

REMARKS

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Fees List

Western Cape Provincial Veterinary Laboratory

April 2021 - March 2022

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	* FEE (R)	UNIT
Post Mortem		
Poultry, birds	518.00	Per 1-5 birds
Small stock, immature large animal, dogs, cats	656.00	Per animal
Large animal (adult) (cattle, horse, pig)	1036.00	Per animal
Ostrich (immature)	518.00	Per 1-5 birds
Ostrich (adult)	1036.00	Per ostrich
Reptiles, exotics	656.00	Per animal
Aquaculture (Fish, abalone, Oysters, Sea Urchins)		
^Contact lab for recommended sample number	656.00	^Per animal
Foetus examination (Brucellosis investigation ONLY)*	760.00	Per foetus
After Hours, Adult large animal	3131.00	Per animal
Histopathology		
Processing, staining & examination (H & E)	460.00	Per 1-5 cassettes
Processing & staining only (H & E)	334.00	Per 1-5 cassettes
Additional special stains	140.00	Per 1-4 slides
Bacteriology (Diagnostic)		
General aerobic culture & identification (aerobic)	407.00	Max 3 samples / case
General anaerobic culture & identification (aero-tolerant anaerobes only)	407.00	Max 3 samples / case
Antibiogram (on request)	120.00	Per isolate
# Brucella isolation and presumptive identification	352.00	Max 3 samples / case
# Salmonella culture and identification	407.00	Max 3 samples / case
Food Safety Microbiology (Veterinary Public Health)		
Food and feed (including meat samples)		
# Aerobic plate count (SANS 4833-1)	113.00	Per sample
# E. coli count (SANS / ISO 16649-2)	137.00	Per sample
# Enterobacteriaceae count (SANS / ISO 21528-2)	141.00	Per sample
# Salmonella spp. (ISO 6579-1)	198.00	Per sample
# Listeria monocytogenes Rapid Test (VIDAS) screening	301.00	Per sample
# Listeria monocytogenes Rapid Test (VIDAS) confirmation	167.00	Per sample
# Salmonella spp. Rapid Test (VIDAS) screening	431.00	Per sample
# Salmonella spp. Rapid Test (VIDAS) confirmation	251.00	Per sample
Water		
# Aerobic plate count (SANS 5221)	113.00	Per sample
# Faecal coliforms & E.coli count (SANS 5221)	274.00	Per sample
# Faecal Streptococci count (SANS 7899-2)	163.00	Per sample
# Total Coliforms count (SANS 5221)	126.00	Per sample
Colilert™ test: E. coli and Total Coliforms count	266.00	Per sample
Colilert™ test: Faecal coliform count	135.00	Per sample
Enterolert™ test: Faecal Streptococci count	163.00	Per sample
IDEXX™ HPC SimPlate: Heterotrophic Plate Count	253.00	Per sample
Environmental samples		
Aerobic plate count (SANS 4833-1): Rodac plates, swabs	113.00	Per sample
Enterobacteriaceae count (SANS / ISO 21528-2): Rodac plates, swabs	141.00	Per sample
Salmonella spp. (ISO 6579-1): swabs	198.00	Per sample
# Listeria monocytogenes Rapid Test (VIDAS) screening: swabs	301.00	Per sample
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Toxicology		
Nitrate / Nitrite spot test	36.00	Per sample
Ryegrass toxicity	76.00	Per sample
Biochemistry (Clinical Pathology)		
Mineral analysis		
Serum: Cu, Zn	120.00	Per element
Liver, Kidney: Cu, Fe, Zn, Mn	120.00	Per element
Feed: Cu, Fe, Zn, Mn	120.00	Per element
Bone (ash): Cu, Fe, Zn, Mn	120.00	Per element
Blood Haematocrit	8.00	Per sample
Serum Gamma-globulin (IgG)	54.00	Per sample
pH (e.g. rumen, water)	15.00	Per sample
Serology		
# Newcastle Disease: HI test	14.00	Per antigen
# Avian Influenza: HI test	28.00	Per antigen
# Influenza A Ab: ELISA test	40.00	Per test
Brucellosis		
# RBT: B. abortus	14.00	Per test
RBT: B. melitensis	14.00	Per test
# RBT: B. abortus (Buffalo)	51.00	Per test
# MRT: B. abortus	6.00	Per test
# CFT: B abortus	26.00	Per test
# CFT: B abortus (Buffalo)	81.00	Per test
CFT: B. ovis	30.00	Per test
CFT: B. melitensis	26.00	Per test
Molecular (PCR)		
# Avian influenza A virus (screening)	345.00	Per test
# Avian influenza A virus additional typing PCR for H7	218.00	Per test
# Avian influenza A virus additional typing PCR for H5	218.00	Per test
# Newcastle disease virus (screening)	327.00	Per test
# Newcastle disease virus (detection and virulence typing (hemi-nested PCR)	457.00	Per test
# African Horse Sickness Virus	328.00	Per test
Virology		
Virus Isolation		
# Avian influenza virus and Newcastle Disease isolation	659.00	Per virus
Bluetongue, Infectious laryngotracheitis, Infectious Bronchitis, Pox, Avian pneumovirus, Chlamydia, other (please contact laboratory)	659.00	Per virus
Parasitology		
Faecal egg & oocyst count	38.00	Per sample
Faecal egg & oocyst count (pooled sample)	51.00	Per pool
Faecal flotation test (qualitative)	109.00	Per sample
Fluke egg detection (conical & liver)	38.00	Per sample
Sheep Scab	-	Per sample

SANAS accredited and DALRRD: DAH approved test methods are indicated by means of # where applicable. SANAS accreditation number: V0029. DALRRD: DAH approval number: 0029.

NOTE: All fees listed are VAT exempt.

* If samples are referred or sub-contracted for testing at another laboratory, an additional fee may be applicable. In such cases the client who submitted the sample will be requested to pay the additional fee directly to the referral or sub-contracted laboratory. Please contact the laboratory for further information.