

Table 1 General quality of food samples and marketplace sanitation contamination with *Listeria* spp.

Variable	No. of samples	Contamination with <i>Listeria</i> spp.		<i>P</i> -value ^a
		No.	%	
<i>Food quality score</i>				0.001
1	12	6	50.0	
2	99	14	14.1	
3	184	22	12.0	
4	157	18	11.5	
5	78	6	7.7	
<i>Marketplace sanitation score</i>				> 0.05
1	31	7	22.6	
2	66	8	12.1	
3	188	22	11.7	
4	193	23	11.9	
5	52	6	11.5	
Total	530	66	12.5	

^aChi-squared test.