

SOIL SAMPLE INFORMATION SHEET

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For Lab Use	Sample ID	Intended Crop	Yield Goal	Previous Crop	Yield	Tillage	Soil Test Requested			
		Corn Wheat MiloSoybeans		CornWheat MiloSoybeans		Conv		Package Number	Analysis Included	Cost
	Brome Fescue Other:		BromeFescue Other:		No-Till		#1	pH, Buffer pH, P, K	\$20	
		Corn Wheat MiloSoybeans		CornWheat MiloSoybeans		Conv		#2	Pkg #1 + OM + Zn	\$25
		Brome Fescue Other:		BromeFescue Other:		No-Till			Pkg #1+Ca, Mg, Na, CEC	\$25
		CornWheat MiloSoybeans		CornWheat MiloSoybeans		Conv		Add On Profile Pkg	NO3-N, SO4,-S, Cl (0- 24" sample recommended	Add \$15
		BromeFescue Other:		BromeFescue Other:		No-Till				
		Corn Wheat MiloSoybeans BromeFescue Other:		CornWheat MiloSoybeans BromeFescue Other:		Conv No-Till				

Type of Fertilizer Recommendation for P and K (refer to back of sheet for explanation):

Sufficiency

Build

Comments:

Sufficiency recommendations are based upon meeting the intended crops nutrient requirements.

Build maintenance recommendations can be used to build soil test P and K within a certain number of years. Number of years to build P and K:

**Options for Fertilization Recommendations:** 

**Sufficiency** fertility programs are intended to estimate the long-term average amount of fertilizer phosphorus required to, on average, provide optimum economic return in the year of nutrient application while achieving about 90-95% of maximum yield. In some years greater amounts of nutrient are required for optimum yield and economic return, while in other years, less tan recommended amounts of nutrient would suffice. There is little consideration of future soil test values and soil test values will likely stabilize in the 'low,' crop responsive range.

**Build-maintenance** recommendations are intended to apply enough phosphorus or potassium to build soil test values to a target soil test over a planned timeframe (typically 4-8 years) and then maintain soil test values in a target range in future years. If soil test values exceed the target range, no phosphorus or potassium is recommended with the exception of low starter applied rates if desired. Build-maintenance fertility programs are not intended to provide optimum economic return in a given year, but rather attempt to minimize the probability of phosphorus or potassium limiting crop yields while providing for near maximum yield potential.