



## Non-Pathogen Preliminary Intended Results Notification

These results are provided for guidance and are determined from the examinations undertaken during quality control testing of the samples. The enumeration results may show minor variations from the final results, which are calculated from the participants' consensus results, and included in the distribution report.

Distribution: **NP056**      Samples: **NP0166, NP0167 and NP0168**

### Intended results:

	<b>NP0166</b> (*cfu g <sup>-1</sup> )	<b>NP0167</b> (*cfu g <sup>-1</sup> )	<b>NP0168</b> (*cfu g <sup>-1</sup> )
Presumptive <i>Pseudomonas</i> spp.	6.4x10 <sup>3</sup>	2.1x10 <sup>3</sup>	<10
Yeasts	1.1x10 <sup>3</sup>	<10	2.2x10 <sup>3</sup>
Moulds	<10	<10	3.4x10 <sup>2</sup>
Coliforms	<10	1.4x10 <sup>4</sup>	6.5x10 <sup>3</sup>
<i>Enterobacteriaceae</i>	<10	1.9x10 <sup>4</sup>	7.0x10 <sup>3</sup>
<i>Escherichia coli</i>	<10	9.0x10 <sup>3</sup>	2.0x10 <sup>3</sup>
Enterococci	3.8x10 <sup>3</sup>	4.6x10 <sup>4</sup>	1.8x10 <sup>3</sup>
Lactic acid bacteria	1.3x10 <sup>5</sup>	4.3x10 <sup>4</sup>	3.6x10 <sup>3</sup>
Aerobic colony count (30°C)	1.7x10 <sup>5</sup>	9.9x10 <sup>4</sup>	1.2x10 <sup>4</sup>

### Sample contents:

<b>NP0166</b>	<i>Pseudomonas putida</i> , <i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i> , <i>Enterococcus faecium</i> and <i>Lactobacillus plantarum</i>
<b>NP0167</b>	<i>P. putida</i> , <i>E. coli</i> and <i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>
<b>NP0168</b>	<i>Candida famata</i> , <i>Aspergillus niger</i> , <i>E. coli</i> , <i>Klebsiella aerogenes</i> , <i>E. faecium</i> and <i>Lactobacillus paracasei</i>

Laboratory identification numbers of participants who did not return results this distribution:

**46 and 1526**

The distribution report providing details of your individual performance and an analysis of all participants' results will be dispatched within three weeks. The report may also include sample specific comments.

**Repeat samples** are available for participants who experienced problems with any of the examinations and wish to make a further attempt or repeat a count. There is no need to wait until you have received the report to order repeat samples.

The next distribution of Non-Pathogen Scheme samples will be dispatched during the week beginning 10 April 2017.

If you require any technical advice or wish to make comments or suggestions relating to the scheme please contact us

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