

MARKS & SPENCER PLC INDEPENDENT SUPPLEMENTARY AUDIT SCOPE OF COMPLIANCE

Following the audit of Microsearch Laboratories Ltd (M&S ISA), conducted on 15 April 2009, compliance has been awarded for the following Marks & Spencer plc tests. This scope is valid until 31 July 2010.

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Annual surveillance ISA visit due: April 2010.

Test Title	Lab Method Ref No.	M & S Method Ref No.
<u>Enumeration of:</u>		
Total Viable Count	TP4145/4100/4110	1.1
Presumptive Enterobacteriaceae	TP4103	3.1
<i>Pseudomonas</i> spp.	TP4150 and TP4115	3.6
Presumptive <i>Escherichia coli</i>	MS4001	3.5
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	TP4106	4.1
Yeast and Mould	TP4109	3.8
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i>	TP4105	4.6
Presumptive <i>Bacillus cereus</i>	TP4108	4.3
<i>Listeria</i> spp.	TP4152	4.11 and 4.12
Presumptive Coliforms	TP4102 and TP4146	3.2
Lactic Acid Bacteria	TP4114	3.11
<u>Detection of:</u>		
<i>Escherichia coli</i> *	TP4122	3.4
<i>Listeria</i> spp.	TP4151	4.10 and 4.12
<i>Salmonella</i> spp.	TP4119	4.21 and 4.14
<i>Campylobacter</i> spp.	TP4128	4.19
<i>Escherichia coli</i> O157	TP4131	4.15

* = Audit occurred during a 3 month transition period following updates to M&S Methods. Method complies with the previous M&S method, but not the updated/revised method. UKAS accreditation for the updated/revised M&S method must be secured prior to the next annual ISA visit for the testing activity to remain in the laboratory's ISA scope of compliance.