

# CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION

## CENTRAL VETERINARY LABORATORY, ZIMBABWE

*Established under the Animal Health ACT of 1996 [Chapter. 19:01]*

**Facility Accreditation Number: VET 005**

is a SADCAS accredited Testing Laboratory  
provided that all SADCAS conditions are complied with

This certificate is valid as per the scope stated in the accompanying schedule of accreditation,  
Annexure "A", bearing the above accreditation number for

### **BACTERIOLOGY, PARASITOLOGY, SEROLOGY AND FOOD CHEMISTRY**

*The facility is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard*

**ISO/IEC 17025:2017**

*The accreditation demonstrates technical competency for a defined scope and the operation  
of a laboratory quality management system*

*SADCAS is a subsidiarity organization of SADC. A memorandum of understanding between SADC and  
SADCAS serves as the basis for the recognition of SADCAS by SADC Member States  
as a multi-economy accreditation body*

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**Eve Christine Gadzikwa**  
**SADCAS Chief Executive Officer**

**Effective Date (Issue No: 3): 25 July 2023**  
**Certificate Expires: 11 June 2025**

## ANNEXURE A

### SCHEDULE OF ACCREDITATION

Laboratory Accreditation Number: **VET 005 (ISO/IEC 17025:2017)**

<p><b>Permanent Address of Laboratory</b> Central Veterinary Laboratory, Zimbabwe 18A Bevan Building Liberation Legacy Way Harare Zimbabwe</p>		<p><b>Technical Signatories</b> :</p> <p>Mr G Magora (Serology) Ms P T Tshabalala (Serology) Dr B Bhebhe (Serology) Mrs S Musari (Bacteriology) Dr E O Waniwa (Parasitology) Ms T M Nemaungwe (Parasitology, except SOP/PAR/001) Dr T N Gurira (SOP/BA 002, SOP/BA/003, SOP/BA/066, SOP/BA/060 &amp; SOP/BA/058) Mr P Katsande (SOP/BA/004, SOP/BA/005, SOP/BA/062 &amp; SOP/BA/058) Dr M Jubenkanda (SOP/VS/005 &amp; SOP/VS/036) Ms T Chiyedza (SOP/PAR/001) Mr D Chirau (SOP/BA/060) Ms B T Jackson (SOP/FRCC/001) Dr D Javangwe (SOP/FRCC/001)</p>
<p><b>Postal Address</b> CY 551 Causeway Harare Zimbabwe</p> <p><b>Tel</b> : +263 242 705885/7 <b>Cell</b> : +263 782 384 567 <b>Fax</b> : +263 242 791516 <b>Email</b> : <a href="mailto:vetlabs@dvts.org.zw">vetlabs@dvts.org.zw</a></p>		<p><b>Nominated Representative</b> : Ms V G Mukondiwa</p> <p><b>Issue No</b> : 03 <b>Date of Issue</b> : 25 July 2023 <b>Expiry Date</b> : 11 June 2025</p>
MATERIALS/PRODUCTS TESTED	TYPES OF TESTS/PROPERTIES MEASURED, RANGE OF MEASUREMENT	STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, EQUIPMENT/TECHNIQUES USED
<p><b>BACTERIOLOGY</b> Crocodile Meat, Fish, Beef</p> <p>Meat and Milk</p> <p>Meat, Milk and Milk Products, Fish</p> <p>Swabs and Organs</p> <p>Egg, feed fluff, Swabs of cloacal</p>	<p>Total Coliform Count</p> <p>Total Bacterial Count</p> <p>Detection of <i>Listeria</i> spp. in Food</p> <p>Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> spp. in Food</p> <p>General Routine Culture and Isolation of Bacteria (Qualitative)</p> <p>Isolation and Identification of <i>Salmonella</i> Species</p>	<p>SOP/BA/002</p> <p>SOP/BA/003</p> <p>SOP/BA/062</p> <p>SOP/BA/066</p> <p>SOP/BA/005</p> <p>SOP/BA/004</p>

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<b><u>BACTERIOLOGY</u></b> Organs, Beef, Food, Animal Feed, Water Samples, Bacterial Isolates, Chicken and Chicken Products	Antimicrobial Susceptibility Test Using Disk Diffusion Method	SOP/BA/058
	Detection & Enumeration of <i>Escherichia Coli</i>	SOP/BA/060
<b><u>PARASITOLOGY</u></b> Faecal Material, Bovine, Caprine	Floatation Technique for Fecal Egg Detection	SOP/PAR/002
Ovine, Avian	Sedimentation Technique for Fecal Egg Detection	SOP/PAR/003
Organs and Blood Smears	Giemsa Staining & Microscopic Examination of Tick-borne Haemo-parasites, Anaplasma, Babesia, Ehrlichia & Theileria	SOP/PAR/015
<b><u>VIROLOGY/SEROLOGY</u></b> Caprine, Ovine Sera, Bovine	Rose Bengal Plate Agglutination Test for Brucellosis	SOP/VS/005
Bulk Milk and Individual Milk	Brucella Milk Ring	SOP/VS/036
Equine Sera	Dourine Complement Fixation Test – Antibodies to <i>Trypanosoma equiperdum</i> in Serum	SOP/VS/055
Bovine Sera	Brucella Complement Fixation Test – Antibodies to <i>Brucella abortus</i> in serum	SOP/VS/056
Chicken Sera	New Castle Disease Virus - Haemagglutination Inhibition Test – Antibodies in Serum	SOP/VS/072
<b><u>FOOD CHEMISTRY</u></b> Food Residue, Milk and Tissue	Food Screening Using Radio Receptor Assay (For Sulphonamides, Tetracyclines & Beta-Lactams)	SOP/FRCC/001

Original date of accreditation: 12 June 2020

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