Histological analysis on
Grounded meat / products containing grounded meat

**Principle:**
The histological analysis is a tool to draw up the list of all the components of the sample providing they are not soluble in water or fat. The histologist counts also the number of images observed for some tissues like currently:
- Bone or gristle
- Lymphoid tissues

**Avantage:**
This analysis can verify the conformity of a sample composition by reference of the regulation, but also it can give an idea about the quality of the used raw materials (especially trimming), and consequently:
- To have an indicator to improve the processing methods
- To compare their products to the competitive ones
- To have a very good knowledge of the product to buy it well

**Frame of reference:**
- A specific schedule of conditions
- The regulation or the usage codex of the marketing country

**Ex:** For France (for other countries contact us):
The usage codex for beforehand prepared grounded meat and products containing grounded meat (information: CERTIVIANDE)

NB: This codex determines for grounded meat a maximal number of specific tissues. It is not the case for the products containing grounded meat, that is why, if you want this image numbering to appear on the analysis report, you should write it in your demands.

**Main products:**
- Grounded meat and products containing grounded meat
- Raw materials which are ingredients of delicatessens such as lasagnes, ravioli, cottage pie, chilli con carne... (Although they are not subjected to the usage codex edited by CERTIVIANDE. Contact us to know what frame of reference your sample is subjected to).

**Method:** Histological analysis on 3 paraffin-embedded sections according to NF V 04-417 (COFRAC accredited technique)

**Price:** "Grounded meat and stuffing" 202 € H.T.
Delicatessens 207 € HT (202 € HT + 5 € HT extra charges for processing samples)
Valid from 01/01/2007 to 31/12/2007, contact us to take note of our sales conditions.

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