



## INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS ON THE INTERLABORATORY TEST PLAN

LPT code	Asia-Pacific Brucellosis Bovine Serum Inter-laboratory Proficiency Test 2020
Version	01

Test			
Name of the test	Asia-Pacific Brucellosis Bovine Serum Inter-laboratory Proficiency Test 2020		
Type	Proficiency Ring Trial		
Purpose	To evaluate the reliability of serum testing performed in Asia-Pacific Bovine Brucellosis Laboratories		
<b>Identification of the organizer</b>			
Name	NIAH - Brucellosis Laboratory		
Address	National Institute of Animal Health 50/2 Kasetklang-Bangkhen, Chatuchak, Bangkok 10900, THAILAND		
<b>Identification of the coordinator</b>			
Name	Monaya Ekgatat	Unit/team	Brucellosis Laboratory
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		Email	monayae@gmail.com
<b>Identification of the national external contact person (to be completed by the organiser)</b>			
Name	N/A	☎	N/A
<b>Identification of subcontractors</b>			
Name (s)		Roles (s)	
N/A		N/A	
<b>Information</b>			
Analyte / matrix pair or method	Antibodies against bovine brucellosis / bovine serum		
Number of samples sent per laboratory	21		
Method of analysis imposed	RBT (OIE Manual) / CFT (EU SOP) / I-ELISA (supplier's instruction)†		
Number of tests to be carried out on each sample	One per test		
Conditions of samples shipment	Rapid post/courier with ice-pack		
Time when samples will be shipped	May to June 2020		
Analysis period	≤ 8 days after receipt of the panel		
Deadline for returning results	≤ 15 days after receipt of the panel		
Criteria from refusing results (results not used for data processing)	Bad conservation of samples; samples tested more than 8 days after receipt; use of expired or unapproved kits or reagents		
Decision rules for accepting results (acceptable range of values for results)	Conformity in terms of sensitivity, repeatability, specificity and consistency with the level of antibody		
Deadline for sending individual report	November 2020		
Deadline for sending final report	February to March 2021		
Dissemination mode/recipients of results and of the final report	Participating laboratories / DLD Thailand		
Miscellaneous	- Kit and reagents must be used before expire date - Test procedures must conform to the OIE Manual		

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## PARTICIPATION FORM

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Identification of participating laboratory				
Laboratory name				
Laboratory address		Delivery address for samples (If different)		
List of tests		Participation (Yes/No)	Method used (When a choice is available)	
1	Brucellosis Ring Trial (RBT)			
2	Brucellosis Ring Trial (RBT, CFT)			
3	Brucellosis Ring Trial (RBT, CFT, I-ELISA)			
4	Brucellosis Ring Trial (CFT)			
5	Brucellosis Ring Trial (I-ELISA)			
6	Brucellosis Ring Trial (RBT, I-ELISA)			
Participation (to be completed by the participating laboratory)				
Contact person during the inter-laboratory test				
		FAX		Email
Comments/Explanation in the event of non-participation				
Signed at		Name and signature of responsible person:		
Date				

By signing this participation, form the signatory agrees that his/her laboratory accepts the ILPT conditions set out in the attached participant information sheet.

This form must be signed and returned by post, fax or e-mail no later than **April 10<sup>th</sup> 2020** to:

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