$ ; $\delta^{15}\text{N}$ ; $\delta^{18}\text{O}$	

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## CARRIAGE CHARGES

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

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## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Month	Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	Samples Available
FEB	QZ100	24 Feb 2025	14 Apr 2025	01+02, 03, 04, 05
MAY	QZ101	19 May 2025	07 Jul 2025	01+02, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10
AUG	QZ102	18 Aug 2025	06 Oct 2025	01+02, 03, 04, 05
NOV	QZ103	24 Nov 2025	19 Jan 2026	01+02, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10

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## SAMPLE AVAILABILITY – PLEASE SEE PAGE 1 FOR SPECIFIC DESPATCH AND REPORTING DATES

Please indicate the number of samples required per round in the grid. If you require a sample in all available rounds, please complete the **All Rounds** column.

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Samples Available					Rounds (QZ)
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-QZ-01+02	2x 10ml	Blood matrix	<b>Sample 1:</b> Participants will be asked to identify up to 4 drugs relevant to forensic toxicology. <b>Sample 2:</b> Quantification of a known drug (full identity or generic classification).	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-QZ-03.	10ml	Blood matrix	Drug quantification <b>Sample 3A:</b> Morphine, Methadone, Amphetamine Diazepam. <b>Sample 3B:</b> Citalopram, Codeine, Amitriptyline, Tramadol	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-QZ-04	10ml	Blood matrix	Quantification of alcohol and fluoride in a blood sample	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-QZ-05-VIRTUAL	-	Paper exercise	Interpretation of a case study (with analytical data, and a scenario or witness statement) to determine the potential blood alcohol level at a given time	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-QZ-06 *	10ml	Blood matrix	Participants are asked to quantify/identify a range of new psychoactive substances (NPS). Two substances are named and are for quantification and a further two substances are not named and are to be identified by screening (quantification results may also be included)	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-QZ-07 *	10ml	Blood matrix	Participants are asked to screen for synthetic cannabinoids and identify one of the most common synthetic cannabinoids	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-QZ-08	10ml	Urine	Participants are asked to identify up to 4 drugs or metabolites relevant to forensic toxicology	2	<input type="checkbox"/>

Samples Available					Rounds (QZ)
Sample	Quantity	Supplied As	Target Analytes	Rounds available per year	All Rounds (Please tick)
PT-QZ-09 *	10ml	Urine	A urine sample specifically for New Psychoactive Substance screening and may include synthetic cannabinoids. Up to two substances may be present. No interpretation is required	2	<input type="checkbox"/>
PT-QZ-10.	10ml	Blood matrix	Drug quantification <b>Sample 10A:</b> Oxycodone, Pregabalin, MDMA and Mirtazapine <b>Sample 10B:</b> Loratidine, Gabapentin, Quetiapine and Valproate	2	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## CHANGES AND OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

### CHANGES

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### OTHER SCHEMES/SAMPLES OF INTEREST

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**1. Customers abroad [outside Germany]**

With this customer declaration, all customers confirm that in using the materials belonging to the biosafety levels 1 and/or 2, they are complying with applicable laws and regulations.

- ☐ Confirmation of compliance with the applicable laws of

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Name in print:.....

Company:.....

Signature:.....

Date:.....

Note: The person signing the form should be identical to the person holding responsibility for microbial safety in the lab.

**2. Customers in Germany**

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According to § 52 of this law, disease causing organisms, as well as substances containing disease causing organisms, may only be supplied to such persons who have a permit according to § 44 of the IfSG; who work under supervision of somebody in possession of a permit; or who do not require a permit according to § 45, sections 1, 2, 3 of the IfSG. This regulation does not apply to state owned medical or veterinary institutions.

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All customers who order products with the biosafety levels 1 or 2 are therefore formally requested to submit a copy of their permit to work with disease causing organisms according to § 44 of the IfSG, or send us a written statement confirming that they do not need a permit according to § 45 of the IfSG.

- ☐ Copy of the permit to work with disease causing organisms according to §44 of the IfSG enclosed.
- ☐ This permit not required according to § 45 of the IfSG.

Name in print:.....

Company:.....

Signature:.....

Date:.....

Note: The person signing the form should be identical to the person possessing the permit.

**3. Further information**

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "M Gantley", is positioned above the name of the Chief Executive Officer.

**Matt Gantley**, Chief Executive Officer  
United Kingdom Accreditation Service

Initial Accreditation: 4 July 2002  
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