

# WOAH Reference Laboratory Reports Activities 2024

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# LABORATORY INFORMATION

*Name of disease (or topic) for which you are a designated WOAH Reference Laboratory:	Heartwater	
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*Name (including Title and Position) of WOAH Reference Expert:	Valérie Rodrigues	
*Which of the following defines your laboratory? Check all that apply:	Academic institution	

## **TOR1: DIAGNOSTIC METHODS**

Yes

1. Did your laboratory perform diagnostic tests for the specified disease/topic for purposes such as disease diagnosis, screening of animals for export, surveillance, etc.? (Not for quality control, proficiency testing or staff training)

Diagnostic Test	Indicated in WOAH Manual (Yes/No)	Total number of test	performed last year
Indirect diagnostic tests		Nationally	Internationally
INDIRECT Map1-1B pan species elisa	No	70	120

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Direct diagnostic tests		Nationally	Internationally
QPCR Sol1 (pcs20)	Yes	600	57

#### **TOR2: REFERENCE MATERIAL**

2. Did your laboratory produce or supply imported standard reference reagents officially recognised by WOAH?

No

3. Did your laboratory supply standard reference reagents (nonWOAH-approved) and/or other diagnostic reagents to WOAH Members?

4. Did your laboratory produce vaccines?

No

5. Did your laboratory supply vaccines to WOAH Members?

No

## **TOR3: NEW PROCEDURES**

6. Did your laboratory develop new diagnostic methods for the designated pathogen or disease?

No

7. Did your laboratory validate diagnostic methods according to WOAH Standards for the designated pathogen or disease?

No

8. Did your laboratory develop new vaccines for the designated pathogen or disease?

No

9. Did your laboratory validate vaccines according to WOAH Standards for the designated pathogen or disease?

No

# **TOR4: DIAGNOSTIC TESTING FACILITIES**

10. Did your laboratory carry out diagnostic testing for other WOAH Members?

Yes

Name of WOAH Member Country seeking assistance	Date	Which diagnostic test used		No. samples received for provision of confirmatory diagnoses
SAINT LUCIA	2024-12-24	qPCR Sol1 and MAP1B pan species ELISA	34	0

11. Did your laboratory provide expert advice in technical consultancies on the request of an WOAH Member?

No

# **TOR5: COLLABORATIVE SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL STUDIES**

12. Did your laboratory participate in international scientific studies in collaboration with WOAH Members other than the own?

No

13. In exercising your activities, have you identified any regulatory research needs\* relevant for WOAH?

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#### No

# **TOR8: QUALITY ASSURANCE**

18. Does your laboratory have a Quality Management System?

#### Yes

Quality management system adopted	Certificate scan (PDF, JPG, PNG format)	
ISO 17025	Cofrac_2025.pdf	Cofrac_2025.pdf

19. Is your quality management system accredited?

#### Yes

Test for which your laboratory is accredited	Accreditation body
qPCR Sol1	COFRAC

20. Does your laboratory maintain a "biorisk management system" for the pathogen and the disease concerned?

Il n'y a pas de biorisque particulier pour la cowdriose. La maladie est endémique en Guadeloupe

## **TOR9: SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS**

21. Did your laboratory organise scientific meetings related to the pathogen in question on behalf of WOAH?

No

22. Did your laboratory participate in scientific meetings related to the pathogen in question on behalf of WOAH?

# **TOR10: NETWORK WITH WOAH REFERENCE LABORATORIES**

23. Did your laboratory exchange information with other WOAH Reference Laboratories designated for the same pathogen or disease?

Not applicable (only WOAH Reference Laboratory designated for the disease

24. Do you network (collaborate or share information) with other WOAH Reference Laboratories designated for the same pathogen?

Not applicable (only WOAH Reference Laboratory designated for the disease

25. Did you organise or participate in inter-laboratory proficiency tests with WOAH Reference Laboratories designated for the same pathogen during the past 2 years?

Not applicable (Only WOAH Reference Laboratory designated for the disease) *not applicable* 

26. Did your laboratory collaborate with other WOAH Reference Laboratories for the same disease on scientific research projects for the diagnosis or control of the pathogen of interest?

Not applicable (only WOAH Reference Laboratory designated for the disease

## TOR11: OTHER INTERLABORATORY PROFICIENCY TESTING

27. Did your laboratory organise or participate in inter-laboratory proficiency tests with laboratories other than WOAH Reference WOAH Reference Laboratory Reports Activities 2024



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Laboratories for the same pathogen during the past 2 years?

No

aucun autre laboratoire n'a pu participer

Il est prévu de faire un test de comparaison interlab en 2025 avec le Zimbabwe et la Réunion (autres laboratoires du Cirad)

## **TOR12: EXPERT CONSULTANTS**

28. Did your laboratory place expert consultants at the disposal of WOAH?

No

29. Additional comments regarding your report: