

SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE S1: Routine *Listeria* sampling locations by facility

Facility	Routine Sampling Sites <sup>a</sup>
A	Floor: office (3), storage rooms (2), production rooms (3), aging rooms (2) doorway to cooler (1); Drains: bulk tank room (1), production room (2), aging room (1), walk in cooler (1), Equipment: cart wheels (2), underside bulk tank (1), underside vats (2), draining table (1); Other: pipes in aging room (1), aging room ceiling (1), racks in cooler (1), squeegees (2), underside trash cans (1)
C	Floor: entry (1), processing room (2), aging room (3), storage room (1), doorway to aging room (1); Equipment: underside of vat (1), underside of table (2), shelving in aging room (3), brush for floors (1), squeegee (1); Ceilings: processing room (1), aging room (1); Other: drain in processing room (1), sink in processing room (2), underside of trash can (1), wall port (1)
D	Floor: processing room (2), raw milk room (1), farm store (1); Equipment: underside of vat (2), refrigerator (3), cart (1), table (1), draining pans (1), broom (1), brush (1); Other: ceiling of processing room (1), sinks (3), underside of trash cans (1), drain in processing room (1)
E	Floor: entry (2), processing room (2), aging room (6); Drains: processing room (2); Equipment: vats (3), brine tanks (2), tables (2), aging shelves (8), brush/squeegee (1); Other: ceiling of aging rooms (3), walls of aging rooms (3), sink (2), trash can (1), hose (1), ladder (1), paddle bridge (1)
F	Floor: processing room (2), aging room (1), storage (1); Drains: processing room (1), aging room (1), cooler room (2); Equipment: vat (1), cart (1), cheese press (1), brush (2), squeegee (1), aging shelf (2); Other: door frame (2), air ports (1), trash can (1), sink (1), windowsill (1), processing room ceiling (1), foot stool (1)
G	Floor: packaging room (2), can storage room (1), processing room (1), aging room (7), elevator (1), vestibule to barn (1); Drains: milk house (1), can storage room (3), processing room (3), wash room (1), brine room (2), aging rooms (7); Other: hose (1), chiller condensation (1), squeegees (5), wheels to carts and wagons (3), shelves (3), wall of aging room (1)
H	Floor: processing room (3), aging room (5); Drains: processing room (2), milk receiving room (1), aging room (1); Other: catch trough (1), hose (2), aging room wall (3)
I	Floor: processing room (4), office (3), hallway (4), aging room (4); Drains: processing room (3), aging rooms (4); Equipment: exterior of vat (3), exterior of balance tank (1), exterior of brine tub (2), cart, underside of table (6), aging room shelves (4); Other: storage shelves (1), door (2), trash can (2), sink (3), keyboard (1)
J	Floor: threshold (1), processing room (5), packing room (1), cooler (1), aging room (6); Equipment: underside of table (1), cart (1), aging shelf (1); Ceiling: aging room (2); Other: whey sink (1), hose (1), underside of door (1)

<sup>a</sup> The number in parentheses indicates the number of samples taken with that description each month.