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**Summary sheet of validation data for a diagnostic test**

The EPPO Standard PM 7/98 *Specific requirements for laboratories preparing accreditation for a plant pest diagnostic activity* describes how validation should be conducted. It also includes definitions of performance criteria.

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<b>Short description of the test</b>	Lateral flow devices for fire blight testing
<b>Date, reference of the validation report</b>	2012-12-18 -
<b>Validation process according to EPPO Standard PM7/98?</b>	yes
<b>Is the lab accredited for this test?</b>	no
<b>Was the validated data generated in the framework of a project?</b>	
<b>Description of the test</b>	
<b>Organism(s)</b>	Erwinia amylovora (ERWIAM)
<b>Detection / identification</b>	detection
<b>Matrix(ces) tested</b>	Pure culture Tested on pure bacterial cultures
<b>Method(s)</b>	Serological Lateral Flow Device Serological Lateral Flow Device (2)
<b>Method: Serological Lateral Flow Device</b>	
<b>Reference of the test description</b>	
<b>As or adapted from an EPPO diagnostic protocol</b>	yes
<b>EPPO Diagnostic Protocol name</b>	PM 7/020 Erwinia amylovora (version 2)
<b>Name of the test</b>	Lateral flow devices
<b>Is the test modified compared to the reference test</b>	no
<b>Kit</b>	
<b>Is a kit used</b>	yes
<b>Manufacturer name</b>	BIOREBA
<b>Specify the kit used</b>	AgriStrip Erwinia amylovora
Kit used following the manufacturer's instructions?	
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Method: Serological Lateral Flow Device (2)</b>	
<b>Reference of the test description</b>	

<b>As or adapted from an EPPO diagnostic protocol</b>	yes
<b>EPPO Diagnostic Protocol name</b>	PM 7/020 Erwinia amylovora (version 2)
<b>Name of the test</b>	Lateral flow devices
<b>Is the test modified compared to the reference test</b>	no
<b>Kit</b>	
<b>Is a kit used</b>	yes
<b>Manufacturer name</b>	POCKET DIAGNOSTIC
<b>Specify the kit used</b>	Pocket Diagnostic® rapid plant disease tests - Erwinia amylovora
Kit used following the manufacturer's instructions?	
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Are the performance characteristics included in the EPPO diagnostic protocol?</b>	yes
<b>Performance Criteria :</b>	
<b>Organism 1.:</b>	<b>Erwinia amylovora(ERWIAM)</b>
<b>Analytical specificity - exclusivity</b>	
<b>Number of non-target organisms tested</b>	14
<b>Specificity value</b>	Also cross react with Erwinia tasmaniensis
<b>Cross-reacts with</b>	Erwinia uzensis Erwinia piriflorinigrans Erwinia pyrifoliae
<b>Test performance study</b>	
<b>Test performance study?</b>	no
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Any other information considered useful</b>	Is routinely being used for testing isolated pure cultures of Erwinia amylovora isolates
The following complementary files are available online:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Table on cross reaction of Erwinia amylovora LFDs</a></li> </ul>

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