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*Special Program for Vaccines and Immunization
Expanded Program on Immunization
Measles Surveillance in the Americas
Final Measles Surveillance Data, 1998***

Region	Country	Final 1998 Data					Total Confirmed Cases 1997
		Total Suspected Cases Notified	Discarded	Confirmed Cases			
				Clinically*	Laboratory#	Total	
Andean Region	Bolivia	1,272	268	2	1,002	1,004	7
	Colombia	709	648	49	12	61	50
	Ecuador	321	321	0	0	0	0
	Peru	669	659	7	3	10	95
	Venezuela	671	667	4	0	4	27
Brazil	Brazil	24,521	21,740	1,043	1,738	2,781	52,284
Central America	Belize	18	18	0	0	0	0
	Costa Rica	142	115	26	1	27	26
	El Salvador	215	215	0	0	0	0
	Guatemala	171	170	1	0	1	8
	Honduras	175	175	0	0	0	5
	Nicaragua	863	863	0	0	0	0
	Panama	116	116	0	0	0	0
English-speaking Caribbean	Anguilla	6	6	0	0	0	0
	Antigua & Barbuda	7	7	0	0	0	0
	Bahamas	29	29	0	0	0	1
	Barbados	30	30	0	0	0	0
	Cayman Islands	2	2	0	0	0	0
	Dominica	4	4	0	0	0	0
	Grenada	17	17	0	0	0	0
	Guyana	50	50	0	0	0	0
	Jamaica	174	172	0	2	2	0
	Montserrat	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Netherlands Antilles	0	0	0	0	0	0
	St. Kitts & Nevis	7	7	0	0	0	0
	St. Lucia	2	2	0	0	0	0
	St. Vincent & Grenadines	2	2	0	0	0	0
	Suriname	204	204	0	0	0	0
	Trinidad & Tobago	45	45	0	0	0	1
	Turks & Caicos	1	1	0	0	0	0
British Virgin Islands	3	3	0	0	0	0	
U.S. Virgin Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Latin Caribbean	Cuba	430	430	0	0	0	0
	Dominican Rep.	16	2	0	14	14	1
	French Guyana	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Guadeloupe	7	5	0	2	2	116
	Haiti	8	5	3	0	3	0
	Martinique	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Puerto Rico	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mexico	Mexico	158	158	0	0	0	0
North America	Bermuda	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Canada	12	0	0	12	12	579
	United States	100	0	0	100	100	138
Southern Cone	Argentina	15,647	5,418	39	10,190	10,229	121
	Chile	529	523	0	6	6	58
	Paraguay	778	708	0	70	70	143
	Uruguay	6	0	0	6	6	2
Total		48,137	33,805	1,174	13,158	14,332	53,662

... No information provided

* Clinical suspicion of measles without laboratory investigation

Includes epidemiologically linked cases

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Source MESS HVP except for Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Cuba, Guadeloupe, Haiti and USA

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