

# Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle

## Annex to the Partial Accreditation Certificate D-19569-02-01 according to DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025:2018

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This annex is a part of the accreditation certificate D-PL-19569-02-00.

Holder of partial accreditation certificate:

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The testing laboratory meets the requirements of DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025:2018 to carry out the conformity assessment activities listed in this annex. The testing laboratory meets additional legal and normative requirements, if applicable, including those in relevant sectoral schemes, provided that these are explicitly confirmed below.

The management system requirements of DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025 are written in the language relevant to the operations of testing laboratories and confirm generally with the principles of DIN EN ISO 9001.

**physical, physico-chemical and chemical testing of foodstuffs, commodities, cosmetics,  
selected physical, physico-chemical and chemical examination of tobacco and tobacco products**

**In the testing areas stated, the testing laboratory is authorised, without being required to inform and obtain prior approval from DAkkS:**

- \* to freely select standardised or equivalent testing methods.
- \* \* to modify and further develop existing testing methods and develop new ones.

**The listed testing methods are detailed by way of example.**

**Within the accreditation areas indicated with \*\*\*, the testing laboratory is permitted, without prior information and approval of the DAkkS, the testing laboratory is permitted to use the standardised test methods or equivalent test methods with different editions listed here is permitted.**

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The testing laboratory has a current list of all testing methods within the flexible accreditation area.

**1 Physical, physico-chemical and chemical testing of foodstuffs**

**1.1 Determination of organic contaminants, additives, pesticides residues and ingredients by gas chromatography using mass selective detectors (MS-, MS/MS) in foodstuffs \*\***

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| DIN EN 12396-2<br>1998-12  | Non-fatty foods - Determination of dithiocarbamate and thiuram disulfide residues - Part 2: Gas chromatographic method<br>(Modification: <i>Use of a more sensitive detector system: mass spectrometer; lower sample weight, reagent blank value, quantification against solvent standard reclaimed under the same conditions or in the case of dry herbs against recovery, taking account of the internal standard; production of standards using in-house software "SCON"</i> ) |
| ASU L 00.00-115<br>2018-10 | Analysis of foodstuffs – Multimethod for the determination of pesticide residues using GC and LC-based analysis following acetonitrile extraction/partitioning and clean-up by dispersive SPE in food of plant origin – Modular QuEChERS-method<br>(Modification: <i>Module E1, E3-E7-Extraction: Lower sample weight with adjusted solvent quantity; Module C3-Clean up: Use of "push through" columns</i> )   |
| LA-GC-004.07<br>2016-08    | GC-MS determination of epoxidized soybean oil in food samples   |
| LA-GC-011.071<br>2018-12   | GC-MS determination of aldehydes in low-fat foodstuffs  |
| LA-GC-011.072<br>2013-12   | GC-MS determination of aldehydes in high-fat foodstuffs   |
| LA-GC-013.071<br>2016-11   | Headspace GC-MS determination of volatile organic compounds (VOC) in low-fat foods  |
| LA-GC-013.072<br>2016-11   | Headspace-GC-MS-Bestimmung von flüchtigen organischen Verbindungen (VOC) in fettreichen Lebensmitteln   |
| LA-GC-022.071<br>2018-10   | GC-MS determination of inorganic total bromide in low-fat foodstuffs after derivatisation with propylene oxide  |
| LA-GC-051.072<br>2021-10   | GC-MS/MS determination of sterols in fats, oils, waxes and oil-based nutritional supplements  |

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| LA-GC-301.07<br>2018-12          | GC-MS determination of glycols in food samples   |
| LA-GC-801.07<br>2018-09          | GC-MS determination of selected industrial chemicals in foodstuffs<br>(Analytes: <i>here are plasticisers, bisphenol A, PAH, bee repellent, antioxidants, octylphenols, nonylphenols, ethyloxylates and chlorobenzenes</i> ) |
| LA-GC-802.072<br>2019-07         | Determination of plasticisers in fats and oils using GC-MS/(MS)  |
| LA-Pestizide-001.072a<br>2019-06 | Determination of pesticides in fats and oils using GC-MS/MS and LC-MS/MS   |
| LA-Pestizide-001.072b<br>2019-06 | Determination of pesticides in nuts and oil seeds using GC-MS/MS and LC-MS/MS  |
| LA-Pestizide-001.076<br>2019-06  | Pesticides in dry, difficult and fatty matrices using GC-MS/MS and LC-MS/MS  |
| LA-Pestizide-006.07<br>2018-05   | Headspace - GC-MS determination of phosphine in food samples   |
| LA-Pestizide-013.077<br>2019-06  | Determination of selected pesticides in hops and hop products using GC-MS/MS or LC-MS/MS   |

