

Table 2. Legionella spp. count per/month in the new technology cooling tower units on the Qatar University campus

Date	Cooling tower no.	DNA copy no./mL	CFU/mL	Average monthly CFU/mL
4 April	N1	720.25	36.01*	12.02
	N2	0.38	0.02	
	N3	0.75	0.04	
9 May	N1	10.06	0.50	13.01
	N2	190.51	9.53	
	N3	579.90	28.99*	
3 June	N1	1191.71	59.59*	62.74
	N2	1628.32	81.42*	
	N3	944.54	47.23*	

CFU = colony-forming units.

*Legionella spp. count > 10 CFU/mL.