

Soil Sample Information Sheet for Field Crops

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ISU Soil and Plant Analysis Laboratory, G501 Agronomy, Ames, Iowa 50011.

Date _____

Submitter _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Lab Space—Do Not Use

payment code _____ x _____

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Client name _____ Farm is in _____ County.

Note: Please provide as much information as possible. Fertilizer recommendations are modified based on soil type. If soil type is not supplied, we will assume that subsoil P and K are very low.

* Use soil map units (smu) from Soil Survey Maps † If using reduced till or no-till, estimate depth of lime incorporation.

Crop codes

(use one code per sample)

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| 1. Corn or sorghum grain | 8. Oats + forage seeding |
| 2. Irrigated corn grain | 9. Alfalfa topdress |
| 3. Corn or sorghum silage | 10. Bluegrass |
| 4. Corn-soybean sequence
(2-year recommendation—
give yield goal for both crops) | 11. Tall grass: pasture |
| 5. Sunflowers | 12. Tall grass: hay + pasture |
| 6. Wheat | 13. Legume and grass pasture |
| 7. Oats: no forage seeding | 14. Sorghum-sudan pasture |
| | 15. Soybeans |
| | 16. Soybean-corn sequence |

Test series codes

(use one code per sample)

- | Code | Cost/sample |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Regular series (pH, lime, P, K) | \$ 8.00 |
| 2. Regular series + O.M. | \$11.00 |
| 3. Regular + Zinc | \$12.00 |
| 4. Regular series + O.M. + Zinc | \$15.00 |
| 5. pH and lime only | \$ 5.00 |

Note: Recommendations are computer generated. Please use numbers in the boxes below to help speed sample processing.

Lab no. Do not use	Sample number	Soil type* (one per sample)	No. of acres	Needed for Lime Recommendations Tillage depth † (inches)	✓ if irr.	Crop information (use crop codes listed above)		Test series code (use test series codes above)
						Crop to be fertilized (one per sample)	Anticipated yield (bu. or T/A)	

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Visit [http://www.agron.iastate.edu/soiltesting/howto\(fieldcrops\).htm](http://www.agron.iastate.edu/soiltesting/howto(fieldcrops).htm) for information on how to take accurate soil samples on cropland.

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