**CHEMICALS PROFICIENCY TESTS**

**for 2023 (January – December)**

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| **BASIC CHEMICALS** | | | | |
| **Proficiency Testing Scheme** | **Provisional Scope \*)** | **ID of PT** | **Final registration date** | **Sample dispatch date** |
| Acetone | Tests from the ASTM D329 profile and other tests. | iis23C05 | 11 Aug 2023 | 23 Aug 2023 |
| Benzene | Tests from the ASTM D2359 profile and other tests. | iis23C01 | 20 Jan 2023 | 1 Feb 2023 |
| Caustic Soda | Alkalinity, Density, Iron, Sodium Chlorate, Sodium Chloride and Sodium Sulfate (a high and low salt sample will be sent). | n.a. | Will be organized in 2024 | |
| Cyclohexane | Acid Wash Color, Appearance, Color Pt/Co, Density, Distillation, Freezing Point, Purity, Benzene,  n-Hexane, Methylcyclohexane, Methylcyclopentane, Refractive Index and Sulfur. | n.a. | Will be organized in 2024 | |
| Ethanol (Bio / Fuel grade) | Acidity, Appearance, Copper, Density, Electrical Conductivity, Nonvolatile matter, Nitrogen, pHe, Phosphorus, Water (Coulometric and Volumetric), Purity and impurities, Gum (solvent washed), Inorganic Chloride, Sulfate and Sulfur. | iis23C11 | 3 Nov 2023 | 15 Nov 2023 |
| Ethanol (Food / Neutral grade) | Appearance, Density, Nonvolatile matter, Permanganate Time Test, pHe, Strength (%V/V and %M/M), Water, UV absorbance, Purity and impurities. | iis23C12 | 3 Nov 2023 | 15 Nov 2023 |
| Isopropanol (IPA) | Acidity, Appearance, Inorganic Chloride, Color Pt/Co, Density, Distillation, Nonvolatile matter, Purity and impurities and Water. | iis23C13 | 3 Nov 2023 | 15 Nov 2023 |
| Methanol | The regular sample is for tests from the IMPCA profile and other tests. | iis23C04 | 11 Aug 2023 | 23 Aug 2023 |
| Methanol UV | A separate sample for UV Absorbance only. | iis23C04UV | 11 Aug 2023 | 23 Aug 2023 |
| Mono Ethylene glycol (MEG polyester grade) | Acidity, Aldehydes, Appearance, Ash content, Inorganic Chloride, Color Pt/Co, Density, Diethylene Glycol, Distillation, Miscibility with water, Purity, Specific Gravity, Water, UV Transmittance and Iron. | iis23C10 | 8 Sep 2023 | 20 Sep 2023 |
| Styrene | Tests from the ASTM D2827 profile and other tests. | iis23C07 | 25 Aug 2023 | 6 Sep 2023 |
| Toluene | Tests from the ASTM D841 profile and other tests. | iis23C02 | 20 Jan 2023 | 1 Feb 2023 |
| Xylene (Ortho- / Para-) | Tests from the ASTM D5136 and D5471 profile and other tests. | n.a. | Will be organized in 2024 | |
| Xylenes (mixed-) | Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, p-/o-/m-Xylenes, iso-Propylbenzene and sum C9+Aromatics and  Non-aromatics. | iis23C08 | 25 Aug 2023 | 6 Sep 2023 |

