

Proficiency tests, program 2026

Participants must share information on critical control points when sending in results. This information will be kept confidential and only used for a proper analysis.

Voluntary participants are welcome. Contact nal@naktuinbouw.nl as soon as possible.

Seed Analysis:

Germination / purity

- Category F *Lactuca sativa* (lettuce)
- Category F *Petroselinum crispum* (parsley)
- Category G *Cucumis mel* (melon)

Usable Plant Test

- Category F *Lactuca sativa* (lettuce)
- Category G *Cucumis mel* (melon)

Moisture

- Cucumis mel* (melon)

Seed Health

Bacteria

- Week 3** - *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *michiganensis* in tomato seeds (dilution plating)
- Week 9** - ~~*Xanthomonas campestris* pv. *campestris* in Brassica, treated seeds (Dilution plating)~~
- Cancelled**
- Week 18** - *Acidovorax citrulli* in cucurbits seeds (SE-PCR)

Virus

- Week 34** - Tomato Mottle Mosaic Virus in tomato seeds (SE-PCR)
- Week 41** - Tobamovirus in tomato/pepper seeds (ELISA)