**1.2 Determination of MOSH/MOAH by means of gas chromatography using conventional detectors (FID) in foodstuffs**

|                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| LA-GC-014.07<br>2019-07 | GC-FID determination of MOSH/MOAH in foodstuffs |
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**1.3 Determination of ingredients by means of high performance liquid chromatography using conventional detectors (DAD) in foodstuffs \*\***

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| DIN ISO 14502-2<br>2007-12 | Determination of substances characteristic of green and black tea - Part 2: Content of catechins in green tea - Method using high-performance liquid chromatography<br>(Modification: <i>Adapted LC conditions such as flow, standard solutions are present in another solvent</i> ) |
| LA-LC-903.075<br>2019-02   | Determination of curcuminoids in dry foodstuffs and spices using HPLC-DAD  |

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**1.4 Determination of organic contaminants, Mycotoxins, pesticide residues and Ingredients by means of high performance liquid chromatography using mass-selective detectors (MS/MS) in foodstuffs \*\***

|                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| ASU L 00.00-115<br>2018-10       | Analysis of foodstuffs – Multimethod for the determination of pesticide residues using GC and LC-based analysis following acetonitrile extraction/partitioning and clean-up by dispersive SPE in food of plant origin – Modular QuEChERS-method<br>(Modification: <i>Module E1, E3-E7-Extraction: Lower sample weight with adjusted solvent quantity; Module C3-Clean up: Use of "push through" columns</i> ) |
| LA-LC-110.07<br>2019-07          | LC-MS/MS determination of photoinitiators in foods  |
| LA-LC-904.07<br>2022-06          | Determination of natural ingredients in foodstuffs incl. nutritional supplements by LC-MS/MS  |
| LA-Pestizide-001.072a<br>2019-06 | Determination of pesticides in fats and oils using GC-MS/MS and LC-MS/MS  |
| LA-Pestizide-001.072b<br>2019-06 | Determination of pesticides in nuts and oil seeds using GC-MS/MS and LC-MS/MS   |
| LA-Pestizide-001.076<br>2019-06  | Pesticides in dry, difficult and fatty matrices using GC-MS/MS and LC-MS/MS   |
| LA-Pestizide-003.075<br>2018-05  | Determination of acidic pesticides in dry plant-based foods   |
| LA-Pestizide-004.07<br>2017-11   | Determination of polar pesticides in foods using LC-MS/MS   |
| LA-Pestizide-005.07<br>2016-01   | LC-MS/MS determination of nicotine in foodstuffs (residues)   |
| LA-Pestizide-010.07<br>2016-06   | Determination of glyphosate, AMPA and glufosinate after derivatisation with FMOC using LC-MS/MS   |
| LA-Pestizide-011.075<br>2016-06  | Determination of mycotoxins in dry fruits and other dry foodstuffs using LC-MS/MS   |
| LA-Pestizide-012.075<br>2017-06  | Determination of pyrrolizidine alkaloids in dry foodstuffs using LC-MS/MS   |

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LA-Pestizide-013.077      Determination of selected pesticides in hops and hop products using GC-  
2019-06                      MS/MS or LC-MS/MS

**1.5      Titrimetric determination of ingredients in edible oils and fats \*\***

LA-NC-003.07              Determination of the acid value in edible oils and fats  
2019-02

LA-NC-004.07              Determination of the peroxide value in edible oils and fats  
2019-02

**2          Physical, physico-chemical and chemical testing of commodities**

**2.1      Determination of additives and organic contaminants by means of gas chromatography using mass-selective detectors (MS) in commodities \*\***

