



# German External Quality Assessment Scheme

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## REQUEST FORM

**G-EQUAS 61 - 2018**

Please order online until **2<sup>nd</sup> of March 2018**  
or send this form until **2<sup>nd</sup> March 2018** at the latest to:

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**Lab.-ID:**

**We would appreciate it very much if you could check/update your  
contact dates online ([www.g-equas.de](http://www.g-equas.de)).**

**Please note that you can only participate in G-EQUAS if we have  
the name of a contact partner, a valid delivery address, e-mail address  
and telephone number!**

The basic payment of 150.00 € for European participants covers the costs for the participation in the round robin, the evaluation, the report/certification and the shipping costs. The participation fee for laboratories from overseas is 200.00 €.

Additionally 25.00 € are charged for each parameter in blood, plasma/serum or urine.

For each of the following parameter pools\* an amount of 50.00 € is charged.

parameter: <b>11</b>	Arsenic speciation (As <sup>3+</sup> , As <sup>5+</sup> , MMA*, DMA*, AsB*)
parameter: <b>117</b>	5-HNMP and 2-HMSI
parameter: <b>80</b>	Pyrethroid metabolites (Br <sub>2</sub> -CA, cis-Cl <sub>2</sub> -CA, trans-Cl <sub>2</sub> -CA, 3-PBA, FPBA)
parameter: <b>87</b>	Alkyl phosphates (DMP, DMTP, DMDTP, DEP, DETP, DEDTP)
parameter: <b>93</b>	Cotinine, Nicotine
parameter: <b>122</b>	Phthalate metabolites DEHP (5-carboxy-MEPP, 5-oxo-MEHP, 5-OH-MEHP, MEHP)
parameter: <b>129</b>	Phthalate metabolites "other" (MnBP, MiBP, MBzP)
parameter: <b>127</b>	1-Naphthol, 2-Naphthol
parameter: <b>47</b>	Benzene, Toluene, Xylenes, Ethylbenzene in blood
parameter: <b>51</b>	Dichloromethane, 1,2-Dichloroethane, Trichloroethene, Tetrachloroethene, 1,1,1-Trichloroethane, Tetrachloromethane, Trichloromethane
parameter: <b>54</b>	Methanol, Methyl-tert-butylether, Tetrahydrofuran, n-Butanol
parameter: <b>55</b>	Acetone, Methyl-ethylketone, Methylisobutylketone, Methyl-n-butylketone
parameter: <b>182</b>	Benzene, Toluene, Xylenes, Ethylbenzene
parameter: <b>134</b>	Diisocyanate metabolites, aromatic (MDA, 2,4-TDA, 2,6-TDA, 1,5-NDA)
parameter: <b>180</b>	Diisocyanate metabolites, aliphatic (IPDA, HDA)
parameter: <b>130</b>	Globin adducts (MeV, HEV, CEV, AAV, 2-HPV)
parameter: <b>95</b>	p,p'-DDT and p,p'-DDE
parameter: <b>97</b>	α-, β-, γ-HCH
parameter: <b>100</b>	PCB 28, 52, 101, 138, 153, 180
parameter: <b>120</b>	PFOA, PFOS
parameter: <b>147</b>	Butadiene metabolites (DHBMA, MHBMA)
parameter: <b>149</b>	Acrylamide/Acrylonitrile metabolites (AAMA, GAMA, CEMA)
parameter: <b>152</b>	other mercapturic acids (HEMA, 2-HPMA, 3-HPMA)
parameter: <b>182</b>	Benzene, Toluene, Xylenes, Ethylbenzene in urine
parameter: <b>195</b>	Arsenic speciation (As <sup>3+</sup> , As <sup>5+</sup> , MMA*, DMA*, AsB*)

\*: Parameter pools comprise the combined order of the parameters (the control material supply is one price) but the entitlement to a certificate for each of the parameters in the pool.

## ORDER

Please tick the parameters that you would like to order in the current round.

**I / we are going to participate in G-EQUAS 61 and would like to order the following control materials:**

## METALS

### ANALYTICAL PARAMETERS IN CONTROL BLOOD

- **3 ml control blood** (for each concentration level) are available for analysis:

#### Occupational medical field

(control material **1** A/B)

- 1 Lead (Pb)
- 2 Cadmium (Cd)
- 3 Chromium (Cr)
- 4 Cobalt (Co)
- 5 Manganese (Mn)
- 6 Nickel (Ni)
- 7 Mercury (Hg)

#### Environmental medical field

(control material **7** A/B)

- 70 Lead (Pb)
- 71 Cadmium (Cd)
- 72 Mercury (Hg)

