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Soil Sample Information Sheet for Golf Courses and Industrial Lawns

Please Type or Write Legibly (Form expires July 2021)

Use another form for commercial sod production. Processing will be delayed if soil is not received in the lab's sample container. For a recommendation, be sure to fill in the turf code number. Each sample must have its own form. For more information, go to www.soiltest.vt.edu or contact your local Virginia Cooperative Extension office.

Your Name: _____ Phone: _____ E-mail To Send Report To: _____ Mailing Address: _____ _____ City: _____ ZIP Code (required): _____ County Where Soil is Located (required): _____ Copy Report To (Consultant, etc.): _____ Their E-mail: _____	Date sampled: _____ MM/DD/YY Office Use only Extension Unit Code: <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 80px; height: 50px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>
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SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION Your Sample Box Number or Name (Up to 5 digits) <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 25px; margin: 5px auto;"></div>	PLANT TO BE GROWN Insert Turf Code # from list at right <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 25px; margin: 5px auto;"></div>	TURF CODE LIST (Select One) 80 Putting Greens, Bentgrass 81 Putting Greens, Bermudagrass 82 Tees, Bentgrass 83 Tees, Bermudagrass 84 Fairways - Kentucky Bluegrass, Fescue 85 Fairways - Bermudagrass 86 Athletic Fields - Kentucky Bluegrass, Fescue 87 Athletic Fields - Bermudagrass 88 Industrial Lawns - Kentucky Bluegrass, Fescue 89 Industrial Lawns - Bermudagrass
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SOIL INFORMATION	
Last Lime Application	
Months Previous	Rate, Tons/Acre
<input type="radio"/> – <input type="radio"/> 0 – 6 <input type="radio"/> 7 – 12 <input type="radio"/> 13 – 18 <input type="radio"/> 19+	<input type="radio"/> 0 <input type="radio"/> 0.1 – 1.0 <input type="radio"/> 1.1 – 2.0 <input type="radio"/> 2.1 – 3.0 <input type="radio"/> 3.1+

SOIL TEST DESIRED AND FEES	COST PER SAMPLE	
	IN-STATE	OUT-OF-STATE
<input type="checkbox"/> Routine (soil pH, P, K, Ca, Mg, Zn, Mn, Cu, Fe, B, and estimated CEC)	\$10.00	\$16.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Organic Matter – Determines percentage in soil - no recommendation given	\$4.00	\$6.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Soluble Salts – Determines if fertilizer salts are too high	\$2.00	\$3.00
Method of Payment: <input type="checkbox"/> Check Enclosed <i>or</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Bill my Business Tax ID # required for billing _____		
Make check or money order payable to " Treasurer, Virginia Tech ". Please send this form, along with any payment, together with corresponding samples in the same sturdy shipping container to: Virginia Tech Soil Testing Lab, 145 Smyth Hall (MC 0465), 185 Ag Quad Ln, Blacksburg VA 24061.		

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