DIN EN ISO 11890-2      Paints and varnishes - Determination of volatile organic compound (VOC)  
2013-07                      content - Part 2: Gas-chromatographic method (Modification: *here also  
for commodities; lower sample weight, quantification of single substances;  
use of other ISTDs; modification of daily calibration*)

DIN CEN ISO/TS 16179      Footwear - Critical substances potentially present in footwear and  
2012-12                      footwear components - Determination of organotin compounds in  
footwear materials  
(Modification: *here also for commodities; halving of sample weight and all  
chemicals used, other complexing agents, other extracting agents for the  
ethylated organotin compounds*)

LA-GC-002.01              GC/MS determination of industrial chemicals in commodities, chemical  
2020-10                      products and furnishings

LA-GC-004.01              GC-MS determination of epoxidized soybean oil in commodities  
2013-12

LA-GC-006.01              GC/MS determination of chlorinated compounds (e.g. PCB) in polymers,  
2018-10                      commodities and construction products

LA-GC-013.01              Headspace-GC-MS-Bestimmung von flüchtigen organischen Verbindungen  
2018-10                      (VOC) in Materialproben

**2.2      Determination of MOSH/MOAH by means of gas chromatography using conventional detectors (FID) in commodities**

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LA-GC-014.01                      GC-FID determination of MOSH/MOAH in food packaging materials  
2019-07

**2.3      Determination of aromatic amines by means of liquid chromatography using mass-selective detectors (MS/MS) in commodities \*\*\***

DIN EN ISO 14362-1              Textiles - Methods for determination of certain aromatic amines derived  
2017-05                              from azo colorants - Part 1: Detection of the use of certain azo colorants  
   accessible with and without extracting the fibres (Modification: *no  
   purification with kieselguhr columns*)

**2.4      Determination of migrating additives and contaminants by means of liquid chromatography using conventional detectors (DAD) in commodities \*\***

LA-LC-605.02                      HPLC determination of phenols in aqueous samples, migrates and water  
2014-10                              (such as determination of BADGE, BFDGE and their hydroxy- and chlorine  
   derivates in food samples and water) (Restriction: *here only for  
   commodities*)

LA-LC-705.08                      HPLC-DAD determination of antioxidants in aqueous migrates  
2019-07

**2.5      Gravimetric determination of migrating additives and contaminants \*\*\***

DIN EN 1186-2                      Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 2: Test  
2002-07                              methods for overall migration into olive oil by total immersion  
   (Modification: *No analysis of swellable materials, no review of method  
   suitability of test pieces, double determination, lower quantity of internal  
   standard, other derivatisation*)

DIN EN 1186-3                      Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 3: Test  
2002-07                              methods for overall migration into aqueous simulants by total immersion  
   (Modification: *double determination*)

DIN EN 1186-4                      Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 4: Test  
2002-07                              methods for overall migration into olive oil by cell  
   (Modification: *No analysis of swellable materials, no review of method  
   suitability of test pieces, double determination, lower quantity of internal  
   standard, other derivatisation*)

DIN EN 1186-5                      Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 5: Test  
2002-07                              methods for overall migration into aqueous food simulants by cell  
   (Modification: *double determination*)

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| DIN EN 1186-8<br>2002-07    | Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 8: Test methods for overall migration into olive oil by article filling<br><i>(Modification: No analysis of swellable materials, no review of method suitability of test pieces, double determination, lower quantity of internal standard, other derivatisation)</i>                                     |
| DIN EN 1186-9<br>2002-07    | Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 9: Test methods for overall migration into aqueous simulants by article filling<br><i>(Modification: double determination)</i>  |
| DIN EN 1186-13<br>2002-12   | Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 13: Test methods for overall migration at high temperatures<br><i>(Modification: double determination)</i>  |
| DIN EN 1186-14<br>2002-12   | Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics - Part 14: Test methods for 'substitute tests' for overall migration from plastics intended to come into contact with fatty foodstuffs using test media iso-octane and 95 % ethanol<br><i>(Modification: double determination)</i>   |
| DIN EN 13130-1<br>2004-08   | Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Plastics substances subject to limitation - Part 1: Guide to test methods for the specific migration of substances from plastics to foods and food simulants and the determination of substances in plastics and the selection of conditions of exposure to food simulants<br><i>(Modification: single determination)</i> |
| DIN EN 14338<br>2004-03     | Paper and board intended to come into contact with foodstuffs - Conditions for determination of migration from paper and board using modified polyphenylene oxide (MPPPO) as a simulant   |
| DIN CEN/TS 14234<br>2003-01 | Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs - Polymeric coatings on paper and board - Guide to the selection of conditions and test methods for overall migration   |