### ANALYTICAL PARAMETERS IN CONTROL PLASMA

- **3 ml control plasma** (for each concentration level) are available for analysis:

(control material **11** A/B)

- 107 Aluminium (Al)
- 108 Chromium (Cr)
- 109 Cobalt (Co)
- 110 Copper (Cu)
- 112 Manganese (Mn)
- 113 Nickel (Ni)

(control material **11** A/B)

- 114 Platinum (Pt)
- 115 Selenium (Se)
- 116 Zinc (Zn)
- 157 Molybdenum (Mo)
- 158 Magnesium (Mg)
- 199 Lead (Pb)

# Inorganic parameters

## ANALYTICAL PARAMETERS IN CONTROL URINE

- **5 ml control urine** (for each concentration level) are available for analysis:

### Occupational medical field

(control material **2** A/B)

8	Aluminium (Al)
9	Antimony (Sb)
10	Arsenic (by hydride technique) (As- Hydride)
11	Arsenic speciation (As <sup>3+</sup> , As <sup>5+</sup> , MMA*, DMA*, AsB)
15	Beryllium (Be)
16	Lead (Pb)
17	Cadmium (Cd)
18	Chromium (Cr)
19	Cobalt (Co)
20	Fluoride (F)
21	Copper (Cu)
22	Manganese (Mn)
23	Nickel (Ni)

\* MMA: Monomethylarsonic acid

\* DMA: Dimethylarsenic acid

### Occupational medical field

(control material **2** A/B)

24	Mercury (Hg)
25	Thallium (Tl)
26	Vanadium (V)
27	Zinc (Zn)
29	Creatinine
126	Total Arsenic (As-tot)
141	Selenium (Se)
142	Tungsten (W)
145	Iodine compounds (as iodine) in urine (I)
159	Barium (Ba)
160	Lithium (Li)
161	Molybdenum (Mo)
176	Gallium (Ga)
194	Indium (In)
198	Tellurium (Te)
201	Germanium (Ge)
202	Tantal (Ta) –

# Inorganic parameters

## ANALYTICAL PARAMETERS IN **CONTROL URINE**

- **5 ml control urine** (for each concentration level) are available for analysis:

### Environmental medical field

(control material **8** A/B)

- 73 Arsenic (by hydride technique) (As- Hydride)
- 74 Cadmium (Cd)
- 75 Chromium (Cr)
- 76 Nickel (Ni)
- 77 Mercury (Hg)
- 78 Platinum (Pt)
- 156 Total Arsenic (As-tot)
- 162 Calcium (Ca)
- 163 Copper (Cu)
- 164 Strontium (Sr)
- 165 Zinc (Zn)
- 190 Antimony (Sb)
- 191 Molybdenum (Mo)
- 192 Tin (Sn)
- 195 Arsenic species (As+5, As+3, MMA, DMA, AsB)

# Organic Parameters

## ANALYTICAL PARAMETERS IN CONTROL URINE

- **5 ml control urine** (for each concentration level) are available for the analysis in the **occupational medical field**; **2 x 5 ml control urine** (for each concentration level) are available for the **environmental medical field**:

### Occupational medical field

(control material **3** A/B, 5 ml)

- 30 Hippuric acid (HA)
- 32 Mandelic acid (MA)
- 33 Methylhippuric acids (MHA)
- 34 t,t-Muconic acid (t,t-MA)
- 37 Phenylglyoxylic acid (PGA)
- 39 Trichloroacetic acid (TCA)
- 41 2-Thio-thiazolidine-4-carboxylic acid (TTCA)
- 42 Ethoxyacetic acid (EAA)
- 43 Butoxy acetic acid (BAA)
- 44 N-Methylformamide (NMF)
- 45 2,5-Hexandione (2,5-HD)
- 46 Creatinine
- 117 5-Hydroxy-N-methylpyrrolidine (5-HNMP),  
2-Hydroxy-N-methylsuccinimide (2-HMSI)
- 135 Methoxyacetic acid (MAA)
- 28 δ-Aminolaevulinic acid (ALA)

### Environmental medical field

(control material **9** A/B, 2 x 5 ml)

- 80 Pyrethroide metabolites (Br<sub>2</sub>-CA, cis-Cl<sub>2</sub>-CA, trans-Cl<sub>2</sub>-CA, 3-PBA, FPBA ,
- 87 Alkyl phosphates\* (DMP, DMTP, DMDTP, DEP, DETP, DEDTP)
- 122 Phthalate metabolites "DEHP" (5-OH-MEHP, 5-oxo-MEHP, 5-carboxy-MEPP, MEHP)
- 129 Phthalate metabolites "other" (MnBP, MiBP, MBzP)
- 204 **6-Chloronicotinic acid (6-CINA) NEW!**

