

## Seed test

Sample collection instructions

In case of *Fusarium*- seedling consideration recommended for wheat, barley, oats, rye, corn, canary seed, and forage grasses.

- 1. In case of seed test, prepare a sample which is representative of the entire seed lot is the greatest source of.
- 2. Gather more seed than needed for a given test to minimize improper sampling and minimize error in seed testing.
- 3. If the seeds are in a bin, sample it from all the direction such as top, center, sides, and bottom.
- 4. Please submit 2 cups or 500 grams of seed in a well labelled and sealed container/paper
- Transfer all the container cup/bags into the kit box and complete the submission form provided in the kit.
- 6. Ship the collected samples and completed submission form using the addressed envelope provided in the kit.

## Soil sample collection guide:

**Timing:** Target fields that are under cultivation or going into crop coming season.

**Sampling tool:** Use any tool that can measure the top two to four inches of soil (ex. Shovel or garden trowel and pail or dutch auger).

Sanitize: Make sure to clean and sanitize the tools that when in contact with soil before doing sampling at another place. Use a fresh two per cent bleach solution or Heavy-Duty Cleaner Disinfectant spray to disinfect tools.

Sampling points: Make sure to sample in high-risk area, such as field entrances, field access location, high-traffic area, low spots, both sides of waterways and low pH areas. Also collect samples in low-risk areas for better comparison. Try to collect and submit separate samples for each high-risk and low-risk point.

Kit: Includes the container cup/paper bags/zip-lock bags (10+ no's), sample submission form, sealable plastic bag and addressed envelope.

## **Different Soil depth test:**

Soil collection instructions

If you need to determine the analysis of soil at different depth, we recommend below mentioned depth size for soil sample.

Soil Depth 1: 0 to 15 cm (0 to 6 in)

Soil Depth 2: 15 to 30 cm (6 to 12 in)

Soil Depth 3: 30 to 60 cm (12 to 24 in)





