

# ALLERGEN TESTING

#### **Food Services**

Accurate and reliable detection of allergens helps manufacturers meet labeling requirements and protects the health of consumers. This is particularly prevalent for those who suffer from anaphylaxis due to certain types of food.



At our Agri Services lab in New Orleans, Louisiana, our experienced specialists use cutting-edge technology including Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA) testing to accurately determine the presence of allergens, even at very low levels.

Our ISO/IEC 9001 accredited labs can test for the majority of allergenic ingredients as listed in Annex ii of Regulation (EU) No1169/2011 on the provision of food information to consumers using ISO/IEC 17025 accredited testing. We constantly review and update our testing methodologies to keep pace with the ever-evolving threats posed by foodborne microorganisms throughout the supply chain to help you deliver safe, quality products to your customers.

The most common allergens our experts test for include:

- Cereals containing gluten
- Crustaceans like prawns or crab
- Eggs
- Fish
- Soybeans
- Milk
- Peanuts and other nuts including almonds,



hazelnuts and walnuts

With a wide network of cutting-edge agri and food testing laboratories strategically located around the world, we have expertise and facilities where you need them. We use the latest technology and methods so you can be sure of fast turnaround times and accurate test results that demonstrate compliance with the labeling regulations of your destination market.

### Why Choose Intertek?

Intertek is a partner you can trust for this critical service. With our experience, expertise and modern facilities, you can be assured that your customers and brand are protected, and you fully comply with all relevant food safety regulations.

- Our allergen testing services are part of a global network of agri and food testing facilities
- ELISA testing methodologies are fast, accurate and environmentally friendly
- Alongside our analytical expertise, we offer day-to-day support, consultation and training services to improve food safety
- Our local presence and decades of industry knowledge can help you navigate local, national and international regulations

 Our specialists can deliver reliable results with fast turnaround times, essential for maintaining your standards and credibility.

#### With You All the Way

Allergen testing is just one of many services we can provide to ensure the safety and quality of your products. Intertek agri and food laboratories can offer a full range of food testing services that include microbiology, GMO, food authenticity, food contamination, nutrition labeling and shelf life.

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