

Fapas® REFERENCE MATERIAL DATA SHEET	TDV033RM
Matrix	Roasted Coffee
Weight / Volume of Contents	55 g
Description of material: Fresh coffee beans purchased from a retail source. Ochratoxin A was spiked into the material.	

Analyte	Reference Value	Expanded uncertainty U ($k = 2$)	Units	No. of data points producing Reference Value
Ochratoxin A	2.63	± 0.38	$\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$	31

Date reference values were generated	01/04/2026
Reference values are valid until	01/04/2028
Recommended storage conditions on receipt	-20°C
This material was approved on behalf of Fapas® by	Jessica Choi

Notes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mix the reference material thoroughly before taking a representative analytical sample. It is intended to be used as a single-analysis sample (plus confirmation) for analytical quality control purposes, method verification and as a characterised positive control sample. The recommended minimum analytical sub-sample size is 10 g. This is a reference material, not a certified reference material. This reference material has been produced according to the principles of ISO 17034:2016. The characterised reference values have been derived from the results consensus of ISO 17025 accredited laboratories in an interlaboratory comparison, using a variety of methods. The traceability is inherent in the accreditation status of the results used. The reference values have been generated from recovery-corrected data. The Expanded Uncertainty U corresponds to a confidence level of about 95%. U has been derived from the observed standard deviation of the consensus data (the major component) plus contributions from homogeneity and stability studies. U corresponds to real-world uncertainty of the analysis in a food matrix, not of a pure substance. The stability of the reference material has been established from a formal study. The stability components combine long term (ideal storage) and short term stability (transportation) conditions. The validity date may be extended if supporting data becomes available.