



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017<sup>1</sup>

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BIOLOGICAL

Valid To: August 31, 2024

Certificate Number: 3325.01

In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process (including an assessment of the laboratory's compliance with the A2LA Food Testing Program Requirements, containing the 2018 "AOAC International Guidelines for Laboratories Performing Microbiological and Chemical Analyses of Food, Dietary Supplements, and Pharmaceuticals"), accreditation is granted to this laboratory at the location listed above as well as the satellite location listed below to perform the following tests on food products, unknown biological samples, and environmental swabs:

<u>Test(s)</u>	<u>Test Method(s)/Technology(ies)</u>	<u>SOP Name(s)</u>
<u>Qualitative</u>		
<i>Campylobacter</i>	FSIS MLG 41 (Plate)	TM-CAMPY-PLATE-007
<i>Escherichia coli</i> O157:H7	AOAC 2005.04 – Modified (Assurance GDS) AOAC PTM 022001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-ECH7-GDS-001 TM-T7-SMRT-001
<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	AOAC 062001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-LSLM-SMRT-002
<i>Listeria</i> spp.	AOAC PTM 052003 (MEMP Assay) AOAC 062001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-LIST-MEMP-001 TM-LSLM-SMRT-002
<i>Salmonella</i>	AOAC PTM 042002 (MEMP Assay) AOAC PTM 042001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-SAL-MEMP-002 TM-SALMO-SMRT-003
STEC Panel 1 (O26, O111, O121) STEC Panel 2 (O45, O103, O145) STEC Screen (Eae & Stx)	AOAC PTM 022001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-T7-SMRT-001

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<u>Quantitative</u>		
Aerobic Plate Count	AOAC 990.12 (Petrifilm) AOAC 2015.13 (Rapid Petrifilm) AOAC 966.23 (Plate)	TM-APC-PETRI-010 TM-RAPC-PETRI-014 TM-APC-PLATE-001

<u>Test(s)</u>	<u>Test Method(s)/Technology(ies)</u>	<u>SOP Name(s)</u>
<u>Quantitative (cont.)</u>		
Coliforms/ <i>E. coli</i>	AOAC 991.14 – Coliforms/Generic <i>E. coli</i> (Petrifilm) AOAC 998.08 – Generic <i>E. coli</i> (Petrifilm) AOAC 966.24 (MPN)	TM-EC-PETRI-011 TM-EC-PETRI-011 TM-EC-MPN-001
Enterobacteriaceae	CMMEF 4 <sup>th</sup> Ed., Ch. 8 (Petrifilm/Plate)	TM-EB-PETRI-012 TM-EB-PLATE-004
Lactic Acid Bacteria	AOAC PTM 041701 (Petrifilm)	TM-LAB-PETRI-015
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	AOAC 2003.07 (Petrifilm)	TM-STAPH-PETRI-014
Yeast and Mold	AOAC 997.02 (Petrifilm)	TM-YM-PETRI-015

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<u>Qualitative</u>		
<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7	AOAC PTM 022001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-T7-SMRT-001
<i>L. monocytogenes</i>	AOAC PTM 062001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-LSLM-SMRT-002
<i>Listeria</i> spp.	AOAC PTM 062001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-LSM-SMRT-002
<i>Salmonella</i>	AOAC-PTM 042001 (SIMUL-qPCR)	TM-SALMO-SMRT-003

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Coliforms/ <i>E. coli</i>	AOAC 991.14 – Coliforms/Generic <i>E. coli</i> (Petrifilm) AOAC 998.08 – Generic <i>E. coli</i> (Petrifilm)	TM-EC-PETRI-011 TM-EC-PETRI-011
Yeast and Mold	AOAC 997.02 (Petrifilm)	TM-YM-PETRI-013

Key:

STEC (Shiga Toxigenic *E. coli*)

GDS (Biocontrol Assurance GDS User Manual / Kit Instructions)

CMMEF (Compendium of Methods for the Microbiological Examination of Foods)

AOAC-PTM (AOAC Research Institute - Performance Tested Method)

FSIS (Food Safety Inspection Service)

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## Accredited Laboratory

A2LA has accredited

### HACCP ASSURANCE SERVICES, INC.

*Bloomsburg, PA*

for technical competence in the field of

### Biological Testing

This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017 *General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories*. This laboratory also meets the requirements of A2LA R204 – *Specific Requirements – Food and Pharmaceutical Testing Laboratory Accreditation Program*. This accreditation demonstrates technical competence for a defined scope and the operation of a laboratory quality management system (refer to joint ISO-ILAC-IAF Communiqué dated April 2017).



Presented this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 2022.

A blue ink signature of Mr. Trace McInturff, written over a horizontal line.

Mr. Trace McInturff, Vice President, Accreditation Services  
For the Accreditation Council  
Certificate Number 3325.01  
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*For the tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Biological Scope of Accreditation.*