



Validation of alternative
analysis methods

NF102 – Application to the food industry

Certificat

Certificate No.: **DSM 28/02-02/12**

Renewal decision dated: **15-12-2023**

Expiry date: **03-02-2028**

The Company:

DSM Food Specialities
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Is authorized to affix the NF VALIDATION mark on the alternative analysis method cited below, in accordance with the NF VALIDATION general rules and the certification rules NF102 - Validation of alternative analysis methods (Application to the food industry):

Delvotest® T

Validated for the detection of antibiotic residues in raw cow's milk (individual and commingled)

Technical sheet
reference's

20231215 (valid until April 2027)
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A summary of the validation tests is available in the validation summary report, which can be consulted on the website
<https://nf-validation.afnor.org/en/>

This decision certifies that the analytical method complies with the standards cited in the appendix and with the additional requirements after assessment by AFNOR Certification, as specified in the certification reference system. The essential certified characteristics are the "analytical performances" listed in the appendix to this certificate.

This certificate supersedes all previous certificates (last version dated 19-12-2023). This NF VALIDATION certificate, including its appendix, is valid until **February 3rd, 2028**. It is subject to the results obtained upon regular controls carried out by AFNOR Certification. Appropriate decision is made by AFNOR Certification in accordance with the NF VALIDATION general rules and certification rules NF102 - Validation of alternative analysis methods (Application to the food industry).



Managing Director of AFNOR Certification
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| Analysis method | Delvotest® T |
| Production's site | DSM Food Specialities Test Center Turbineweg 10 2627 BP Delft - NETHERLANDS |
| Validation protocol | NF VALIDATION - Validation of alternative analysis methods: Application to the food industry. Validation protocol for methods of detecting and quantifying traces of animal medicines in food products - Requirements regarding the preliminary and inter-laboratory studies carried out by an expert laboratory. Revision 12 (September 2024). |
| Scope | Detection of a large spectrum of antibiotics in raw cow's milk (individual and commingled). |
| Restriction(s) | None. |
| Warning | None. |
| Other information | The validated scope of application includes the use of Delvo® Scan software version 5.08 with the EPSON V600 scanner and the Delvo ® Scan Accelerator Smart (DAS). |

Performance characteristics

| | | Validation study conclusions |
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| | False-positive rate (%) | 0 |
| | Cross-reactions (%) | |
| Detection capacity | CCβ Amoxicilline (µg/kg) | 2,4 |
| | CCβ Cloxacilline (µg/kg) | 12 |
| | CCβ Oxytétracycline (µg/kg) | 96 |
| | CCβ Chlortetracycline (µg/kg) | 180 |
| | CCβ Sulfadiméthoxine (µg/kg) | 48 |
| | CCβ Sulfadiazine (µg/kg) | 60 |
| | CCβ Tylosin A (µg/kg) | 42 |
| | CCβ Erythromycin A (µg/kg) | 240 |
| | CCβ Dihydrostreptomycin (µg/kg) | 960 |
| | CCβ Cefalexin (µg/kg) | 36 |
| | CCβ Lincomycin (µg/kg) | 264 |
| Applicability | Matrix list | Amoxicilline, Cloxacilline, Oxytétracycline, Chlortetracycline, Sulfadiméthoxine, Sulfadiazine, Tylosin A, Erythromycin A, Dihydrostreptomycin, Cefalexin, Lincomycin |
| Robustesse | Critical factors identified | |
| Exactitude | Accuracy | |
| | Loyalty | |

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