



ACCREDITATION CERTIFICATE

LB-TEST-206

Emirates International Accreditation Centre

has accredited

MICROBIOLOGICAL ANALYSIS LABORATORIES SECTION

DUBAI CENTRAL LABORATORY DEPARTMENT- DUBAI MUNICIPALITY

Za'beel Street | Al Karamah | Dubai | United Arab Emirates

In accordance with the requirements of

ISO/IEC 17025:2017

General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories

to undertake the tests in the attached accreditation scope

This Accreditation is invalid without the attached accreditation scope and shall remain in force within the validity period printed below, subject to continuing compliance with the requirements of the accreditation criteria.

Validity: 30-05-2025 to 29-11-2025

Initial Accreditation Date: 30-05-2007



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CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



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Food Testing

13	Certificate validity was extended for 6 months from 30-05-2025 up to 29-11-2025	30-05-2025
12	Reissued due to: 1. Modifications in some test names and test methods. 2. Change in the laboratory's name (formerly known as the Food & Environment Section - Central Laboratory Department). 3. Consolidation of all Microbiology testing scopes into one section.	23-01-2025
11	Renewal of accreditation, voluntary reduction of tests and change in test methods	05-08-2022
10	Certificate validity was extended for 6 months from 30-05-2022 up to 29-11-2022	30-05-2022
09	Extension in scope	27-01-2022
08	Reduction in scope (Shift the Pesticide tests from the this branch in Karama to Al Wersan Branch) and comply with ISO 17025:2017	08-09-2020
07	Extension in scope and first issuance under the name of EIAC (which was formerly known as DAC)	30-05-2019

Environmental Testing

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09	Renewal of accreditation	05-08-2022
08	Certificate validity was extended for 6 months from 30-05-2022 up to 29-11-2022	30-05-2022
07	Change the accreditation number format	08-09-2020
06	Extension in scope and first issuance under the name of EIAC (which formally was known as DAC)	30-05-2019

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Textile Testing

11	Certificate validity was extended for 6 months from 30-05-2025 up to 29-11-2025	30-05-2025
10	Reissued due to: 1. Change in the laboratory's name (formerly known as the Food & Environment Section - Central Laboratory Department). 2. Consolidation of all Microbiology testing scopes into one section.	23-01-2025
09	Renewal accreditation	15-07-2022
08	Certificate validity was extended for 6 months from 30-05-2022 up to 29-11-2022	30-05-2022
07	Extension in scope and comply with the new accreditation number format	29-06-2021
06	Extension of scope, Renewal the accreditation and first issuance under the name of EIAC (which was formerly known as DAC)	08-07-2019

Detergents & Disinfectants Testing

10	Certificate validity was extended for 6 months from 30-05-2025 up to 29-11-2025	30-05-2025
09	Reissued due to: 1. Modifications in some test methods. 2. Change in the laboratory's name (formerly known as the Food & Environment Section - Central Laboratory Department). 3. Consolidation of all Microbiology testing scopes into one section.	23-01-2025
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06	Extension in scope and comply with the new accreditation number formate	29-06-2021
05	Extension in scope, Renewal of accreditation and first issuance under the name of EIAC	08-07-2019

Mobile Food Testing

03	Certificate validity was extended for 6 months from 30-05-2025 up to 29-11-2025	30-05-2025
02	The entire scope of certificate LB-TEST-248 has been transferred to this accredited lab, and certificate LB-TEST-248 has been voluntarily withdrawn.	06-02-2025
01	Granted accreditation from Emirates International Accreditation Centre 'EIAC'	28-06-2022

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Cosmetics Testing

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Type of Activity	Test Materials/Products	Test Name	Test Method
Microbiology	Food Products	Detection of Salmonella species using BAX Detection System	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3122 Dupont Qualicon BAX System, AOAC official method
Microbiology	Food Products	Detection of Salmonella species using BAX Detection System	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3122 Dupont Qualicon BAX System ,AOAC official method
Microbiology	Food Products	Detection of Listeria monocytogenes in Food using BAX System	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3125 Dupont Qualicon BAX System , AOAC official method
Microbiology	Food Products	Detection of E .coli O157:H7 in Food Using BAX System	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3130 Dupont Qualicon BAX System (user guide)
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Yeasts and Moulds in Food	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3105 The online US-FDA, Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 18
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Isolation and Identification of E.coli O157:H7 in Foods	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3113 The online US-FDA, Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 4A
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	VIDAS Rapid Food Pathogen Detection Method Campylobacter .spp	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3126 BioMerieux VIDAS UP SPT (user guide) and AOAC Official Method 2013

