- **Herd screening tests for Johne's and/or Neospora using blood samples**
- **Designed for herds that do not require a CHECS status**

Johne's & Neospora

Monitoring Programmes

Why test through the Axiom Johne's & Neospora Monitoring Programmes?

- No membership fee.
- Discounted test rates (usually cheaper than testing through a cattle health scheme).
- Fast turnaround times for results of under three working days.
- No need to follow any compulsory scheme rules.
- No requirement to use 12 digit ear numbers – can use freeze brand numbers or management tags.
- Can use duplicate detachable barcode labels to save writing tube numbers on submission form.
- Additional tests e.g. IBR, Lepto can be requested on the same samples (discounted rates for batches).
- Farmer can request a copy of the lab report to be e-mailed to them as well as the vet.
- Fully interpreted, easy to understand reports with guidance on Johne's & Neospora control and best practice.
- Dairy herds doing rolling/batch dry off screens, in all year round calving herds, can get access to discounted test rates providing minimum of 100 tested each year.
- Dairy herds doing rolling dry cow screens can get results on a cumulative spreadsheet with date received, animal ID and result, which can be ordered by positivity (or by ear number or date) to flag up highest risk animals. Useful herd management tool.

A good time for Johne's and Neospora antibody testing is 1-3 months before the start of calving.

Blood test lab fees

(invoiced through vet practice. Your vet practice may add a mark up to cover the costs of their time, blood tubes, needles, sample handling, postage & advice on the results)

No. of samples submitted in batch	Johne's antibody blood test	Neospora antibody blood test
40+	£6.50	£8.25
100+	£6.00	£7.75
200+	£5.25	£7.25
Dairy herds doing batch testing (e.g. weekly/ fortnightly at drying off)		
100+ samples per year	£6.25	£8.00
200+ samples per year	£5.75	

How do I join?

No fee to join! Complete a very simple one page application form that can be submitted at the same time as the blood samples.

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