



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2005

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BIOLOGICAL

Valid To: January 31, 2018

Certificate Number: 3232.01

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 contained within 2010 "AOAC International Guidelines for Laboratories Performing Microbiological and Chemical Analyses of Food and Pharmaceuticals"), accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following tests on bottled beverages and food products:

<u>Test</u>	<u>Test Method</u>
Aerobic Plate Count	AOAC 966.23
Aerobic Plate Count (Petrifilm)	AOAC 990.12
<i>Escherichia coli</i> O157:H7 (VIDAS)	AOAC RI 060903
<i>Escherichia coli</i> O157:H7 (PCR)	AOAC RI 020801
Lactic Acid Bacteria	AOAC 990.12, Modified
<i>Listeria</i> (VIDAS)	AOAC 999.06
<i>Listeria</i> (PCR)	AOAC RI 090701
<i>Salmonella</i> (VIDAS)	AOAC 2013.01
<i>Salmonella</i> (PCR)	AOAC RI 010803
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (Petrifilm)	AOAC 2003.07
Total Coliform/ <i>E. coli</i> (Petrifilm)	AOAC 991.14
Yeast & Mold (Petrifilm)	AOAC 997.02
Enterobacteriaceae (Petrifilm)	AOAC 2003.01
Rapid Yeast & Mold (Petrifilm)	AOAC 2014.05

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Test

Allergens & Adulterants (ELISA)

pH

Test Method

AOAC 2014.03

AOAC 981.12

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## *Accredited Laboratory*

A2LA has accredited

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*Riverside, CA*

for technical competence in the field of

### Biological Testing

This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2005 *General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories*. 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 8 January 2009).



Presented this 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 2015.

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President & CEO  
For the Accreditation Council  
Certificate Number 3232.01  
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*For the tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Biological Scope of Accreditation.*