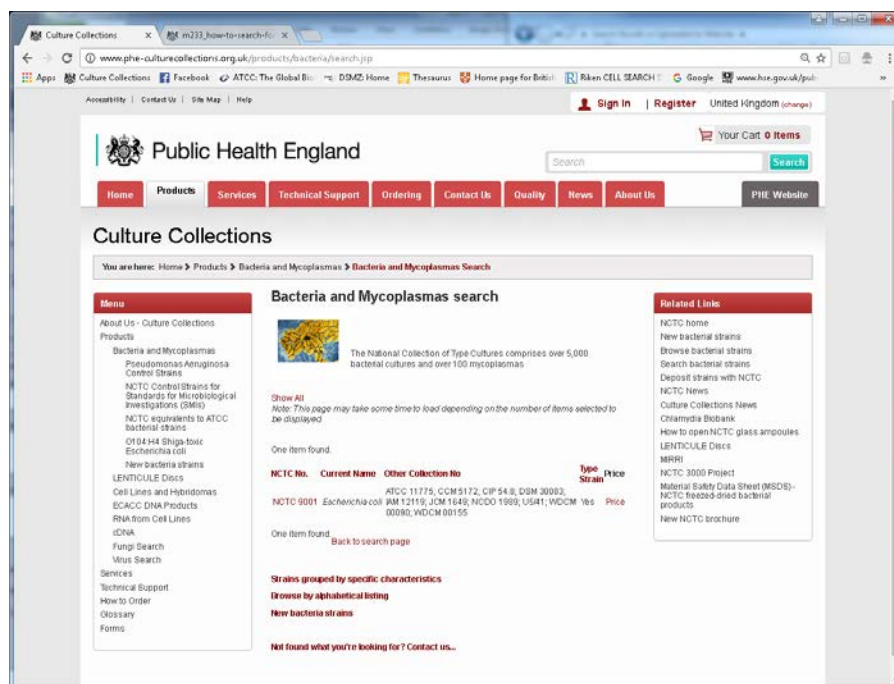
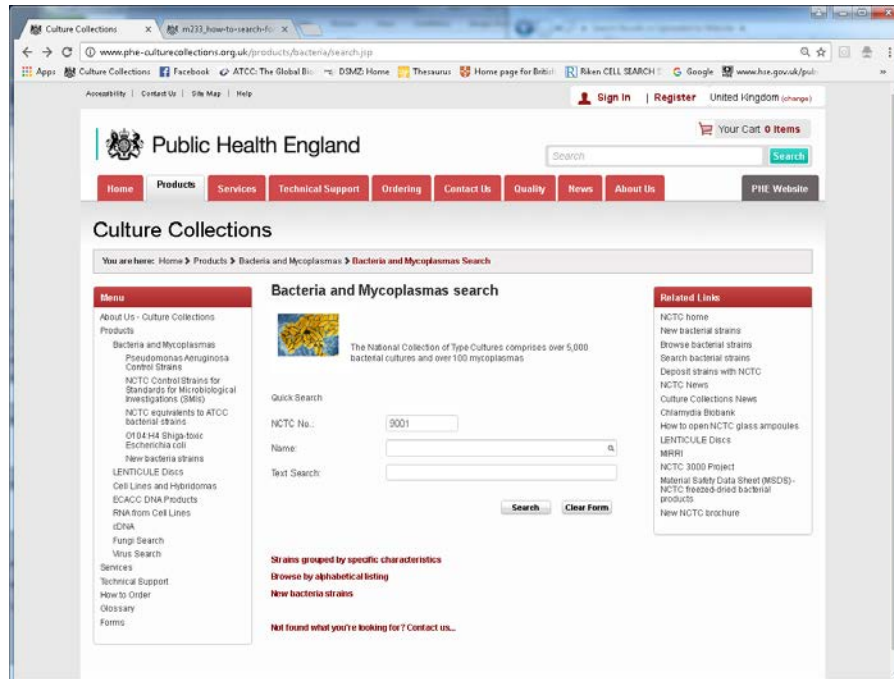


## User guide - How to search for a NCTC Certificate of Analysis

- use the Culture Collections website NCTC catalogue search page to search for the bacteria [www.phe-culturecollections.org.uk/products/bacteria/search](http://www.phe-culturecollections.org.uk/products/bacteria/search)
- open the catalogue entry by clicking on the link attached to the NCTC catalogue number



- click on the Certificates of Analysis (CoA) icon situated in the box on the right hand side of the catalogue entry



- enter the lot number into the search field. Some lot numbers have a zero in front of the lot number, others do not. Please try both formats.
- either click to *View* or *Download* the certificate
- if the CoA required is not available via the website then you can request this using the *Request Certificate of Analysis* link.

