



and the nature of the invertebrate itself.  
(AS2243.3 Clause 3.2.4, including Risk Groups 1 to 4).

**Examples of microorganisms by risk group:** - Tables 3.1 3.11 (AS/NZS 2243.3:2010, pp 25 34) for Risk Groups 2 to 4

**Bacteria, Chlamydiae, Rickettsiae & Micoplasmas** Mostly risk group 2 & some risk group 3. (Refer to Table 3.1, 3.5).

**Parasites** Risk group 2. (Refer to Table 3.2).

**Fungi** Risk groups 2 & 3. (Refer to Table 3.3, 3.6).

**Viruses** Risk groups 2, 3 & 4. (Refer to Table 3.4, 3.7, 3.8). Additional requirements for poliovirus. Refer to Appendix C.

**Prions** Risk group 2. (Refer to Table 3.4 and Clause 3.7)

**Plant pathogens** Risk groups 2, 3 & 4, refer to Table 3.9, 3.10 & 3.11 respectively.

**Physical Containment (PC) level is dependent on the Risk Grouping:**

Risk Group 1 requires Physical Containment level 1 (PC1)