**2.6 Determination of migrating additives and contaminants by means of gas chromatography using mass-selective detectors (MS) in commodities \*\***

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| LA-GC-013.024-1<br>2019-01 | Headspace GC-MS determination of acrylonitrile in migrates |
| LA-GC-013.024-2<br>2019-01 | Headspace GC-MS determination of 1-octene in migrates      |

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LA-GC-013.021                      Headspace GC-MS determination of volatile organic compounds (VOC) in  
2022-04                                      water samples and aqueous migrates

**2.7      Determination of migrating additives and contaminants by means of liquid chromatography  
            using mass-selective detectors (MS/MS) in commodities \*\***

LA-LC-110.08                      LC-MS/MS determination of photoinitiators in aqueous migrates  
2019-07

LA-LC-707.08                      LC-MS/MS determination of caprolactam in migrates  
2017-02

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**3 Physical, physico-chemical and chemical testing of cosmetics**

**3.1 Determination of organic contaminants and additives by means of gas chromatography with mass-selective detectors (MS) in cosmetics \*\***

|                         |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| LA-GC-002.05<br>2014-05 | GC-MS determination of industrial chemicals in cosmetics   |
| LA-GC-013.05<br>2020-10 | Headspace GC-MS determination of volatile organic compounds (VOC) in cosmetics   |
| LA-GC-116.05<br>2015-06 | GC-MS determination of selected preservatives in cosmetics   |
| LA-GC-604.05<br>2019-07 | GC-MS determination of fragrances and naturally occurring substances in cosmetics, detergents and commodities (Restriction: <i>here only for cosmetics</i> ) |

**3.2 Determination of ingredients by means of liquid chromatography using conventional detectors (DAD, RI) in cosmetics \*\***

|                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| LA-LC-002.05<br>2014-10 | HPLC-DAD determination of isothiazolinones in cosmetics         |
| LA-LC-004.05<br>2019-07 | LC-RI determination of paraffins and silicone oils in cosmetics |

**3.3 Determination of organic contaminants and additives by means of liquid chromatography using mass-selective detectors (MS/MS) in cosmetics \*\***

|                         |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| LA-LC-107.05<br>2019-06 | LC-MS/MS determination of quaternary ammonia compounds in cosmetic products and detergents |
| LA-LC-121.05<br>2014-05 | LC-MS/MS determination of NDELA in water soluble cosmetics                                 |

**3.4 Determination of free and bound formaldehyde by means of photometry in cosmetics \*\*\***

|                              |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| ASU K 84.00-7(EG)<br>1991-09 | Analysis of cosmetic products; detection and quantification of free and bound formaldehyde<br>(Modification: <i>Complete implementation in centrifuge tubes, free and bound formaldehyde</i> ) |
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**3.5 Determination of pH value by means of potentiometry in cosmetics**

LA-LB-025                      Determination of pH value of cosmetic products  
2016-07

**4 Chemical testing of tobacco and tobacco products**

LA-GC-301.074                GC-MS determination of humectants in tobacco and tobacco products  
2017-03

**Abbreviations used:**

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| BADGE        | Bisphenol A diglycidyl ether                                 |
| BFDGE        | Bisphenol F diglycidyl ether                                 |
| CEN          | European Committee for Standardization                       |
| DIN          | German Institute for Standardization                         |
| EN           | European Standard  |
| IEC          | International Electrotechnical Commission                    |
| ISO          | International Organization for Standardization               |
| ISTD         | Internal Standard  |
| LA-xx-yyy.yy | In-house method of PiCA Prüfinstitut Chemische Analytik GmbH |
| MOSH         | Mineral oil saturated hydrocarbons                           |
| MOAH         | Mineral oil aromatic hydrocarbons                            |
| NDELA        | N-Nitrosodiethanolamine                                      |
| TS           | Technical Specification                                      |

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