



Certificate of Accreditation

International Accreditation Japan (IAJapan) hereby accredits the following conformity assessment body as a testing laboratory of ASNITE accreditation program.

Accreditation Identification: ASNITE 0018 Testing

Name of Conformity Assessment Body: Food Analysis and Standardization Team, Food Research Institute, National Agriculture and Food Research Organization

Name of Legal Entity: National Agriculture and Food Research Organization

Location of Conformity Assessment Body: 2-1-12, Kannondai, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki
305-8642, JAPAN

Scope of Accreditation: as the following pages

Accreditation Requirement: ISO/IEC 17025:2017*

* The relevant accreditation requirements described in the Accreditation Scheme Document for ASNITE-T (E) are also applied.

Effective Date of Accreditation: 2021-01-29

Expiry Date of Accreditation: 2025-01-28

Date of Initial Accreditation: 2007-03-30

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KISHIMOTO Isao

Chief Executive, International Accreditation Japan (IAJapan)

National Institute of Technology and Evaluation

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- International Accreditation Japan (IAJapan) is a laboratory accreditation body which has signed MRAs of ILAC (International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation) and APAC (Asia Pacific Accreditation Cooperation).
 - MRA requirements are, in addition to relevant international standards and guides, requirements for participation in proficiency testing programs, surveillance and reassessment, and the policy for the traceability of measurement for MRA purpose.
 - This laboratory fulfills ISO/IEC 17025:2017 General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories. This accreditation means this laboratory meets both the technical competence requirements and management system requirements that are necessary for it to consistently deliver technically valid test results and calibrations (refer to joint ISO-ILAC-IAF Communiqué dated April 2017).
 - The latest accreditation information is publicly available on IAJapan Website as an accreditation certificate.

Name of Accreditation Program	ASNITE-T(E) Accreditation Program
Accreditation Identification	ASNITE 0018 Testing
Date of Initial Accreditation	2007-03-30
Effective Date of Accreditation	2021-01-29
Expiry Date of Accreditation	2025-01-28
Latest Date of Issue	2021-01-29
Name and Location of Conformity Assessment Body	Food Analysis and Standardization Team, Food Research Institute, National Agriculture and Food Research Organization 2-1-12, Kannondai, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki 305-8642, JAPAN
Name of Legal Entity	National Agriculture and Food Research Organization JCN 7050005005207
Inquiry Point	Te1: +81-29-838-7971 Fax: +81-29-838-7996
Remarks	This accredited organization meets the requirements of ISO/IEC 17025:2017 and Accreditation Requirements in the Accreditation Scheme (ASNITE-T(E)) as a testing laboratory.

* JCN : Japan Corporate Number

(Attachment)

Name of Laboratory: Food Analysis and Standardization Team,
 Food Research Institute,
 National Agriculture and Food Research Organization
 Address of Laboratory: 2-1-12, Kannondai, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki 305-8642, JAPAN
 Work to carry out: Control of management system , Sample storage, Analytical test ,
 Ensuring the validity of results, Reporting of results

Accreditation Scope			Testing Items	Test Methods	Effective Date of Accreditation
Category	Sub-Category	Measurement Techniques			
Chemical Products	Reference Materials (Testing)	PCR	Content of GMO/ Maize, Soybean (Reference Materials)	1) Japanese Agricultural Standard (JAS) analytical test handbook (3 edition, 2012): Genetically modified food quality, labeling analysis manual for individual products 2) Notification on Food Labeling Standards, CAA Notification No.139 (2015), Annex: Food Labeling on Food produced by recombinant DNA technique 3) ISO 21570 (2005) Annex C4~9 4) Validated quantitative detection methods of following GM events: Maize: NK603, MON863, TC-1507 and T25 (research article 2010), MIR604 (research article 2012), LY038 (research article 2013), MIR162 (research article 2014) and 3272 (research report 2016) Soybean: MON89788 (research article 2010), A2704-12 (research article 2011)	2021.1.29
		γ -Ray Spectrometry	Radioactive Cesium/ Rice, Wheat (Reference Materials)	MHLW Notice No.0315 (2012), Article 4 of the Department of Food Safety, Annex: Method for testing radioactive cesium in food	

【NOTE】

CAA:Consumer Affairs Agency

MHLW :Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare

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