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NETWORK

LIST OF MEMBERS

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INTRODUCTION

In November 1997, ICAR invited member organisations and National Committees to join ICAR Reference Laboratory Network by nominating reference laboratories to participate in an international Quality Assurance programme for milk recording.

Since then, this official list of members of ICAR Network has been established from country answers and the relevant information joined.

It is aimed that this list becomes a working tool for member countries and helps to initiate, facilitate and enhance communication and collaboration between countries in the field of milk recording analysis.

From the beginning, it has been intended that the list should be improved in time by periodical updates. This is nowadays the 22nd update. Since 2002, network membership has been broadened to reference laboratories operating for sheep and goat milk analysis and interest is given to every animal species milked in ICAR countries.

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Buffalo
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private (para-public)

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

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Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Nomination : 07-02-01

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CZECH REPUBLIC

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Other activity : Milk parameters of dairy cow herds

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Other activity : Accredited analysis of food, feeding stuff, medicals, soil and water

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Information about the laboratory

Status DHI - Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Dairy

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Milk-recording organisation

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Nomination : 05-02-03

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government / DHI

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Details : Co-operation with raw milk test labs inland, DHI labs abroad for ring tests, calibrations, information exchange

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Association - DHI

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status DHI - Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Buffalo
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status	DHI			
Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status	Government			
Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private / DHI

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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SLOVAK REPUBLIC

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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SLOVENIA

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government / University Lab

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Other activity : Education

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SOUTH AFRICA

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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SOUTH AFRICA

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
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DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status Private

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National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Other activity : Accredited analysis of food, water and feeding stuff

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Status Government

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National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
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DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Status Government

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Status Private

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
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Information about the laboratory

Status Private / DHI

Quality Assurance Activities for :	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

Status	Private / DHI			
	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
Quality Assurance Activities for :				
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
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DHI routine testing				
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Information about the laboratory

Status	DHI			
	Cow	Goat	Sheep	Other
Quality Assurance Activities for :				
National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
Master laboratory for centralized calibration				
Training in laboratory techniques				
Information on analytical methods				
Evaluation of analytical methods/instruments				
Research on analytical methods				
National regulatory control of DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Last update :

ICAR REFERENCE LABORATORY NETWORK

ICAR Reference Laboratory Network

Composition and national roles at the date of 12/12/2008

38 members

COUNTRY	TOWN	NAME	NRTO	RMS	MLCC	TLT	IAM	EAMI	RAM	NRCA	DHIA	PAYMENT	Other	Member
ARGENTINA	SAN MARTIN	INTI-CITIL	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c				+
AUSTRIA	ST MICHAEL	Milchprüfring Süd									c g s	c g s		+
BELGIUM	MELLE	C.L.O. - Gent / D.V.K.	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c		+
BELGIUM	GEMBLOUX	CRAG - DQPA	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c				+
CANADA	STE ANNE DE BELLEVUE	Valacta		c	c		c	c		c g s	c g s	c g		+
CYPRUS	NICOSIA	C.M.I.O.									c g s	c g s		+
CZECH REPUBLIC	VIKYROVICE	R.I.C.B.	c	c	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c				c	+
DENMARK	HOLSTEBRO	Eurofins Steins Lab A/S	c	c	c	c	c	c	c		c	c	c	+
ESTONIA	TARTU	E.A.R.C.		c						c	c	c		+
FINLAND	VALIO	VALIO R&D	c			c	c		c					+
FRANCE	POLIGNY	ACTILAIT / CECALAIT	c g	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s				+
GERMANY	KIRCHHEIM	Zentrallabor MPR	c	c								c g s		+
HUNGARY	GODOLLO	L.P.T. Ltd									c			+
IRELAND	FERMOY	D.P.R.C. Teagasc	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c				+
ISRAEL	CAESARIA	I.C.B.A.		c g s	c g s		c g s			c	c	c g s		+
ITALY	MACCARESE	AIA-LSL	c s b	c g s b	c g s b		c g s b	c g s b	c g s b	c g s b				+
KOREA	GOYANG SHI	N.A.C.F.			c	c	c							+
LATVIA	RIGA	V.M.D.C.	c	c		c	c							+
LATVIA	ULBROKA (RIGA)	Piensaimnieku Laboratorija				c g	c g	c g	c g	c g				+
LITHUANIA	KAUNAS	Pieno Tyrimai	c		c	c	c	c	c	c	c g s	c		+
NETHERLANDS	ZUTPHEN	M.C.S.	c	c		c g s o	c g s o	c g	c g		c g	c g s o		+
NEW ZEALAND	HAMILTON	Testlink									c			+
NORWAY	OSLO	TINE R&D		c g	c g	c g	c g	c g	c g					+
POLAND	PRUSZKOW	C.S.H.Z.	c	c						c				+
SLOVAK REPUBLIC	NITRA	R.I.A.P.		c		c	c		c g s					+
SLOVENIA	DOMZALE	Ljubljana University	c	c	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s				c	+
SOUTH AFRICA	ELSENBURG	ANPI D.L.		c			c		c					+
SOUTH AFRICA	OLIFANSFONTEIN	N.I.Q.L.			c						c	c		+
SOUTH AFRICA	IRENE	LACTO LAB		c							c			+
SPAIN	SANTANDER	Lab. Agroal. Santander	c g s			c g s	c g s			c g s				+
SWEDEN	JÖNKÖPING	Eurofins Steins Lab AB	c		c	c	c	c			c	c		+
SWITZERLAND	BERN	S.F.R.L.	c g s	c		c	c g s	c g	c g s					+
TUNISIA	SIDI THABET	L.C.P.									c			+
TUNISIA	BEJA	L.C.P.									c			+
UNITED KINGDOM	WOLVERHAMPTON	Direct Lab.		c										+
USA	FAIRLAWN	Eastern Lab Services		c	c	c		c			c	c		+
USA	ITHACA	Dairy One M. A. Lab		c	c				c					+
ZIMBABWE	HARARE	Z.D.S.A.	c			c	c							+
		Number	23	24	18	22	24	17	17	13	17	13	3	38
		Percentage	61	63	47	58	63	45	45	34	45	34	8	100

NRTO = National Ring Test Organiser

RMS = Reference Material Supplier

MLCC = Master Laboratory for Centralised Calibration

TLT = Training in Laboratory Techniques

IAM = Information on Analytical Methods

EAMI = Evaluation of Analytical Methods/Instruments

RAM = Research on Analytical Methods

NRCA = National Regulatory Control of Analyses

DHIA = Dairy Herd Improvement Analyses

Payment = Analyses for milk payment

Membership = Officially nominated by ICAR National Committees


c = cow milk


g = goat milk

s = sheep milk

b = buffalo milk

o = other species

 cow milk only

 milk of different species