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NETWORK

LIST OF MEMBERS

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ICAR SUB-COMMITTEE ON MILK ANALYSIS (MA SC)

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 27th 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.

The list was produced by ICAR Sub-Committee on Milk Analysis (formerly Working Group of Milk Testing Laboratories) and, for any information, please contact

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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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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

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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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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 analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

Other activity : Accredited analysis of cheese and dairy products

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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				

Last update :

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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

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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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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 DHI analyses				
DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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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 Milk Recording Organization - DHI

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 Association (Juridical Foundation)

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

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Reference Material supplier				
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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

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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				
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DHI routine testing				
Milk payment routine testing				

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Information about the laboratory

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National ring test organizer				
Reference Material supplier				
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Milk payment routine testing				

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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					
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Research on analytical methods					
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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					
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Milk payment routine testing					

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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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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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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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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				

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

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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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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	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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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 / 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

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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				

Last update :

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ICAR Reference Laboratory Network

Composition and national roles at the date of 12/12/2011

41 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	Milchprüfing 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	GEMBOUX	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		+
CROATIA	ZAGREB	R.L.M.D.S.	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s	c g s				c g s	+
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 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		+
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 g s	c g s		+
GERMANY	BONN	DLQ	c	c		c g s	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	MACCARESE	c s b	c g s b	c g s b	AIA-LSL	c g s b	c g s b	c g s b	c g s b				+
JAPAN	TOKYO	J.D.T.A.	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c				+
KOREA	GOYANG SHI	N.A.C.F.			c	c	c							+
LATVIA	RIGA	IFSAHE / BIOR	c	c	c	c	cg	cg	c					+
LATVIA	ULBROKA (RIGA)	Piensaimnieku Laboratorija		c							c g	c g		+
LITHUANIA	KAUNAS	Pieno Tyrimai	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	K.C.H.Z. - Lab Oceny Mleka	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	25	27	21	24	26	19	19	14	19	14	4	41
		Percentage	61	66	51	59	63	46	46	34	46	34	10	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