



Pharmaceutical PHARMASSURE 2020-21



Pharmaceutical Proficiency Testing Scheme Application Form

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Please complete all sections below and return to LGC Proficiency Testing by email, fax or post.

Returning customer Lab ID: PH _ _ _ _

Purchase order no.:
(compulsory)

Round	Despatch Date	Reporting Deadline	1 Must take all rounds	Samples																						
				2A	2B*	2E*	3	4A	4B	5	6			7A*	7B*	7C*	8A*	8B*	9	10	NEW					
											6A	6B	6C										11*	12*	13*	14*
PH073	26 May 2020	22 Jun 2020																								
PH074	01 Sep 2020	28 Sep 2020																								
PH075	23 Nov 2020	04 Jan 2021																								
PH076	01 Mar 2021	29 Mar 2021																								

*Please note that the samples 2B, 2E, 6K, 6L, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 are not currently within the scope of LGC's UKAS accreditation and the trial samples 15 and 16 will be run subject to the registration of a sufficient number of participants.

	Not available
1	Please indicate the number of samples required in the relevant boxes above.

CHEMISTRY SAMPLES			
Sample	Quantity	Supplied as	Target Analyte(s)
1	Varying volumes	6 samples 1A-1F	Basic Chemical Testing
2A	Varying volumes**	1 sample and reference standard	HPLC Analysis
2B*	5g sample; 1g matrix	Powder	Trace elements
2E*	2g sample; 1ml spike	Powder and spiking solution	Residual solvents
6A	Varying volumes**	Sample and reference standard **	Gas Chromatography (GC)
6B	Varying volumes**	1 sample**	UV
6C	250mL	Liquid solution sample	Viscosity
6D	Varying volumes**	1 sample**	Loss on Drying (LOD)
6E	Varying volumes**	Sample and reference standard**	FTIR
6F	Varying volumes**	1 sample**	Karl Fischer
6G	Varying volumes**	Sample, reference standard and TLC plates**	TLC
6H	60mL	Liquid solution sample	FLAA
6I	Varying volumes**	1 sample**	Polarimetry
6J	Varying volumes**	1 sample**	Advanced Titration
6K*	1g	1 sample**	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) Spectrometry
6L*	1g	1 sample**	X-ray Powder Diffraction (XRPD)
7A*	Varying volumes**	Sample and reference standard**	Dissolution testing
7B*	-	1 Sample	Tablet testing
7C*	10	Dosage units and reference standard	Uniformity of dosage units
8A*	125mL	1 sample	Low level conductivity (<50 µS/cm)
8B*	-	1 sample	Particulate determination
11* NEW	4mL	Solution	Endotoxins in solutions

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**Format depends upon type of test material.



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Consumer Safety samples			
Sample	Quantity	Supplied as	Target Analyte(s)
12* NEW	10mL	E-Liquid Solution	Nicotine; Propylene glycol; Glycerol

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Dietary and Herbal Supplements			
Sample	Quantity	Supplied as	Target Analyte(s)
13* NEW	5g	Ginseng supplement	Ginsenoside-Rb1; Ginsenoside-Rb2; Total ginsenosides
14* NEW	10g	Herbal supplement	Arsenic; Cadmium; Lead; Mercury
15* NEW	2 x 5g sample	Powdered supplement	Sildenafil
16* NEW	10ml of oil or 5g of powdered material	Oil or Powdered material	Cannabidiol

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MICROBIOLOGY SAMPLES			
Sample	Quantity	Supplied as	Target Analyte(s)
3	10mL	Vial	Low-level enumeration; Identification of microorganism (Intended for membrane filtration)
4A	10mL	Vial	Total aerobic microbial count; Total bacterial count Detection and/or Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ; <i>Escherichia coli</i> ; Bile-tolerant gram-negative bacteria
4B	10mL	Vial	Detection of <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> ; <i>Burkholderia cepacia</i> NEW Enumeration of Yeast; Mould; Total yeast and mould Enumeration and/or detection of <i>Candida albicans</i>
5	5 x 5mL	Vial	Sterility; Identification of microorganism
9	10mL	Vial	Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> species
10	10mL vial + 10g medicinal herb matrix	Medicinal herb	Total aerobic microbial count Detection and/or Enumeration of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ; Coliforms; Yeast; Mould; Yeast and Mould

For details on the full technical specification of the scheme, please refer to the PHARMASSURE Scheme Description.

Please fill in your address details below:

Send Test Materials to:	Send Invoices to:
Contact name: Department: Company: Address: Town/City: Post/Zip Code: Country: Tel: Fax: E-mail:	Contact name: Department: Company: Address: Town/City: Post/Zip Code: Country: Tel: Fax: E-mail: VAT no:

Send Report Notifications to:	#An email will be sent to this address to notify when the report is available to download from PORTAL, the online reporting system
Contact name: E-mail#:	



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Please note:

- Please contact LGC for prices.
- VAT (charged at the prevailing rate) is payable by all participants based in the UK and by those in the rest of the European Union if a VAT Registration Number is not provided.
- Participants will pay an additional fee to cover courier charges. If you would like a guide as to these charges, please contact LGC Proficiency Testing.
- All courier charges set by LGC Proficiency Testing do not include local import charges, taxes (etc.), which will be covered by the participant.
- Do not send remittance with this form, you will be invoiced subsequently for the full year's participation.
- No refunds will be given for failure to take part in any round of the PT scheme or for cancellation of rounds that have already been invoiced.
- LGC Proficiency Testing reserves the right to not send samples or the report for previous samples to any participant that has not paid their subscriptions within the terms stated on the invoice.
- LGC Proficiency Testing cannot guarantee the number of participants that will return results for any particular parameter in each round.
- The prices stated are for reporting results and receiving reports electronically via PORTAL (internet reporting). If alternative data entry or reporting methods are required, further charges apply. Please contact LGC Proficiency Testing for the current charges.
- By signing this application form, you are agreeing to comply by LGC's Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Laboratory Quality Products and Services. Furthermore, for test samples containing microorganisms with a bio safety level (BSL) of 1 or 2, you are confirming that you are complying with applicable laws and regulations when using such materials.

Existing customers

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New customers

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Yes, I am happy to be contacted about LGC's products, services and research

No, I do not require marketing information about LGC's products and services at this time

Signature

Date