

## CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

### LRQA

hereby declares that the certification assessment has demonstrated that

### BactoCount IBC & IBCm

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has been validated and revealed to be at least equivalent to the reference method as demonstrated by the validation study report. The summary of the validation report is available on the MicroVal website:

[www.microval.org](http://www.microval.org)

#### Reference methods:

1. EN-ISO 4833-1:2013 Microbiology of the food chain – Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms – Part 1: Colony count at 30 degrees C by the pour plate technique.
2. EN-ISO 4833-2:2013 Microbiology of the food chain – Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms – Part 2: Colony count at 30 degrees C by the surface plating technique.

Scope: Scope: raw cow's milk

The validation and certification has been performed in accordance with ISO 16297, EN ISO 16140-2:2016, the EURL MMP document - Validation criteria of instrumental methods for enumeration of total flora in raw milk, version 2, 21 December 2011 and the MicroVal Rules and Certification Scheme version 8.

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