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Microbiology	Food and Food Products	VIDAS Rapid Food Pathogen Detection Method <i>Listeria</i> spp, <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3126 BioMerieux VIDAS UP SPT (user guide) and AOAC Official Method 2013
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	VIDAS Rapid Food Pathogen Detection Method <i>Salmonella</i> spp.	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3126 BioMerieux VIDAS UP SPT (user guide) and AOAC Official Method 2013
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Molecular Detection System (MDS) Assay For Bacterial Pathogens in Food for <i>Listeria</i> spp, <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3118 ,Specific Instructions for Validated Methods AOAC® Official Methods of Analysis SM 2017.01
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Molecular Detection System (MDS) Assay For Bacterial Pathogens in Food for <i>Salmonella</i> .spp	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3118 ,Specific Instructions for Validated Methods AOAC® Official Methods of Analysis SM 2017.01
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Molecular Detection System (MDS) Assay For Bacterial Pathogens in Food for <i>E.coli</i> 0157	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3118 ,Specific Instructions for Validated Methods AOAC® Official Methods of Analysis SM 2017.01
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Detection of <i>Cronobacter sakazakii</i> in Powdered Infant Formula	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3121 Bacteriological Analytical Manual ,Chapter 29 FDA (BAM on line)
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Analysis of Food using Petriflim method 3M: Yeasts & Moulds	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3123 AOAC official method 2003.11

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Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Analysis of Food using Petriflim method 3M: E.coli	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3123 AOAC official method 2003.11
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Analysis of Food using Petriflim method 3M: Coliforms	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3123 AOAC official method 2003.11
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Analysis of Food using Petriflim method 3M: ACC	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3123 AOAC official method 2003.11
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Analysis of Food using Petriflim method 3M: Staphylococcus aureus	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3123 AOAC official method 2003.11
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Analysis of Food using Petriflim method 3M: Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae in Foods	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3124 ISO 21528-2 / AOAC official method 2003.1
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Mesophilic Aerobic Bacteria Aerobic Colony Count	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3103 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 3, FDA (BAM on line)
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Coliforms Bacteria	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3104 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 4 , FDA (BAM on line)
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of E.coli Bacteria	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3104 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 4, FDA (BAM on line)

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Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Yeasts and Moulds	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3105 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 18, FDA (BAM on line)PPM
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Isolation and Identification of Salmonella Species	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3106 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 5 FDA (BAM on line)
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Coagulase Positive Staphylococcus aureus	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3107 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 12 FDA (BAM on line) SPM
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Bacillus cereus	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3108 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 14, FDA (BAM on line)SPM
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Clostridium perfringens	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3109 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 16, FDA (BAM on line) PPM
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Isolation and Identification of E.coli O157:H7 in FD40:D47	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3113 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 4A , FDA (BAM on line)
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	CONT DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3135, Rev.1 Isolation and Identification of Listeria species-Listeria monocytogenes	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3135, Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of Listeria monocytogenes and of Listeria spp. ISO 11290:1, 2017

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Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Molecular Detection System (MDS) Assay For Bacterial Pathogens in Food	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3118 ,Specific Instructions for Validated Methods AOAC® Official Methods of Analysis SM 2017.01
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Molecular Detection System (MDS) Assay For Cronobacter sakazakii	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3118 ,Specific Instructions for Validated Methods AOAC® Official Methods of Analysis SM 2017.01
Microbiology	Fish and Fish products	Enumeration and Detection of Vibrio parahaemolyticus	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3110 Bacteriological Analytical Manual Chapter 9 ,FDA (BAM on line)
Microbiology	Baby Food	Detection of Cronobacter sakazakii Using BAX System	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3131 Dupont Qualicon BAX System
Microbiology	Cooked Meat, Meat Products	Detection of Pork Contaminants by using Enzyme Linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA)	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3120 Bio Kits, Cooked Meat Species Identification Kit, Bio Kits, Newtech Square, Deeside Industrial park, Deeside, CH 5 2NT, U.K.
Microbiology	Processed Meat and Meat Products	Detection of Pork Contaminants in Food and Feed by Real-Time PCR Technique	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-FD-3129

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Type of Activity	Test Materials/Products	Test Name	Test Method
Microbiology	Water	Detection and Enumeration of Coliforms and E.coli in water - Quantity –Tray Enumeration Technique	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-EV-1601 IDEXX MANUAL
Microbiology	Water	Enumeration of Aerobic Colony count for water	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-EV-1603 APHA, 24 th Edition
Microbiology	Water	Detection and Enumeration of Pseudomonas aeruginosa by membrane filtration	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-EV-1604 BS EN ISO 16266
Microbiology	Water	Detection and Enumeration Fecal Streptococci	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-EV-1606 BS EN ISO 7899 Part 2
Microbiology	Water	Water Quality Enumeration of Legionella	ISO 11731:2017 Matrix A : Procedures 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10. Matrix B : Procedures 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14.
Microbiology	Water	Detection & Enumeration of Fecal Coliform in water Quanti- Tray Enumeration Technique	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-EV-1607 IDEXX MANUAL
Microbiology	Drinking Water	Detection and Enumeration of sulfite-reducing clostridia	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-EV-1609 Standing Committee of Analysts, The Microbiology of Drinking Water
Microbiology	Drinking water and Disinfected Water	Coliform Bacteria and E.coli in Water Membrane filtration method with chromogenic media	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL-EV-1602 ISO 9308 Part 1
Microbiology	Domestic Water, Cooling Tower Water, Sanitary Water	MICA fluorescence technique by Diamidex Limit of detection is (LOD) 2 cfu/L	DM-DCLD-SOP-MBL- EV-1613 Enumeration of Legionella Pneumophila by MICA (Manufacture instructions)

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Type of Activity	Test Materials/Products	Test Name	Test Method
Microbiology	Textiles	Determination of antibacterial activity of textile products (By Absorption Method)	BS EN ISO 20743

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Type of Activity	Test Materials/Products	Test Name	Test Method
Microbiology	Chemical disinfectants/ Antiseptics	Quantitative suspension test for the evaluation of bactericidal activity of chemical disinfectants and antiseptics used in food, industrial, domestic and institutional areas.	BS EN 1276
Microbiology	Disinfectants and Sanitizers	Chemical disinfectants and antiseptics – Quantitative suspension test for the evaluation of fungicidal or yeasticidal activity of chemical disinfectants and antiseptics used in food, industrial, domestic and institutional areas – Test method and requirements (phase 2, step 1)	BS EN 1650
Microbiology	Disinfectants and Sanitizers	Assessment of Disinfectant and Sanitizers Effectiveness Longevity	DM-DCLD-SOP-MRL-CP-2041
Microbiology	Consumer Products	Sanitizing Effectiveness Test for Air & Surfaces Sanitizing Electrical Appliances	DM-DCLD-SOP-MRL-CP-2040
Microbiology	Air Sampling	Microbiological Monitoring of Air Quality by Air Sampler	DM-DCLD-SOP-MRL-CP-2044

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Type of Activity	Test Materials/Products	Test Name	Test Method
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of Presumptive <i>Bacillus cereus</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3108 using CHROMAGAR chromogenic media
		Enumeration of Presumptive <i>Clostridium perfringens</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3109 using CHROMAGAR chromogenic media
		Enumeration of <i>E. coli</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3123 Selective E.coli, 3M Petrifilm
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3123 using Petrifilm; AOAC official method 2003.11
		Enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3124 using Petrifilm; AOAC official method 2003.1
		Detection of Presumptive <i>Salmonella spp.</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3126 using VIDAS UP (SPT) AOAC official method 2013.01
Microbiology	Food and Food Products	Detection of Presumptive <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3126 using VIDAS (LMX) AOAC official method 2013.11
	Seafood and seafood products	Detection of Presumptive <i>Vibrio parahaemolyticus</i>	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3110 FDA Bacteriological Analytical Manual(BAM) Chapter 9
Molecular Biology	Food and Food Products	Detection of Presumptive <i>Salmonella spp.</i> DNA	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3118 3M Molecular Detection System (MDS) Assay AOAC Official Method 2016.08
Molecular Biology	Food and Food Products	Detection of Presumptive <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> DNA	DM-DCLD-SOP-FE-3118 3M Molecular Detection System (MDS) Assay AOAC Official Method 2016.08

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Type of Activity	Test Materials/Products	Test Name	Test Method
Microbiology	Cosmetics	Detection of Pseudomonas aeruginosa	BS EN ISO 22717
Microbiology	Cosmetic and Personal Care Products	Cosmetics - Microbiology - Enumeration of Aerobic Mesophilic bacteria (Total bacterial count)	BS EN ISO 21149
Microbiology	Cosmetic and Personal Care Products	Cosmetics - Microbiology - Detection of Escherichia coli	BS EN ISO 21150
Microbiology	Cosmetic and Personal Care Products	Cosmetics - Microbiology - Detection of Staphylococcus aureus	BS EN ISO 22718
Microbiology	Cosmetic and Personal Care Products	Cosmetics - Microbiology - Detection of Candida albicans	BS EN ISO 18416
Microbiology	Cosmetic and Personal Care Products	Cosmetics. Microbiology. Enumeration of Yeast and Mould	BS EN ISO 16212
Microbiology	Consumer Products	Hygiene Test- Total Bacterial, Yeast and Mould	DM-DCLD-SOP-MRL-CP-2024
Microbiology	Consumer Products	Hygiene Test- Pathogen: Staph.aureus. E.coli, P.aeruginosa	DM-DCLD-SOP-MRL-CP-2024