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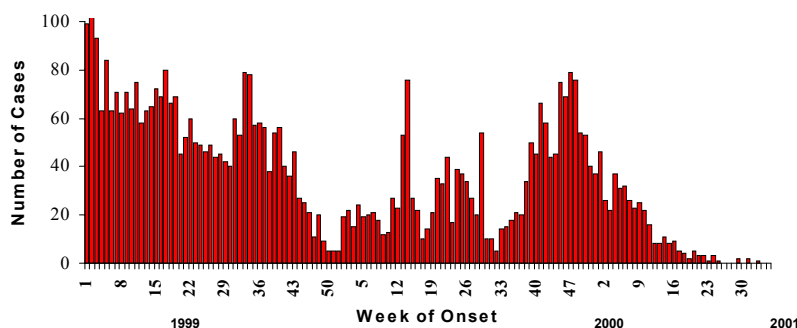


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**Division of Vaccines and Immunization**  
**Expanded Program on Immunization**  
**Measles Surveillance in the Americas**

**Weekly Bulletin for the Week**  
**ending 1 September 2001**

**Confirmed Measles Cases by Week of Onset**  
**Region of the Americas, 1999-2001\***



Source: Country Reports

\* Data as of 1 September 2001

**Table No. 1**  
**Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases for the Period between Weeks 01 to 35, 2001**

Subregion and Country		Reported Cases 2001		Measles Confirmed 2001			Measles Confirmed 2000		Year/Week of Last Confirmed Case	Rubella Confirmed 2001			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2001		
		Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Week 1-35	Total		Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other	
BRA	BOL	420	0	0	0	0	120	122	00/40	0	102	102	0	318	
	COL	727	1	0	0	0	1	1	00/25	3	33	36	11	679	
	ECU	1123	8	0	2	2	0	0	01/14	20	329	349	62	702	
	PER	1460	64	0	0	0	1	1	00/13	0	409	409	0	987	
	VEN	1203	81	8	0	8	2	22	01/14	0	95	95	33	986	
	BRA	22197	3431	0	1	1*	36	36	01/25	823	1650	2473	1048	15244	
	CAP	COR	76	35	0	0	0	0	0	99/03	0	20	20	0	21
	ELS	299	4	0	2	2*	0	0	0	01/19	0	24	24	49	220
	GUT	382	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	74	74	0	306
	HON	203	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	9	9	15	177
CAR	NIC	363	0	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	30	30	58	275	
	PAN	176	4	0	0	0	0	0	95/49	1	1	2	3	167	
	CAR	229	22	0	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	5	5	9	193	
	LAC	CUB	594	328	0	0	0	0	0	93/27	0	0	0	0	266
	DOR	949	4	0	111	111	183	254	01/22	2	38	40	0	794	
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	HAI	213	2	12	146	158	337	992	01/33	0	1	1	0	52	
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
MEX	MEX	341	100	0	3	3*	28	30	01/16	0	14	14	0	224	
	NOA	CAN	24	...	0	24	24*	...	01/24	...	...	...	...	...	
	USA	102	...	0	85	85*	62	85	01/18	0	17	17	...	...	
SOC	ARG	238	20	0	0	0	6	6	00/11	0	7	7	0	211	
	CHI	74	4	0	0	0	0	0	99/52	0	0	0	0	70	
	PAR	165	0	0	0	0	0	0	98/44	0	5	5	0	160	
	URU	12	4	0	0	0	...	...	99/03	0	0	0	0	8	
	Total	31570	4114	20	374	394	776	1755	---	849	2863	3712	1288	22060	

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\* Due to importations

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Table No. 2  
**Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation  
for the Period between Weeks 01 to 35, 2001**

Region	Country	Pending Cases from	Cumulative	Week of Rash Onset														Unknown	
				2000	2001	1-4	5-8	9-12	13-16	17-20	21-24	25-28	29	30	31	32	33		34
AND	BOL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	COL	0	0	0	0	0	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	0	1	0	
	PER	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	
	VEN	0	22	0	1	3	8	6	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
BRA CAP	BRA	192	590	28	26	38	42	44	81	105	28	36	39	32	42	49	0	1 7	
	COR	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	ELS	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0		
	GUT	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0		
	HON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
CAR LAC	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	PAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	CAR	3	21	0	1	2	2	1	2	5	1	0	3	4	0	0	0		
	CUB	0	328	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	DOR	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0		
	FGU	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		
	HAI	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	MAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
MEX NOA	MEX	0	5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	CAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
SOC	ARG	0	20	0	0	0	3	2	4	6	0	0	3	1	1	0	0		
	CHI	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0		
	PAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	URU	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0		
<b>Total</b>		<b>195</b>	<b>1018</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	

Table No. 3  
**Measles Surveillance Indicators for the Period between Weeks 01 to 35, 2001**

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	96	97	99	64	86	99	0
	COL	85	60	99	62	77	98	0
	ECU	95	83	98	86	93	99	0
	PER	92	98	99	83	93	98	0
	VEN	92	97	95	22	87	100	0
BRA CAP	BRA	83	53	72	54	79	55	0
	COR	...	100	0	...	...	33	0
	ELS	69	34	98	89	93	99	0
	GUT	50	99	100	61	79	100	0
	HON	88	97	97	45	95	100	0
CAR LAC	NIC	100	85	98	64	80	100	0
	PAN	83	46	95	65	70	100	0
	CAR	99	99	86	15	89	97	0
	CUB	98	100	...	...	0	...	0
	DOR	0	100	94	65	87	99	0
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	HAI	...	0	97	84	58	100	3
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
MEX NOA	MEX	...	83	83	17	17	100	0
	CAN	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	USA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
SOC	ARG	97	35	97	73	80	99	0
	CHI	93	80	93	65	90	100	0
	PAR	86	83	93	72	93	100	0
	URU	60	0	75	100	75	100	0
<b>Total and Average</b>		<b>88</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>3</b>

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