

-Instructions Use Website-

1. **Make connection**

Go to www.ERNDIMQA.nl.

Click on "Login" and fill username and password and click the button "Log in". Please note that the password is Case Sensitive.

Your username is:

Your password is:

Remarks:

- If you enter the wrong name and/or password for 3 times, these will be "Locked". If this happens click on "Contact" and mail (automatically) to the website administrator. The website administrator will activate the username and password and gives you a message back.

2. **Registration of your participant Profile**

This is about your name, company.....etc. All these data only have to be submitted once (and later when you have a change in address, name or so).

Click on "My account" (in the upper right corner)

Fill (or change) the input fields and click : "Save Profile".

Remarks:

- Fill as complete as possible. E-mail address has to be filled (obligatory).
- At this page you can also change your password at "Password settings":
Fill the inputfields and click "Save password".

3. **Define your method(s)**

You have to define your methods **once a year** at the beginning of a new scheme year (and later only when you change instrument).

Click on "Scheme year".

Click on the scheme.

Click on "Methods".

Click on "New method set".

Enter a typical name for your method set in the de field "Name" (maximum of 10 characters)

In case you have more then one method set, tick the box "Default" for the method set that you want to be shown as default.

Click on "Save".

For each analyte that you analyse: scroll in the field "Method" and select the method you use.

Click on "Save".

(Click on "Cancel" if you want to "undo" the changes, before saving).

Change of method(s) during a running scheme-year.

If you need to change your method for an analyte/set of analytes during a running scheme-year you have to make a **new method set** for this (these) analyte(s).

- Add a new method set (for this analyte) as above, this methodset must have a unique name.
- Submit results for this (these) analyte(s) at this new method set.

Remarks:

- If you wish to add a second method set click again on "New method set" etc. etc..
- In case of more then one method set, make a clear difference between names.
- If you use a method which is not mentioned in the list please send an e-mail by clicking on "Contact".
- M = Configure methods; for changing the method used (per analyte).
- X = Delete; for deleting the method set, only possible when you have not submitted any results for this set yet.
- E = Edit; for changing the name of the method set.

4. Submission of Results

Click on "Scheme year".

Click on the scheme for which you want to submit results.

Click on "Results".

Choose the sample for which you want to submit result(s). Scroll, select and wait until the screen has been refreshed. (In case of more then one method set, choose the right method set, box at the right of the sample number).

Fill your result(s) in the field "Result" and click on "Save".

Remarks:

- On top of the page you can also fill "performed by" and "date" (for your own reference only).
- Use a "." for the decimal point ("," will be changed into "." after saving)
- If necessary you can add your comments at "Please Enter your Comment". To save the comment click on "Save".
- Reset-button = if you made changes before saving and you want the first saved results instead of this alteration.
- Delete all-button = to delete all your saved results.
- You can change a filled result: just overwrite and click "Save".
- Submission or change of results is not possible once the deadline has passed (the buttons "Save", "Reset" and "Delete all" will not work any more after the deadline).
- If you have a result which is below your limit of detection this should be entered as 0 (zero).

5. Request of Reports

Click on "Scheme year".

Click on the scheme for which you want to see the reports.

Click on "Reports".

5.1 Cycle Review

If necessary, choose the sample and method set for which you want to see the report. Scroll, select and wait until the screen has been refreshed.

When you click at an analyte-name you get an analyte-in-detail-report of this analyte

5.2 Analyte in Detail

Choose the sample-number, method set and analyte for which you want to see the report. Scroll, select and wait until the screen has been refreshed.

5.3 Annual Report

The annual report is available after the last deadline of a running year. Choose, if necessary, the method set used.

6. History

This is the starting point to view (and print as PDF) reports of the previous years. You can only request the reports for which you have been subscribed.

Click on "Previous years".

You can choose, the year / scheme / 3 kinds of reports as described above.

7. General information

The section "General Information" is freely accessible.

There are 7 buttons on the the left, each of which will lead you to detailed information. If you want detailed information click on one of these 7 buttons:

7.1. MCA Laboratory

Information scheme organiser and partner of ERNDIM.

7.2. ERNDIM

Information about ERNDIM and how to subscribe to the EQA Schemes.

7.3. Use website

Instructions of using the website, explanations of the reports and certificates and the Quality Comparison Materials.

7.4. Webshop

7.4.a Quality Comparison Mat.

Certificates of the current ERNDIM Quality Comparison Materials and shopping online.

7.4.b. Educational Panels

Certificate of the current Educational Panel and shopping online

7.4.c. Archived Scheme Materials

Shopping online of EQA scheme materials of the former two years.

8. Options.

8.1 Contact

Click and you can send us an e-mail.