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| **SPECIALTY CHEMICALS** | | | | |
| **Proficiency Testing Scheme** | **Provisional Scope \*)** | **ID of PT** | **Final registration date** | **Sample dispatch date** |
| Acetic Acid | Acetaldehyde, Appearance, Anorganic Chloride, Color Pt/Co, Density, Formic Acid, Freezing Point, Iron as Fe, Nonvolatile matter, Purity and Water. | iis23K02 | 30 Dec 2022 | 11 Jan 2023 |
| AdBlue (32% Urea solution) | Tests from the ISO22241-1 profile and other tests. | iis23G05 | 21 Apr 2023 | 3 May 2023 |
| n-Butylacrylate | Acidity, Appearance, Color Pt/Co, Density, Inhibitor, Purity and impurities and Water. | iis23K05 | 9 Jun 2023 | 21 Jun 2023 |
| Methyl metacrylate (MMA) | Acidity, Appearance, Color Pt/Co, Density, Inhibitor, Water, Purity and Impurities. | n.a. | Will be organized in 2024 | |
| Methyl- tert-Butylether (MTBE) | Appearance, Carbonyls, Density, Refractive Index, Water, Purity and impurities. | iis23K03 | 30 Dec 2022 | 11 Jan 2023 |
| Mono Propylene glycol (MPG) | Acidity, Appearance, Inorganic Chloride, Color Pt/Co, Density, Distillation, Iron, Purity, Dipropylene glycol, Specific Gravity and Water. | iis23K06 | 8 Sep 2023 | 20 Sep 2023 |
| Vinyl Acetate Monomer (VAM) | Test from the ASTM D2190 profile and other tests. | iis23K01 | 30 Dec 2022 | 11 Jan 2023 |

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| **CHEMICALS REFERENCE MATERIALS** | | | | |
| **Reference Material** | **Analytes with Certified Values** | **ID of Ref** | **Unit amount** |
| Ethanol | Purity, Purity on dry base, Strength %V/V, Apparent Density at 20°C and Water. | EtOH-180599 | 100 mL |
| Methanol | Color Pt/Co, Density at 20°C, Specific Gravity 20/20°C, ASTM D1078 Distillation (IBP, 50% recovered and DP), Benzene and Ethanol. | MeOH-110717 | 250 mL |
| Mono Ethylene glycol (MEG) | Acidity ASTM D1613, Aldehydes, Color Pt/Co, Density at 20°C, ASTM D1078 Distillation (IBP, 50% recovered and DP), Iron, Specific Gravity 20/20°C and Water. | MEG-160927 | 250 mL |
| Xylene (Ortho-) | p-Xylene, m-Xylene, Ethylbenzene, iso-Propylbenzene, Styrene, Ethyltoluene and n-Propylbenzene. | DSOX-041096 | 60 mL |

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**2023 program**

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| Tick to order participation | ID of PT | Final registration date | Participation costs and softcopy of report (by email), excluded transport, etc. \*) | | Tick to order Certificate of Performance | Price, sub total |
|  |  |  | **each** | **set price** | **each €20** |  |
| ○ | iis23K01 | 30 December 2022 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23K02 | 30 December 2022 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23K03 | 30 December 2022 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C01 | 20 January 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C02 | 20 January 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23G05 | 21 April 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23K05 | 9 June 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C04 | 11 August 2023 | € 350 | € 445 | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C04UV | 11 August 2023 | € 350 | ○ |
| ○ | iis23C05 | 11 August 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C07 | 25 August 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C08 | 25 August 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C10 | 8 September 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23K06 | 8 September 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C11 | 3 November 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C12 | 3 November 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |
| ○ | iis23C13 | 3 November 2023 | € 350 |  | ○ |  |

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**2023 program**

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| Tick to order Reference Material | Reference Material  \*) | ID of Ref | Unit amount | Number of units | Price, sub total  \*\*) |
| ○ | Ethanol | EtOH-180599 | 100 mL |  |  |
| ○ | Methanol | MeOH-110717 | 250 mL |  |  |
| ○ | Mono Ethylene glycol | MEG-160927 | 250 mL |  |  |
| ○ | Xylene (Ortho-) | DSOX-041096 | 60 mL |  |  |

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| Reference Material and Certificate of Analysis | Price per unit |
| 1 - 3 units | € 160 |
| 4 - 7 units | € 135 |
| > 7 units | € 110 |

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