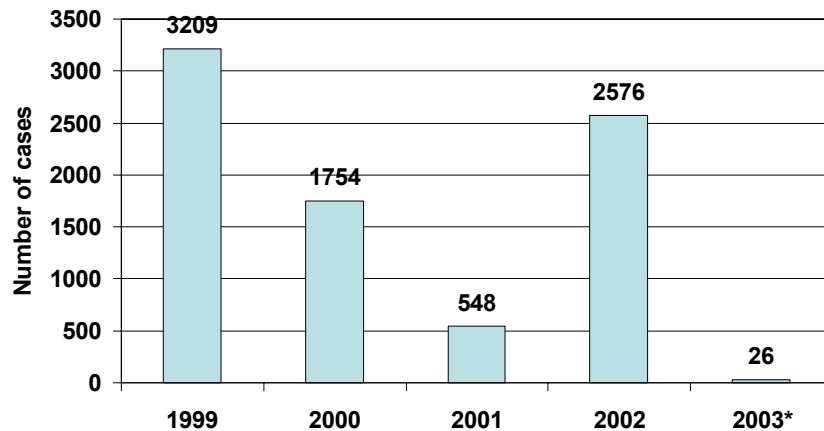




Number of confirmed measles cases
The Americas: 1999-2003



***All confirmed cases in 2003 are import related.**
Last indigenous confirmed case had onset on 21 November 2002

* Data up to Epidemiological Week 22

Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases for the Period between Weeks 01-22, 2003

Subregion and Country	Reported Cases 2003		Measles Confirmed 2003			Measles Confirmed 2002		Year/Week of Last Confir. Case	Rubella Confirmed 2003			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2003		
	Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Week 1-22	Total		Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other	
AND														
BOL	339	3	0	0	0	0	0	00/40	0	14	14	0	322	
COL	634	15	0	0	0	72	140**	02/37	1	5	6	36	577	
ECU	181	0	0	0	0	0	0	01/14	24	10	34	8	139	
PER	331	21	0	0	0	0	0	00/13	0	33	33	0	277	
VEN	647	0	0	0	0	2277	2392	02/47	0	9	9	57	581	
BRA	5706	1217	0	0	0	1	1*	02/11	26	112	138	0	4351	
CAP														
COR	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	99/23	...	...	...	...	3
ELS	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	01/19	0	1	1	8	75	
GUT	105	10	0	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	0	0	0	95	
HON	111	0	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	1	1	18	92	
NIC	160	0	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	3	3	14	143	
PAN	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	95/49	0	0	0	4	89	
CAR	128	2	0	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	16	110	
LAC														
CUB	411	107	0	0	0	0	0	93/27	0	0	0	0	304	
DOR	295	1	0	0	0	0	0	01/23	0	2	2	1	291	
FGU	7	0	0	0	0	...	...		...	...	...	...	7
GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
HAI	16	1	0	0	0	0	0	01/39	0	1	1	0	14	
MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	
MEX	411	135	0	0	0	0	0	01/16	0	4	4	0	272	
NOA														
CAN	8	...	0	8	8*	4	6*	03/14	...	...	...	...	...
USA	21	...	0	17	17*	7	37*†	03/05	0	4	4	...	...
SOC														
ARG	109	21	0	0	0	0	0	99/52	0	3	3	0	85	
CHI	33	7	0	1	1*	0	0	03/19	0	0	0	0	25	
PAR	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	99/03	0	0	0	1	83	
URU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	1	
Total	9918	1540	0	26	26	2361	2576	---	51	202	253	163	7936	

... No report received during 2003 * Due to importation ** Of which 53 cases are imported †Provisional



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Table No. 2
Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the Period between Weeks 01-22, 2003

Region	Country	Pending cases from 2002	Cumulative 2003	Week of Rash Onset											Unknown
				1-4	5-8	9-12	13-16	17	18	19	20	21	22		
AND	BOL	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	403
	COL	2	5	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	
	ECU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	PER	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	VEN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
BRA	BRA	9	127	12	8	15	41	11	11	10	5	14	...		
	CAP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
CAR	ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	GUT	0	9	0	0	0	1	1	5	2	0	0	0		
	HON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	PAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	LAC	CAR	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		CUB	0	411	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	MEX	DOR	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
		FGU	0	7	0	1	2	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	
		GUA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
HAI		0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0		
MAR		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
PUR		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
NOA		MEX	0	134	16	17	39	44	6	4	8	1	0	...	
		CAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
SOC	USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	ARG	0	19	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	1	2		
	CHI	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3		
	PAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
URU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Total		11	726	39	30	60	94	21	21	24	10	18	7	403	

... No report received through the Measles Elimination Surveillance System

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the Period between Weeks 01-22, 2003

Region	Country	% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases Timely Home Visit	% Cases Adequate Sample	% Lab Received <=5 days	% Lab Result <=4 days	% Cases Discarded by Lab	Number of Active Municipalities	
AND	BOL	...	100	100	84	79	55	0	
	COL	86	43	93	68	83	98	0	
	ECU	89	38	99	89	95	99	0	
	PER	99	100	100	50	100	100	0	
	VEN	79	98	100	56	68	100	0	
BRA	BRA	85	81	80	64	79	99	0	
	CAP	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
CAR	ELS	71	56	92	72	93	96	0	
	GUT	24	99	100	59	87	99	0	
	HON	93	95	99	73	97	99	0	
	NIC	100	89	100	89	71	100	0	
	PAN	84	76	98	55	100	100	0	
	LAC	CAR	99	97	97	18	99	99	0
		CUB	96	100	100	...	74	...	0
	DOR	91	100	98	47	95	100	0	
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	100	0
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
HAI	...	88	88	100	93	93	0		
MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	
PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	
MEX	MEX	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	CAN	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
SOC	USA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	ARG	100	22	85	74	81	100	0	
	CHI	98	70	82	82	100	96	0	
	PAR	88	60	100	85	100	100	0	
URU	39	...	...	...	...	...	0	
Total and Average		88	81	86	61	74	97	0	

... No report received during 2003