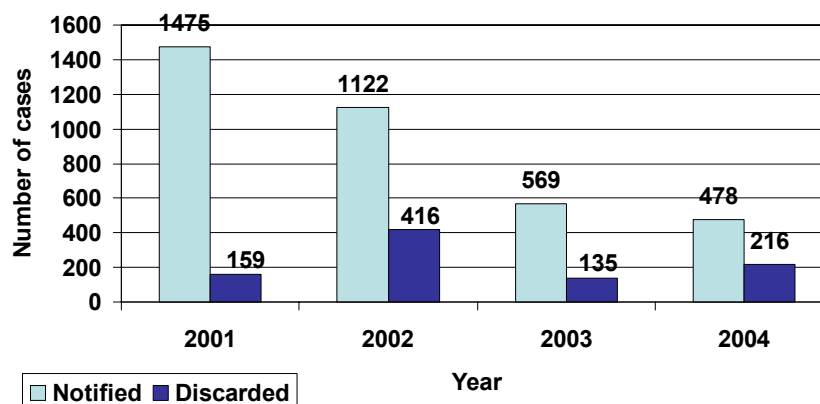




Cumulative number of suspected measles/rubella cases notified and cumulative number of discarded* cases Weeks 1-4 of 2001-2004



Source: country reports

*Discarded as not measles and not rubella

Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases for the Period between Weeks 01-04, 2004

Subregion and Country	Reported Cases 2004		Measles Confirmed 2004		Measles Confirmed 2003		Year/Week of Last Confir. Case	Rubella Confirmed 2004			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2004		
	Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Weeks 1-4		Total	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other
AND													
BOL	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	00/40	0	0	0	0	7
COL	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	02/39	0	0	0	0	8
ECU	17	6	0	0	0	0	0	01/14	4	0	4	0	7
PER	122	74	0	0	0	0	0	00/13	0	10	10	0	38
VEN	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	02/47	0	0	0	3	3
BRA	140	105	0	0	0	0	2*	03/49	0	0	0	0	35
CAP													
COR	0	0	0	0	0	0	1*	03/47	...	...	...	...	0
ELS	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	01/19	0	0	0	1	4
GUT	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	0	0	0	10
HON	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	0	0	3	7
NIC	21	4	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	0	0	0	17
PAN	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	95/49	0	0	0	0	13
CAR	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	0	0
LAC													
CUB	...	...	...	...	...	0	0	93/27	...	...	...	...	...
DOR	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	01/23	0	0	0	0	6
FGU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0		...	...	...	...	1
GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
HAI	...	...	...	...	...	0	0	01/39	...	...	...	...	...
MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
MEX	13	12	0	0	0	0	44*	03/47	0	0	0	0	1
NOA													
CAN	0	...	0	0	0	1	15*	03/51	0	...	...	...	...
USA	4	...	0	2	2†	0	42§	04/01	0	2	2	...	...
SOC													
ARG	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	00/11	0	0	0	0	0
CHI	23	15	0	0	0	0	1*	03/19	0	0	0	0	8
PAR	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	98/44	0	0	0	0	51
URU	...	...	...	...	...	0	0	99/07	...	...	...	...	...
Total	478	237	0	2	2	1	105	---	4	12	16	7	216

... No report received during 2004

* Due to importation

† 1 case imported

§ 11 cases are imported



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Table No. 2
Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the Period between Weeks 01-04, 2004

Region	Country	Pending cases from 2003	Cumulative 2004	Week of Rash Onset					
				1	2	3	4	Unknown	
AND	BOL	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	COL	0	1	0	1	0	0		
	ECU	0	1	0	0	0	1		
	PER	12	8	5	1	1	1		
	VEN	0	0	0	0	0	0		
BRA	BRA	230	22	17	3	2	...		
CAP	COR	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	GUT	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	HON	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	NIC	1	2	0	1	1	0		
	PAN	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	CAR	CAR	1	11	7	2	2	0	
		LAC	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	LAC	DOR	0	1	0	1	0	0	
		FGU	0	0	0	0	0	0	
GUA		0	0	0	0	0	0		
HAI		2	0	0	0	0	0		
MAR		0	0	0	0	0	0		
PUR		0	0	0	0	0	0		
MEX		MEX	0	12*	5	6	1	...	
		NOA	0	0	0	0	0	0	
SOC		USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		ARG	14	3	2	1	0	0	
	CHI	8	7	1	1	3	1	1	
	PAR	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	URU	1	0	0	0	0	0		
Total		269	68	37	17	10	3	1	

... No report received

* Includes all rash and fever illnesses reported to date

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period between Weeks 01-04, 2004

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	100	100	100	0		
	COL	88	75	100	38	88	100	0		
	ECU	91	58	100	67	83	100	0		
	PER	100	100	70	100	50	100	0		
	VEN	80	100	100	100	100	100	0		
BRA	BRA	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	CAP	COR	1	
		ELS	70	100	100	100	100	100	0	
		GUT	...	100	100	100	100	100	0	
		HON	92	100	100	70	100	100	0	
		NIC	100	100	100	78	78	100	0	
		PAN	91	60	100	60	100	100	0	
		CAR	CAR	100	100	100	0
			LAC	0
		LAC	DOR	92	100	100	50	83	100	0
FGU			0	
GUA	...		...	...	...	...	...	0
HAI	...		...	...	...	...	...	0
MAR	...		...	...	...	...	...	0
PUR	...		...	...	...	...	...	0
MEX	MEX		77	100	100	60	10	100	3	
	NOA		
SOC	USA		
	ARG		80	33	100	100	100	...	0	
	CHI	97	43	64	100	100	100	0		
	PAR	78	72	100	89	100	100	0		
	URU	100	...	...	...	...	...	0
Total and Average*		89	41	48	77	84	39	5		

... No report received during 2004

* Calculated with data from all countries reporting cases.

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