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Water EQA Legionella Isolation Scheme – Intended Results

Distribution: **G66** Date: **June 2009**

		G66A	G66B	G66C
Intended Results	cfu L⁻¹	2.7 x 10 ³	1.6 x 10 ²	3.5 x 10 ³
	Species	<i>L.pneumophila</i>	<i>L.pneumophila</i>	<i>L.pneumophila</i>
	Serogroup	2 - 14	2 - 14	2 - 14

Sample Contents:

G66A	<i>Legionella pneumophila</i> sg 3
G66B	<i>Legionella pneumophila</i> sg 6, <i>Enterobacter cloacae</i> and <i>Brevibacterium laterosporus</i>
G66C	<i>Legionella pneumophila</i> sg 5

Laboratory identification numbers of participants who did not return results this distribution:										
212	253	395	432	530	903	926	927	933	948	967
975	977	1009	1017	1020	1022	1023	1050	1063	1174	1258
1347	1391	1392	1414	1415						

The intended results for the detection and enumeration of *Legionella* spp. were determined by the FEPTU laboratory, using **filtration and centrifugation**. They are for guidance only; a full analysis of participants' results including the expected ranges, calculated from consensus values, will be dispatched within four weeks.

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.

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

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