

Soil Samples for Testing

Our Extension office uses an outside lab for testing soil and there is a fee schedule for soil testing dependent on the type of test results desired. It is important to collect representative samples. Soil types can change many times in one location. For best results, it may be better to have multiple samples if the area you are inquiring about is a large area. Samples need to be around a cup for each test that you want performed and samples should be 1 to 6 inches deep. Please label samples appropriately with your name, sample date and how you want your sample identified. Our office can provide you with a soil probe and more information if needed, call or stop by to reserve one.