\* Alkyl phosphates:

DMP: Dimethylphosphate

DMTP: Dimethylthiophosphate

DMDTP: Dimethyldithiophosphate

DEP: Diethylphosphate

DETP: Diethylthiophosphate

DEDTP: Diethyldithiophosphate

## Environmental medical field

- **5 ml control urine** (for each concentration level) are available for analysis:

### **Tobacco-specific N-nitrosamines**

(control material **18** A/B, 5 ml)

- 172 4-(Methylnitrosamine)-1-(3-pyridyl)-1-butanol after hydrolysis (NNAL)  
93 Cotinine, Nicotine

## Mercapturic acids in urine

### Occupational medical field

- **5 ml control urine** (for each concentration level) are available for analysis:

### Mercapturic acids in urine

(control material **17** A/B, 5 ml)

- 38 S-PMA (Benzene-metabolite)  
147 Butadiene-metabolites (DHBMA, MHBMA)  
149 Acrylamide-/Acrylonitrile- metabolite (AAMA, GAMA, CEMA)  
152 other mercapturic acids (HEMA, 2-HPMA, 3-HPMA)  
155 AMCC (DMF-metabolite)

S-PMA: S-Phenylmercapturic acid  
AMCC: Acetyl-S-(N-methylcarbamoyl)cysteine  
DHBMA: 3,4-Dihydroxybutylmercapturic acid  
MHBMA: 2-Hydroxy-3-butenylmercapturic acid  
AAMA: 2-Carbonamideethylmercapturic acid

GAMA: 2-Carbonamide-2-hydroxyethylmercapturic acid  
CEMA: 2-Cyanoethylmercapturic acid  
HEMA: 2-Hydroxyethylmercapturic acid  
2-HPMA: 2-Hydroxypropylmercapturic acid  
3-HPMA: 3-Hydroxypropylmercapturic acid

### **Amines and phenolic parameters (after hydrolysis)**

(The control material is spiked with the native phenolic compounds as well as with their conjugates (glucuronides and acetates)).

- To analyse parameter (-group) 36, 40,134, 174,175,177,178 and 179 (control material **14**, occupational medical field) **5 ml control urine** are available.
- To analyse parameter (-group) 79, 86, 127,140,166 and 167 (control material **15**, environmental medical field) **2 x 5 ml control urine** are available.

### **Amines and phenolic parameters (after hydrolysis)**

(control material **14 / 15** A/B, 5 ml in brown glass vials)

36	Phenol
40	o-Cresol
79	1-Hydroxypyrene (1-HP)
86	Pentachlorophenol (PCP)
127	1-Naphthol, 2-Naphthol
140	Bisphenol A
166	Trichloropyridinol (TCPy)
167	Isopropoxyphenol (IPP)
174	4-Nitrophenol
175	Aniline
134	Diisocyanate metabolites, aromatic (MDA, 2,4-TDA, 2,6-TDA, 1,5-NDA)
180	Diisocyanate metabolites, aliphatic (IPDA, HDA)
200	Triclosan (TCS)
205	<b>4,4'-Methylenebis(2-chloroaniline) (MOCA) NEW!</b>



# HEADSPACE ANALYSIS

## Control blood

### AROMATIC AND HALOGENATED HYDROCARBONS

- To analyze the aromatic- or chlorinated hydrocarbons **2 x 2 ml or 2 x 1 ml control blood** (for each concentration level and each group of hydrocarbons) are available in gas-tight ampoules. The ampoules are offered in two different sizes due to the different headspace analysers.

#### Aromatic hydrocarbons

(control material **4** A/B)

47 Benzene, Toluene, Xylenes, Ethylbenzene

For carrying out the determination I require vials with the following volume:

**20 ml (Perkin Elmer HS) (2 ml blood)**

**10 ml (1 ml blood)**

#### Halogenated hydrocarbons

(control material **5** A/B)

51 Dichloromethane, 1,2-Dichloroethane, Trichloroethene, Tetrachloroethene, 1,1,1-Trichloroethane, Tetrachloromethane, Trichloromethane

For carrying out the determination I require vials with the following volume:

**20 ml (Perkin Elmer HS) (2 ml blood)**

**10 ml (1 ml blood)**

## Control urine

### ALCOHOLS/ KETONES/ ETHER

- To analyze alcohols/ketones **2 x 2 ml or 2 x 1 ml control urine** are available in gas-tight ampoules. The ampoules are offered in two different sizes due to the different headspace-analysers.

