

Basic Lawn & Garden Soil Test Instructions

- Using a soil probe or garden trowel, sample down to a depth of about 6 inches. For each sample, collect a cup of soil and mix thoroughly. (*You can collect from different areas as long as the areas seem similar and are free of noticeable problems.*) If you have areas of concern, it is best to keep the soil separate and run an individual test.

Each sample should represent only one soil type or area—for example, a lawn, vegetable garden or perennial landscaped area.

- Fill a clean container or plastic bag at least two-thirds full. Soils may be sent wet or dry (use a Zip-loc sandwich or plastic lined bag for wet samples).
- Clearly identify each sample. (*Do not* put information sheets inside the bags)
- The samples should be shipped in a sturdy box, or dropped off at our lab. (*For your convenience, there is a container for drop-offs.*)

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