

**EU Residue Sampling Frequency for Red Meat  
2018 EU Additional Residue Testing Program for Bison  
Target Number of Samples Collected for Compound/Species**

Group of Substances <sup>1</sup>	Subgroup of Substances	TARGET NUMBER OF SAMPLES TO BE ANALYZED <sup>2</sup> (NUMBER OF ANIMALS)
		Bison
<b>GROUP A</b> Substances having anabolic effect and unauthorized substances		
1. Stilbenes	DES Hexestrol Dienestrol	5
4. Resorcylic acid lactones	Zeranol Taleranol	
2. Antithyroid Agents	Thyreostat 2-thiouracil Methyl thiouracil Propyl thiouracil Phenyl thiouracil)	25 (multi-residue method) <sup>3</sup>
3. Steroids	MGA	3
	19 Nortestosterone (17 $\alpha$ )	
	19Nortestosterone (17 $\beta$ )	
	Trenbolone	3
5. Beta agonists	Clenbuterol Cimaterol Salbutamol Ractopamine Zilpaterol	25 (multi-residue method)
6. Unauthorized compounds	Nitrofurans	
	Nitroimidazoles Dimetridazole Metronidazole Ronidazole Tinidazole	25 (multi-residue method)
	Chloramphenicol	25 (multi-residue method)

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<b>GROUP B Veterinary Drugs and Contaminants</b>		
1. Antibacterial substances		<b>25 (multi-residue method)</b>
2. Other veterinary drugs		<b>25 (multi-residue method)</b>
(a) Anthelmintics		
(b) Anticoccidials		
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(d) Sedatives		
(e) Nonsteroidal antiinflammatory drugs (NSAIDs)		
(f) Other pharmacologically active substances		
3. Other substances and environmental contaminants		<b>5</b>
(a) Organochlorine compounds		
(b) Organophosphorous compounds		
(c) Chemical elements		
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(f) Other	Dioxins/Dioxin-like PCBs	
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<b>TOTAL ANALYSES FOR EU ADDITIONAL PROGRAM</b>		<b>41</b>
<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF ANIMALS SAMPLED FOR EU PROGRAM</b>		<b>41</b>

<sup>1</sup> Grouping based on Directive 96/23/EC

<sup>2</sup> Sample frequency is based on 2017 slaughter figures for EU production. If product increases significantly during the year, sample frequencies will be adjusted accordingly.

<sup>3</sup> Multiple substance groups are analyzed in the multi-residue method. A total of 25 samples will be collected and tested with the multi-residue method.