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Table No. 2
Measles Suspect Cases Under Investigation for the period: 98/01 - 98/18

Region	Country	Pending cases from 1997	Cumulative 1998	Week of Rash Onset								
				1-4	5-8	9-12	13	14	15	16	17	18
AND	BOL	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...
	COL	0	15	5	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ECU	0	11	1	5	3	1	0	0	1	0	...
	PER	0	8	2	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	...
	VEN	0	23	1	8	14	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRA	BRA	24,429	1,309	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CAP	COR	1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ELS	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...
	GUT	0	5	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HON	0	12	3	2	5	0	1	1	0	0	0
	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PAN	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAR	CAR	0	14	0	0	4	0	0	2	3	3	2
LAC	CUB	0	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	DOR	4	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	FGU	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	MEX	0	22	0	4	18	0	0	0	0	0	...
NOA	CAN	0	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOC	ARG	0	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHI	2	43	5	14	11	6	1	3	3	...	...
	PAR	0	11	3	3	1	3	0	0	1	0	0
	URU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		24,436	1,602	20	48	66	11	3	6	8	3	2

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

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period: 98/01 - 98/18

Region	Country	% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases Investigated ≤48 Hours	% Cases W/Complete Inves. Form	% Cases W/Adequate Sample	% Lab. Results ≤7 Days
AND	BOL	84	84	47	100	42
	COL	95	49	33	74	75
	ECU	...	91	43	92	78
	PER	...	98	46	95	28
	VEN	86	93	58	99	82
BRA	BRA	...	...	...	...	...
CAP	COR	...	...	...	...	...
	ELS	...	97	47	94	98
	GUT	...	93	25	96	73
	HON	83	90	67	97	48
	NIC	97	100	77	99	93
	PAN	...	100	20	84	27
CAR	CAR	99	97	32	93	98
LAC	CUB	97	...	...	...	...
	DOR	58	...	...	...	...
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	MEX	...	...	...	...	...
NOA	CAN	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	...	...	...	...	...
SOC	ARG	99	...	...	...	...
	CHI	100	93	38	64	2
	PAR	...	95	10	90	3
	URU	...	100	100	100	0
TOTAL		94	93	50	92	80

... No report received