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FMD Vaccine Matching Strain Differentiation Report

Lab Reference WRL Batch Number:

Sender Details:

Date Received:

WRLFMD/2009/00031

8th June 2009

Botswana

Country of Origin:

Date Reported: 15th September 2009

Results App

Official Stamp:



Date:

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Report no:	VNT				LPBE	
Field Isolate:	VNT	Sat2 Eri		Sat2 Zim	ELISA	Sat2 K65/82
	test ref:	VL pool	VL97	VP pool	test ref:	
Sat2 Bot 2/2009	mean	0.23	0.32	0.09	mean	0.06
Sat2 Bot 4/2009	mean	0.32	0.40	0.07	mean	0.07

Interpretation of Results

In the case of Virus Neutralisation Test (VNT):

- $r_1 = \ge 0.3$. Suggests that there is a close relationship between field isolate and vaccine strain. A potent vaccine containing the vaccine strain is likely to confer protection.
- $r_1 = < 0.3$. Suggests that the field isolate is so different from the vaccine strain that the vaccine is unlikely to protect

In the case of Liquid Phase Blocking Elisa (LPBE):

- r_1 = 0.4-1.0. Suggests that there is a close relationship between field isolate and vaccine strain. A potent vaccine containing the vaccine strain is likely to confer protection.
- r_1 = 0.2-0.39, Suggests that the field isolate is antigenically related to the vaccine strain. The vaccine strain might be suitable for use if no closer match can be found provided that a potent vaccine is used and animals are preferably immunised more than once.
- r_1 = <0.2. Suggests that the field isolate is so different from the vaccine strain that the vaccine is unlikely to protect.