

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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BIOLOGICAL

Valid To: January 31, 2026

Certificate Number: 5379.01

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 to perform the following tests on pet food flavorings, food, and feed products:

Test/Technology	Test Method
Aerobic Plate Count/g – TEMPO AC	AOAC RI 121204
Aerobic Plate Count/g (Petrifilm TM)	AOAC 990.12
Coliforms/g (Petrifilm TM)	AOAC 991.14
Enterobacteriaceae/g	ISO 21528 - 2
Enterobacteriaceae/g – TEMPO EB	AOAC RI 050801
<i>Escherichia coli</i> /g – TEMPO EC	AOAC RI 080603
<i>Escherichia coli</i> /g (Petrifilm [™])	AOAC 991.14
Salmonella - ELFA (VIDAS UP)	AOAC 2013.01
Salmonella – GENE UP	AOAC 2020.02

CHEMICAL

Test/Technology	Test Method
Protein, Dumas	AOAC 992.15

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Accredited Laboratory

A2LA has accredited

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Saint Charles, MO

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 6th day of February 2024.

Mr. Trace McInturff, Vice President, Accreditation Services For the Accreditation Council Certificate Number 5379.01 Valid to January 31, 2026

For the tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Biological Scope of Accreditation.