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Proficiency testing provider workplaces:

1. Department for PT schemes in environment and working environment and genetic toxicology

Šrobárova 49/48, 100 00 Prague 10

2. Department for EQA in medical microbiology

Šrobárova 49/48, 100 42 Prague 10

1. Department for PT schemes in environment and working environment and genetic toxicology

Proficiency testing schemes:

Ordinal number	Proficiency testing scheme	Proficiency testing scheme identification	Proficiency testing item
	AIR		
1	Determination of polycyclic aromatic	PT#O/1	Air
	hydrocarbons		
2	Determination of aldehydes and ketones by	PT#O/2	Air
	sorption on tubes with 2,4-dinitrofenylhydrazine		
3	Determination of elements in dust sample	PT#O/5	Air
4	Determination of volatile organic compounds	PT#O/6	Air
5	Intercomparison measurement of selected air	PT#O/8	Air
	quality indicators using automated systems		
6-10	Reserved		
	SURFACE, RAW AND DRINKING WATER		
11	Chemical analysis of water	PT#V/1	Bottled and
			mineral water
12	Sensory analysis of water – taste and odour	PT#V/2	Drinking
	assessments		water
13	Microbiological analysis of water	PT#V/3	Drinking and
			surface water
14	Microscopic analysis of drinking and raw	PT#V/4	Drinking and
	(surface) water		raw water
15	Microscopic analysis of bathing water,	PT#V/5	Surface water
	identification and quantification of		
	cyanobacteria and analysis of chlorophyll-a		
16	Sampling of drinking water	PT#V/6	Drinking and
			raw water
17	Sampling of water from swimming pools	PT#V/7	Bathing water
18	Sampling of water from natural bathing places	PT#V/8	Bathing water
19-39	Reserved (2)		
	GENETICS 2		
40	Genetics – chromosomal aberrations	PT#G/1	Blood

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List of parameters for PT schemes:

Ordinal number	PT scheme code	Parameters:	
1	PT#O/1	Phenanthrene, anthracene, fluoranthene, pyrene, benzo(a)anthracene,	
		chrysene, benzo(b)fluoranthene, benzo(j)fluoranthene,	
		benzo(k)fluoranthene, benzo(a)pyrene, dibenz(a,h)anthracene,	
		benzo(g,h,i)perylene, indeno(1,2,3,c,d)pyrene	
2	PT#O/2	Formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, acetone	
3	PT#O/5	As, Cr, Cd, Mn, Ni, Pb	
4	PT#O/6	Benzene, toluene, xylene, styrene, ethylbenzene, trichloroethylene, tetrachloroethylene, pinene, limonene	
5	PT#O/8	NO, SO ₂ , CO, O ₃ , suspended particles, meteorological factors (temperature, relative humidity, barometric pressure, wind speed and direction)	
11	PT#V/1	Cl ⁻ , NO ₃ ⁻ , NO ₂ ⁻ , SO ₄ ²⁻ , F ⁻ , SiO ₃ ²⁻ , HCO ₂ ⁻ , Na, K, Ca, Mg, Mn, NH ₄ ⁺ , CO ₂ , dissolved solids	
12	PT#V/2	Taste and odour - approximate analysis, taste and odour - threshold numbers, characterization of taste and odour	
13	PT#V/3	Escherichia coli, coliform bacteria, thermotolerant coliform bacteria, intestinal enterococci, colony count 22 °C and 36 °C, Clostridium perfringens, sulphite-reducing clostridia, Pseudomonas aeruginosa, Staphylococcus aureus, Legionella spp.	
14	PT#V/4	Enumeration of microscopic organisms, determination of living microscopic organisms, abiosestone (tripton), identification of microscopic organisms and particles	
15	PT#V/5	Quantification of Cyanobacteria, identification of Cyanobacteria and other microscopic water organisms, chlorophyll-a, phaeopigments	
16	PT#V/6	Sampling and analysis of free chlorine on sampling site	
17	PT#V/7	Sampling and analyses of free, bound and total chlorine and pH on sampling site	
18	PT#V/8	Sampling, analysis of dissolved oxygen on sampling site, visual analyses (transparency, water bloom, waste, natural pollution)	



