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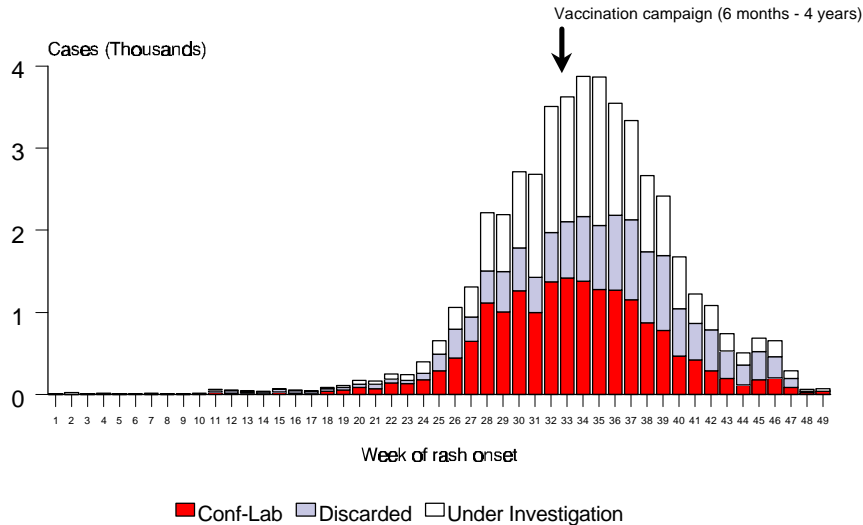


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**Classification of suspected measles cases by week of rash onset
Sao Paulo State, Brazil, 1997**



Source: CVE
As of 15 January 1998

Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles Cases
for the period: 98/01 - 98/04

Region	Country	Reported Cases	Under Investigation	Discarded			Confirmed			Total Confirmed Last Year
				Rubella	Dengue	Other/Unknown	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	
AND	BOL	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	COL	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
	ECU	11	1	1	0	9	0	0	0	0
	PER	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	VEN	46	15	0	0	31	0	0	0	18
BRA	BRA	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	25,599
	COR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
CAP	ELS	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	GUT	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	HON	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
	NIC	9	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	0
	PAN	23	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAR	CAR	19	3	9	2	5	0	0	0	2
	LAC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LAC	DOR	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116
	HAI	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	MEX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
NOA	BER	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CAN	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	580
	USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	135
SOC	ARG	58
	CHI	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	54
	PAR	124
	URU	0
TOTAL		143	76	11	2	53	0	1	1	26,722

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Table No. 2
 Measles Suspect Cases Under Investigation for the period: 98/01 - 98/04

Region	Country	Pending cases from 1997	Cumulative 1998	Weeks				
				1	2	3	4	
AND	BOL	54	6	3	2	1	...	
	COL	30	...	...	...	...	...
	ECU	43	1	...	1	...	...
	PER	150	...	...	...	...	...
	VEN	46	15	4	2	8	1	
BRA	BRA	24,812	8	...	...	...	...
CAP	COR	26	0	...	...	...	...
	ELS	7	5	...	...	...	...
	GUT	160	6	1	3	2	...	
	HON	10	1	1	...	...	...
CAR	NIC	0	0	0	...	...	...
	PAN	50	23	...	...	...	...
	CAR	23	3	1	2	...	...
	LAC	CUB	48	0	0
DOR		10	2	0	0	0	...	
FGU		...	...	...	...	...	...
GUA		0	0	...	...	...	...
HAI		0	...	...	...	...	...
MAR		...	...	...	...	...	...
PUR		0	0	...	...	...	...
MEX		MEX	131
		NOA	BER
			CAN	0	0
SOC	USA	0	0	...	...	...	...
	ARG	24	...	...	...	...	...
	CHI	432	6	6	...	...	...
	PAR	96	...	...	...	...	...
	URU	0	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL		26,152	76	16	10	11	1	

... No report received

Table No. 3
 Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period: 98/01 - 98/04

Region	Country	% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases Investigated ≤48 Hours	% Cases W/Complete Inves. Form	% Cases W/ Adequate Sample	% Lab. Results ≤7 Days	
AND	BOL	...	100	100	100	0	
	COL	...	...	...	...	...
	ECU	...	100	100	100	93	
	PER	...	...	...	...	...
	VEN	83	89	91	96	70	
BRA	BRA	...	...	...	...	...
	CAP	COR	...	...	...	...
		ELS	...	...	...	...
		GUT	...	100	100	33	50
CAR	HON	...	100	100	100	...	
	NIC	95	100	100	100	...	
	PAN	...	...	...	...	...
	LAC	CAR	...	100	58	74	96
		CUB	98
	DOR	94	...	...	...	...
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	
PUR		
MEX	MEX	
	NOA	BER	
		CAN
SOC	USA	
	ARG	
	CHI	100	67	0	0	...	
	PAR	
	URU	
TOTAL		85	93	83	84	79	

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