

Sampling data – Supporting notes

Aggregated figures for each country may differ from those in the Annual report on local authority food law enforcement due to late amendments made by some by local authorities.

† LAEMS return delayed due to the unprecedented challenges faced by the LA since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic.

(1) These local authorities formed the new Dorset Council on 1st April 2019 but each LA reported separately for 2019/20.

(2) Only deals with food hygiene

(3) Only deals with food standards

(4) Food standards sampling activity is reported under Devon, Somerset and Torbay

(5) These local authorities merged on 1 April 2019 and are now known as BCP Council, Bournemouth and Christchurch have reported together, and Poole separately for 2019/20.