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Proficiency Tests

Terms of the proficiency test (PT)

DLA ptGMS2 (2023) GMO-Screening II (qualitative): 5 Samples with positive/negative amounts of p-FMV, p-NOS, t-NOS, CP4 EPSPS, synPAT / GMO-Potato Amadea (AM04-1020), GMO-Rape Seed (MON88302) / Canola and GMO-Sugar Beet (H7-1)

Test material*:

There are 5 different samples with positive / negative amounts of the screening parameters p-FMV, p-NOS, t-NOS, CP4 EPSPS, synPAT / GMO-Potato Amadea (AM04-1020), GMO-Rape Seed (MON88302) / Canola and GMO-Sugar Beet in different Matrices (Flour and plant powder mixtures). Sample weight: 5 samples 10 g each.

* Note: 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.

<u>Methods + realisation time:</u>

Analytical methods are optional.

There is a 6 weeks period for performing the analysis. The results are transmitted online via our customer portal.

Evaluation report:

The **evaluation** is carried out **strictly qualitatively** (positive/negative) with indication of the obtained agreements with the consensus values of the participants and the spiking of samples 1-5.

All results including quantitative 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 www.dla-lvu.de.

Registration deadline is October 11th 2023.

Shipment + number of participants:

Required minimum number of participants is 10. The samples will be sent to participants in the **week 42** 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 **December 01**st **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 330 € per participant plus shipping and possible tax.

Costs for double sample material € 90,00.

Please note: there can be a handling charge of approx. € 30,00 for payments from non-EU countries. Shipping costs: within Germany € 12,50, EU-countries and Europe € 20,00, North America € 30,00 - 65,00, other countries approx. € 80,00 (e.g. South America, Asia), all shipping prices are provisional and subject to change.

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

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