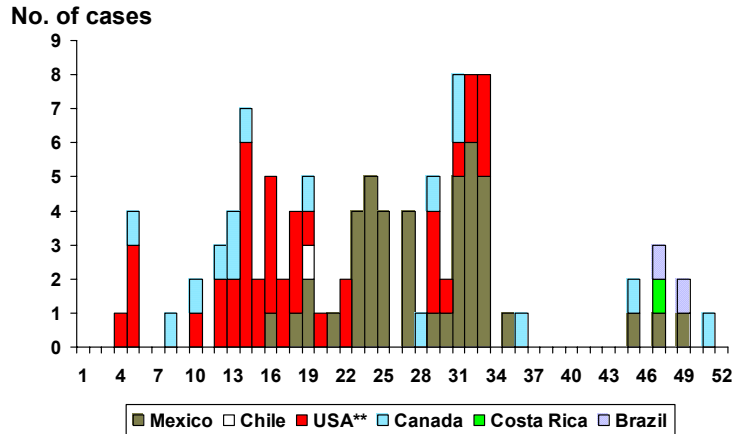




**Confirmed Measles Cases by Onset Date**  
**Region of the Americas, 2003**



Source: Country Reports

Weeks

\*\* Up to Epidemiological Week 33

**Table No. 1**  
**Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases for the Period between Weeks 01-52, 2003**

Subregion and Country		Reported Cases 2003		Measles Confirmed 2003			Measles Confirmed 2002		Year/Week of Last Confr. Case	Rubella Confirmed 2003			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2003		
		Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Weeks 1-52	Total		Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other	
AND	BOL	521	2	0	0	0	0	0	00/40	0	38	38	0	481	
	COL	1926	4	0	0	0	139	139**	02/39	10	32	42	129	1751	
	ECU	426	3	0	0	0	0	0	01/14	58	30	88	15	320	
	PER	1423	51	0	0	0	0	0	00/13	4	248	252	1	1119	
	VEN	1460	0	0	0	0	2397	2397	02/47	0	30	30	84	1346	
BRA	BRA	15727	2331	0	2	2*	1	1	02/11	120	238	358	405	12631	
	CAP	18	0	0	1	1*	0	0	99/23	...	...	...	...	17	
CAR	ELS	244	0	0	0	0	0	0	01/19	0	3	3	35	206	
	GUT	575	3	0	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	4	4	1	567	
	HON	320	0	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	2	2	71	247	
	NIC	347	2	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	5	5	17	323	
	PAN	230	0	0	0	0	0	0	95/49	0	0	0	10	220	
	CAR	314	4	0	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	34	276	
	LAC	CUB	976	67	0	0	0	0	0	93/27	0	0	0	0	909
		DOR	590	0	0	0	0	0	0	01/23	0	4	4	2	584
		FGU	18	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
		GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HAI	22	2	0	0	0	0	0	01/39	0	2	2	0	18		
MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0		
MEX	MEX	3801	583	0	44	44*	0	0	03/45	0	35	35	0	3139	
	NOA	15	...	0	15	15*	6	6*	03/45	...	...	...	...	...	
SOC	USA	48	...	0	41	41†	41	41§	03/37	0	7	7	...	...	
	ARG	502	41	0	0	0	0	0	00/11	3	9	12	0	449	
CHI	225	12	0	1	1*	0	0	0	03/19	0	1	1	0	211	
PAR	388	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	98/44	0	11	11	1	375	
URU	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	1	
Total		30118	3107	0	104	104	2584	2584	---	195	699	894	805	25208	

... No report received during 2003 \* Due to importation \*\* 53 cases are imported † 11 cases are imported § 17 cases are imported



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Table No. 2  
Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the Period between Weeks 01-52, 2003

Reg.	Country	Pend. cases 2002	Cumul. 2003	Week of Rash Onset																	Unk.				
				1-4	5-8	9-12	13-16	17-20	21-24	25-28	29-32	33-36	37-40	41-44	45-48	49	50	51	52						
AND	BOL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	COL	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	ECU	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PER	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	VEN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRA	BRA	0	244	7	2	7	15	10	15	13	20	30	49	32	30	12	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CAP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	COR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	GUT	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAR	HON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NIC	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	PAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	LAC	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	CUB	0	67	5	7	5	6	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
MEX	DOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FGU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	GUA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HAI	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	MAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOC	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	MEX	0	583*	0	0	1	6	4	9	14	24	77	129	161	114	35	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	CAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	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	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ARG	0	13	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	CHI	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOC	URU	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	0	930	12	9	14	28	19	27	27	46	107	182	204	150	51	11	7	2	34	34	34	34	34	34

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

\* Includes all rash and fever illnesses reported to date

Table No. 3  
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the Period between Weeks 01-52, 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	...	99	99	81	76	91	0
	COL	88	53	95	68	81	98	0
	ECU	89	39	98	86	89	98	0
	PER	99	95	96	67	88	91	0
	VEN	81	97	99	67	74	100	0
BRA	BRA	92	85	70	61	80	99	1
	CAP	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	COR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	ELS	80	53	95	79	86	98	0
	GUT	24	98	99	66	96	99	0
CAR	HON	94	94	100	75	94	100	0
	NIC	100	86	99	84	77	100	0
	PAN	86	86	98	74	99	99	0
	LAC	100	99	88	25	100	91	0
	CUB	96	100	100	...	...	93	0
MEX	DOR	89	100	98	44	94	100	0
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	100	0
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	HAI	...	82	91	95	71	95	0
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
SOC	PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	MEX	89	98	99	82	54	100	3
	CAN	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
SOC	USA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	ARG	93	21	85	69	85	100	0
	CHI	98	63	91	77	96	99	0
	PAR	89	62	100	88	100	100	0
SOC	URU	28	100	100	100	0	...	0
Total and Average		91	85	81	63	73	99	5

... No report received during 2003

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