

**VEE KVALITEET  
Salmonella spp. määramine**

**Water quality  
Detection of Salmonella spp  
(ISO 19250:2010)**

**EESTI STANDARDI EESSÖNA****NATIONAL FOREWORD**

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**HOIATUS** — Laboratooriumi töötajate tervise kaitseks on oluline, et katsed *Salmonella*, eriti *S. enterica* subsp. *enterica* ser. *Typhi* (*Salmonella* ser. *Typhi*) ja *S. enterica* subsp. *enterica* ser. *Paratyphi* (*Salmonella* ser. *Paratyphi*) tuvastamiseks tehakse ainult selleks otstarbeks sisustatud laboratooriumites vilunud mikrobioloogide järelevalve all ja erilist hoolt tuleb kanda kõikide inkubeeritud materjalide hävitamise eest.

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See rahvusvaheline standard määratleb meetodid *Salmonella* spp. (eeldatava või tõendatava) tuvastamiseks veaproovides. On võimalik, et epidemioloogilistel põhjustel või haiguspuhangute uurimiste ajal on vajalikud ka muud söötmehed.

**HOIATUS** — On võimalik, et meetod ei avasta (kata) kõiki *Salmonella* ser. *Typhi* ja ser. *Paratyphi*.

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## Foreword

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This edition cancels and replaces ISO 6340:1995, which has been technically revised.

## Introduction

*Salmonella* species are bacteria which are widely distributed all over the world. They are usually classified as pathogens, although their virulence and pathogenesis vary widely. The natural hosts of *Salmonella* include humans, agricultural and domestic livestock, and wild animals including birds. Humans and animals can excrete these bacteria while carrying them asymptotically as well as during disease. It is therefore impossible to eliminate them from the environment. Following the infection of humans, the transmission of *Salmonella* can cause severe disease.

Since water is a recognized vehicle of infection, the presence or absence of *Salmonella* is monitored in water where there is perceived to be a risk of infection. *Salmonella* can be present in all types of domestic and agricultural waste water, freshwaters, including ground and drinking waters, as well as sea water.

The detection of *Salmonella* in water usually requires a concentration step. Since *Salmonella* cells can be present in low numbers and injured in the aqueous environment, their detection in water usually requires a pre-enrichment step.

# Water quality — Detection of *Salmonella* spp.

**WARNING** — In order to safeguard the health of laboratory personnel, it is essential that tests for detecting *Salmonella*, and especially *S. enterica* subsp. *enterica* ser. Typhi (*Salmonella* ser. Typhi) and *S. enterica* subsp. *enterica* ser. Paratyphi (*Salmonella* ser. Paratyphi), be undertaken only in properly equipped laboratories, under the control of a skilled microbiologist, and that great care be taken in the disposal of all incubated materials.

Persons using this International Standard should be familiar with normal laboratory practice. This standard does not purport to address all of the safety problems, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user to establish appropriate safety and health practices and to ensure compliance with any national regulatory conditions.

**IMPORTANT** — It is absolutely essential that tests conducted according to this International Standard be carried out by suitably trained staff.

## 1 Scope

This International Standard specifies a method for the detection of *Salmonella* spp. (presumptive or confirmed) in water samples. It is possible that, for epidemiological purposes or during outbreak investigations, other media are also required.

**WARNING** — It is possible that the method does not recover all *Salmonella* ser. Typhi and ser. Paratyphi.

**NOTE** For a semi-quantitative approach, most probable number (MPN) tests can be performed using appropriate sample volumes. For these cases, the volume of the buffered peptone water is adjusted accordingly.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 6579, *Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the detection of Salmonella spp.*

ISO 6887-1, *Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Preparation of test samples, initial suspension and decimal dilutions for microbiological examination — Part 1: General rules for the preparation of the initial suspension and decimal dilutions*

ISO 7218, *Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — General requirements and guidance for microbiological examinations*

ISO 7704, *Water quality — Evaluation of membrane filters used for microbiological analyses*

ISO 8199, *Water quality — General guidance on the enumeration of micro-organisms by culture*

ISO 19458, *Water quality — Sampling for microbiological analysis*