AAFCO Check Sample 0921
Chicken Starter / Grower, Medicated

Administrative

Thanks to everyone who has already subscribed to the 2009 Program. The following labs were actively participating in 2008 and have yet to renew.

48, 83, 138, 140, 177, 337, 509, 511, 626, 639, 645, 647, 648, 655, 657, 661,672, 688, 695, 716, 724, 725, 857

If your lab number is on this list but you have sent in an invoice form, please contact Sharon Krebs at AAFCO (email Sharon@aafco.org) as soon as possible because there may be a problem processing payment. The invoice form is available on the AAFCO website. The link to the Collaborative Check Sample Program page is provided below.
http://www.aafco.org/NewsandInformation/AAFCOCheckSampleProgram/tabid/74/Default.aspx
Use this link to access all relevant program documents and forms, and also link to the Summary reports page. To ensure uninterrupted delivery of your samples, please have your renewal forms submitted as soon as possible. We very much appreciate your continued support of this AAFCO Program.

AAFCO Sample 0895 Canned Cat food

We have a small quantity of the canned cat food sample that is available for purchase for use as a lab control sample. This sample has an in-can expiration data of March 20th 2010 and is available in cases of twenty-four 5.5oz cans. The cost is $50 per case which includes shipping for addresses in the US or Canada. Please contact me if you are interested in placing an order.

Analytical

Analyte	Estimated Analysis	AAFCO Grand Average (Pass 2)*	% of Estimated Analysis
Crude Protein, min	18.00 %	17.5680 %	97.6
Crude Fat[1], min	3.00 %	3.8598 %	128.7
Crude Fiber, max	5.00 %	5.1443 %	102.9
Calcium (Ca), min	0.75 %	0.9649 %	128.7
Phosphorus (P), min	0.60%	0.7321 %	122.0
Salt (from NaCl), min	0.35%	0.4124 %	117.8
Lysine, min	0.88%	0.8951 %	101.7
Methionine, min	0.32%	0.3131 %	97.8
Vitamin A, min	5.0 KU/lb	4.7745 KU/lb	95.5
Vitamin E, min	31 mg/kg	37.5672 mg/kg	121.2
Amprolium	0.0125%	0.0106 %	84.8

* Method Group results
[1]Method Group 003.XX

002.11 Protein by NIR
Of the thirteen labs reporting data using this method code, four were screened outliers (high bias) compared to the method group average.

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