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	MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY		
41	Microscopy and cultivation of the genus Mycobacterium	PT#M/1-1	Simulated sample
	Identification of the genus Mycobacterium	PT#M/1-2	
42	Detection of <i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i> by metabolic methods	PT#M/2-1 PT#M/2-2	Simulated sample
43	Identification of <i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i> Reserved	F 1#IVI/2-2	
44	Serology of toxoplasmosis (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/4	Serum
45	Bacteriological diagnostics (detection of bacterial agents by cultivation method, identification to the species level, determination of antibiotic susceptibility)	PT#M/5	Simulated clinical sample
46	Serology of <i>Epstein-Baar</i> virus (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/6	Serum
47	Serology of <i>Cytomegalovirus</i> (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/7	Serum
48	Serology of leptospirosis (microscopic agglutination test - qualitative and quantitative)	PT#M/8	Serum
49	Serology of Lyme borreliosis (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/9	Serum
50	Serology of Hepatitis B virus (HBV), hepatitis C virus (HCV), human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) (determination of antibodies and antigens)	PT#M/10	Serum, plasma
51	Detection of nucleic acid of respiratory viruses	PT#M/11	Simulated clinical samples
	(influenza A, B virus, adenovirus, respiratory syncytial virus - RSV)		
52	Syphilis serology (methods for the detection of anti-cardiolipin and anti-treponemal antibodies)	PT#M/12	Serum, plasma

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53	HBV genome detection (detection by PCR methods)	PT#M/13	Serum, plasma
54	HCV genome detection (detection by PCR methods)	PT#M/14	Serum, plasma
55	Detection of <i>Cytomegalovirus</i> (detection by PCR methods)	PT#M/15	Plasma
56	Phenotypic drug susceptibility testing in <i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i>	PT#M/16	Mycobacterial culture on solid Löwenstein-Jensen medium
57	Serology HBV markers (detection of antibodies and antigens)	PT#M/17	Serum, plasma
58	Serology HAV (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/18	Serum, plasma
59	Intestinal parasites (microscopic diagnostics of helminths in fixed specimens and protozoa in permanent stained smears)	PT#M/19	Clinical specimens
60	Microscopic diagnostics of trichomonads (microscopic diagnostics of <i>Trichomonas vaginalis</i>)	PT#M/20	Simulated clinical sample
61	Chlamydial serology (methods for the detection of genus and species antibodies)	PT#M/21	Serum, plasma
62	Reserved		
63	Mycological diagnostics (identification of a species of yeasts and another mycological organisms)	PT#M/23	Clinical samples
64	Serology of <i>Helicobacter pylori</i> (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/24	Serum
65	Serology of <i>Yersinia enterocolitica</i> (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/25	Serum
66	Serology of HSV infection (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/26	Serum
67	Serology of VZV infection (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/27	Serum
68	Serology of tick-borne encephalitis virus (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/28	Serum

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69	Sterilization (evaluation of the effectiveness of the washing, disinfection and sterilization process)	PT#M/29	Test material
70	Microscopic detection of tropical parasites (microscopic diagnostics of parasites)	PT#M/30	Clinical samples
71	Detection of papillomaviruses (evaluation of the presence and type- specificity of human papillomaviruses)	PT#M/31	Simulated clinical sample
72	Detection of herpesviruses on tissue culture (isolation and identification)	PT#M/32	Laboratory strains in tissue culture
73	Serology of <i>Toxocara canis / cati</i> (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/33	Serum
74	Detection of HSV and VZV DNA (detection by PCR methods)	PT#M/34	Laboratory strains in tissue culture
75	Identification of enteroviruses (isolation and identification)	PT#M/35	Simulated clinical samples
76	Serology of measles (detection of antibodies)	PT#M/36	Serum
77	Detection of SARS-CoV-2 (detection by PCR methods)	PT#M/37	Simulated samples

