

Virus proficiency testing scheme – Preliminary Intended Results Notification

We apologise for any inconvenience caused by the delay in closing this distribution (original date 11 April 2025) due to an extension granted for some countries where there were shipment issues.

These results are provided for guidance and are determined from the examinations undertaken during quality control testing of the samples. The quantification results may show minor variations from the final results, which are calculated from the participants' consensus results, and included in the distribution report.

Distribution: **NHV016** Samples: **NHV0031 and NHV0032**

Intended results:

		NHV0031	NHV0032
Virus	GI	Negative	Positive
	GII	Positive	Negative
	HAV	Negative	Positive
Quantity (copies/per sample)	GI	-	9.0x10 ³
	GII	4.1x10 ³	-
	HAV	-	3.2x10 ⁴

qRT-PCR was carried out using the RNA UltraSense™ One-Step Quantitative RT-PCR System (ThermoFisher), on a Stratagene Mx3005P real-time PCR machine

Laboratory identification numbers of participants who did not return results this distribution:

The distribution report providing details of your individual performance and an analysis of all participants' results will be dispatched shortly. The report may also include sample specific comments.

Repeat samples are available for participants who experienced problems with any of the examinations and wish to make a further attempt or repeat a count. There is no need to wait until you have received the report to order repeat samples.

The next distribution of the Virus Molecular Scheme will be dispatched during the week 3 November 2025.

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