

* QuoData Webinar

Quality Assurance '20 in Food Microbiology

In-house validation, verification and evaluation of measurement uncertainty for quantitative microbiological test methods

Webinar series for laboratories in the field of food microbiology

Relevant standards:
ISO 16140 series &
ISO 19036

20–22 Oct. 2020

Quality assurance in food microbiology – firsthand expertise

Webinar participants learn how to validate and verify quantitative test methods according to ISO 16140 and how to evaluate measurement uncertainty according to ISO 19036. In this way, participants acquire indispensable skills for meeting the requirements of the new ISO/IEC 17025:2017.

The ISO 16140 series provides modern designs and approaches for validation and verification, which take into account the unique challenges of microbiological testing. The ISO 19036 standard for the determination of measurement uncertainty is closely related to ISO 16140.

As ISO standards, these modern standards are of global relevance. Especially in Europe they will quickly find their way into practice.

This webinar series combines theory and practice and discusses real examples. The speakers will provide key insights to help plan, implement and evaluate studies and interpret results.

Target audience

The webinar series is intended for managers and staff of private and public testing laboratories in food microbiology, as well as of research institutions using quantitative microbiological testing methods such as

- classical methods (e.g. plating methods)
- immunological methods (e.g. ELISA)
- molecular biological methods (e.g. PCR, LAMP)

The webinars are also relevant for interested scientists from the fields of environmental and agricultural sciences.

Program

Main Topics

Day 1, 20 October 2020 Verification of quantitative microbiological test methods

- relevant performance characteristics: calculation, interpretation and assessment
- examples and exercises

Day 2, 21 October 2020 Evaluation of the measurement uncertainty of quantitative microbiological test results

- basics, definitions
- ISO 19036 approach for the evaluation of measurement uncertainty
- examples and exercises

Day 3, 22 October 2020 In-house validation of quantitative microbiological test methods

- relevant performance characteristics: calculation, interpretation and assessment
- validation with/without reference method
- examples and exercises

Please note!

Registration is open until 14 October 2020

QuoData – Quality & Statistics

QuoData offers comprehensive consulting and innovative tools for the development, optimization, validation and quality assurance of measurement methods.

The QuoData team has more than 20 years of experience and regularly plans and analyses validation studies for its clients across the globe.

The webinar speakers are members of national and international committees for quality assurance, such as the working groups for the development of ISO 19036 and the ISO 16140 series. They will accompany you through the webinars and will be happy to answer all your questions.

Webinar language – English
Dates – October 20–22 2020

Webinar duration – The webinar series takes place over three consecutive days. The lecture content comprises approximately 3-4 hours a day, plus two breaks.

Registration – You can register, using our online form: <https://quodata.de/registration.php>
Feel free to register for all three days or pick the days which are most interesting to you.

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Participation Fee

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Webinar documents

The presentation slides will be sent to you by post as print-outs before the start of the webinar. You will receive a certificate of participation by post after completing the webinar. Please include the shipping address in the registration form. The cost of the webinar documents, and the certificate of attendance are included in the participation fee.

Technical Requirements

To participate you need a PC or laptop with a secure internet connection, a headset with a microphone and a webcam. You will receive the link to your booked webinar, including instructions on dialing in, by email a few days before the start of the webinar.