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Terms of the proficiency test (PT)

# DLA ptAL09 (2022) Allergens IX: Milk and Egg White Proteins (Albumins, Lysozyme) in Wine with "Spiking Level Sample"

# Test material\* :

There are **two different samples A and B** possibly containing the allergenic **parameters Milk** and **Egg White Proteins** in the range of mg/kg in the **matrix Wine**. One of these samples and the additional **"spiking level sample"** were prepared adding the allergenic ingredients. The "spiking level sample" contains the allergens in a **simple matrix** (glucose) in similar amounts without further processing.

**Sample weight:** Sample A and B 50mL each, and spiking level sample 15 g.

\* <u>Note:</u> Control of mixture homogeneity and qualitative testings are carried out by DLA. Any testing of the content, homogeneity and stability of PT parameters is subcontracted by DLA.

### Methods + realisation time:

Analytical methods for qualitative and quantitative determinations are optional.

There is a 8 weeks period for performing the analysis. The results are transmitted by e-mail via the provided results file.

## **Evaluation report:**

The **evaluation** is carried out **qualitatively** (positive/negative) and from a total of 5 results on **quantitatively**. It includes kernel density estimation, outlier tests, robust mean, robust standard deviation and z-scores. The assigned value is the robust mean of participants results. For information a **recovery rate** of the "positive" sample and the "spiking level sample" is calculated including z-scores. Results, limits of detection and/or quantification and remarks to the methods will be documented. DLA intends to finish the evaluation report within 6 weeks after deadline of results submission.

Each participant receives an anonymized, complete evaluation report as a PDF-file, identifying the own results by individual code in case payment was done and can object in writing to the evaluation within 6 weeks.

### **Registration :**

The reliable order can be sent to DLA or our authorized sales partner.

Further information and an online registration form can be found at <u>www.dla-lvu.de</u>.

Registration deadline is **02<sup>nd</sup> November 2022**.

### Shipment + number of participants:

Required minimum number of participants is 10. The samples will be sent to participants in the **week 45** by parcel service with tracking (delivery time 2-5 days within Europe, 2-10 days worldwide).

#### Deadline of result submission:

Last date for submission of results **06<sup>th</sup>January 2023**.

#### Invoice + price :

Invoicing will be done by DLA along with the sample shipment or by our authorized partner in parallel to the sample shipment.

The price of the proficiency test is  $296, -- \in per$  participant plus shipping and possible tax.

Costs for **double sample material**  $\in$  85,00.

Please note: there can be a handling charge of approx.  $\in$  30,00 for payments from non-EU countries.

**Shipping costs:** within Germany € 12,50, EUcountries and Europe € 20,00, North America € 28,00, other countries € 80,00 (e.g. South America, Asia).

Our General Terms and Conditions GTC apply: www.dla-lvu.de/AGB.html

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