### Alcohols/Ketones/Ether

(control material **12** A/B)

54 Methanol, Methyl-tert-butylether, Tetrahydrofuran, n-Butanol

55 Acetone, Methylethylketone (MEK), Methylisobutylketone, Methyl-n-butylketone

For carrying out the determination I require vials with the following volume:

**20 ml (Perkin Elmer HS) (2 ml urine)**

**10 ml (1 ml urine)**

### Aromatic hydrocarbons

(control material **19** A/B)

182 Benzene, Toluene, Xylenes, Ethylbenzene

For carrying out the determination I require vials with the following volume:

**20 ml (Perkin Elmer HS) (2 ml urine)**

**10 ml (1 ml urine)**

## ORGANOHALOGEN COMPOUNDS

### ANALYTICAL PARAMETERS IN CONTROL SERUM

- **5 ml control serum** (for each concentration level) are available for analysis of a parameter/group of parameters:

#### Organohalogen compounds

(control material **10** A/B)

95	p,p`-DDT	p,p`-Dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane
	p,p`-DDE	p,p`-Dichlorodipenyldichloroethene
96	HCB	Hexachlorobenzene
97	$\alpha$ -, $\beta$ -, $\gamma$ -HCH	Hexachlorocyclohexane
100	PCB	Polychlorinated biphenyls (Ballschmitter numbers: 28, 52, 101, 138, 153, 180)
106	PCP	Pentachlorophenol
120	PFOA	Perfluorooctanoic acid
	PFOS	Perfluorooctanoic sulfonic acid (n-Isomer)

## N-terminal adducts in Hemoglobin

### Human globin - N-terminal adducts in hemoglobin

- To analyse N-terminal adducts 300 mg human globin is available for each concentration level
- The analysis of the five substances counts as one parameter

#### N-terminal adducts in human globin

(control material **13** A/B)

130 Globin adducts:	Methylvaline (MeV)
	2-Hydroxyethylvaline (HEV)
	2-Cyanoethylvaline (CEV)
	2-Carbamoylvaline (AAV)
	2-Hydroxypropylvaline (2-HPV)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Lab-ID (please do always quote!): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature and stamp: \_\_\_\_\_

**Order form - additional material**

**Please note:** We are not able to provide more than **2 vials of additional samples** for each control material due to reasons of capacity. We have to charge a fee 15.00 € for each vial you order.

In order to carry out the analysis we require more sample material.

I/We would like to order the following additional control materials:

**Metals – Blood** (3 ml):

(control material **1** A/B)

**ZA1**      A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB1**      B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

(control material **7** A/B)

**ZA7**      A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB7**      B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**Metals - Plasma** (3 ml):

(control material **11** A/B)

**ZA11**      A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB11**      B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**Headspace Analyses - Blood****Aromatic hydrocarbons**

(control material **4** A/B)

vial, 20 ml

**ZA41**      A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB41**      B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

vial, 10 ml

**ZA42**      A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB42**      B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Lab-ID (please do always quote!): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature and stamp: \_\_\_\_\_

## Headspace Analyses - Blood

### Chlorinated hydrocarbons

(control material 5 A/B)

vial, 20 ml

**ZA51** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB51** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

vial, 10 ml

**ZA52** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB52** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

## Headspace Analyses – Urine

### Alcohols/Ketones/Ether

(control material 12 A/B)

vial, 20 ml

**ZA01** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB01** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

vial, 10 ml

**ZA02** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB02** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

### Aromatic hydrocarbons

(control material 19 A/B)

vial, 20 ml

**ZA182** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB182** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

vial, 10 ml

**ZA282** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB282** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

## Organohalogen compounds Serum (5 ml)

(control material 10 A/B)

**ZA10** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB10** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Lab-ID (please do always quote!): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature and stamp: \_\_\_\_\_

**Inorganic components - Urine** (5 ml)

(control material **2** A/B)

**ZA2** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB2** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

(control material **8** A/B)

**ZA8** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB8** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**Organic Components - Urine** ( 5 ml )

(control material **3** A/B)

**ZA3** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB3** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

(control material **9** A/B)

**ZA9** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB9** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**Tobacco-smoke related parameters- Urine**

(control material **18** A/B)

**ZA18** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB18** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**Amines and Phenolic Components- Urine** ( 5 ml )

(control material **14** A/B)

**ZA14** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB14** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

(control material **15** A/B)

**ZA15**

A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB15**

B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**Mercapturic acids - Urine** ( 5 ml )

(control material **17** A/B)

**ZA17** A \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

**ZB17** B \_\_\_\_\_ x 15.00 €

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Lab-ID (please do always quote!): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature and stamp: \_\_\_\_\_