

SAMPLING AND LABELLING OF SAMPLES

RULES FOR SAMPLING AND PREPARATION OF TEST SAMPLES

In the absence of more specific rules on sampling and preparation of test samples shall be used:

- CAC/GL 50-2004 ISO/DIS 7218
- ISO 17604
- ISO 18593
- NMKL Procedure No. 12

SAMPLING STRATEGY

is a planned procedure for selecting samples from a population and for conducting the sampling to obtain the information needed.

OBJECTIVE

SELECTIVE

SUSPECT

SAMPLING PLAN:

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- CLASS SAMPLING PLAN

- Satisfactory
- Unsatisfactory

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- CLASS SAMPLING PLAN

- Satisfactory
- Acceptable
- Unsatisfactory

LABELLING OF SAMPLES

- Clearly and permanently labelled.
- In accordance with the sampling protocol.
- Transport material (name, address and telephone etc).
- Name of the sender.
- Other markings 'fragile', 'store cold', 'store frozen', etc.
- The date, sample number and the name or initials of the sampling personnel, and possibly a stamp or similar.
- Pre-packaged foods should be delivered to the laboratory in sealed, original packaging.
- Non-pre-packaged samples should be transferred to containers, ensuring that the sample is not microbiologically and/or chemically contaminated.
- 'Official' sealing should be done in the presence of representatives of all concerned parties
- Sealing may be done by means of a strong tape or similar.

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Sample: MW-1
Analysis: 502.2 - VOC
Preservative: Cool, 4C, HCl to pH<2
Date: 28/02/23 Time: 12:00 By: RMH



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