



United States Department of Agriculture
Agricultural Marketing Service
Seed Regulatory and Testing Division
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Seed Service Testing Fees

Charges/Hour: \$79.00

Minimum Charge: 1 Hour

Effective October 01, 2025

Fees shown below are based on an hourly rate for testing typical samples, plus an additional ¼ hour to cover administrative time. Non-typical samples (such as those with excessive amounts of inert matter or other species) may incur additional charges. Add 1 hour (\$79.00) for pelleted seed. Add ¾ hour (\$59.25) for sand or soil germination

GRAIN INSPECTION

CORN	98.75
SOYBEAN	118.50
SUNFLOWER	98.75
WHEAT	138.25

ADDITIONAL TESTS

(MINIMUM CHARGE FOR
SINGLE TEST IS \$58.00)

BIOASSAY	98.75
* MOISTURE (GROUND)	79.00
* MOISTURE (UNGROUND)	39.50
SEED COUNT	39.50
* GMO	197.50

Field (Agricultural and Vegetable)

KIND	PURITY	GERM	NOX	P&G	P&N	P,G,&N	MIN. PU (G)	MIN. NOX (G)
ALFALFA	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	138.25	197.50	5	50
BAHIAGRASS	118.50	118.50	118.50	217.25	158.00	256.75	7	70
BARLEY	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	158.00	217.25	120	1000
BEAN, GARDEN	98.75	118.50	98.75	138.25	118.50	158.00	700	1000
BEAN, RUNNER	98.75	118.50	98.75	138.25	118.50	158.00	1000	1000
BEAN, FAVA	98.75	118.50	98.75	138.25	118.50	158.00	1000	1000
BEET	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	177.75	50	500
BEET,MULTIGERM	98.75	118.50	98.75	158.00	118.50	197.50	50	500
BERMUDAGRASS	177.75	98.75	98.75	237.00	217.25	316.00	1	10
BLUE PANICGRASS	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	158.00	217.25		20
BROCCOLI	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	177.75	10	100
BROWNTOP MILLET	98.75	118.50	98.75	177.75	158.00	217.25		90

KIND	PURITY	GERM	NOX	P&G	P&N	P,G,&N	MIN. PU (G)	MIN. NOX (G)
BRUSSEL SPROUTS	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	177.75	10	100
CABBAGE	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	177.75	10	100
CARROT	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	158.00	217.25	3	30
CAULIFLOWER	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	177.75	10	100
CELERY	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	138.25	177.75	1	10
CORN	98.75	118.50	98.75	138.25	118.50	158.00	900	1000
COWPEA	98.75	118.50	98.75	158.00	118.50	177.75	400	1000
CUCUMBER	98.75	98.75	98.75	118.50	118.50	138.25	70	150
EGGPLANT	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	197.50	15	150
KALE	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	177.75	107	100
LEEK	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	138.25	197.50	3	70
LETTUCE	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	177.75	70	30
MELON	98.75	98.75	98.75	118.50	118.50	138.25	120	150
OAT	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	158.00	217.25	140	1000
OKRA	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	197.50	4	1000
ONION	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	138.25	197.50	8	80
PARSLEY	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	158.00	217.25	4	40
PEA	98.75	118.50	98.75	138.25	118.50	158.00	900	1000
PEPPER	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	197.50	15	150
PUMPKIN	98.75	98.75	98.75	118.50	118.50	138.25	700	1000
RADISH	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	197.50	30	300
RYEGRASS	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	158.00	217.25	6	60
SORGHUM	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	177.75	90	900
SORGHUM- SUDANGRASS	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	177.75	30	300
SOYBEAN	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	158.00	500	1000
SPINACH	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	158.00	25	250
SQUASH	98.75	98.75	98.75	118.50	118.50	138.25	700	1000
SUDANGRASS	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	158.00	217.25	25	250
SUNFLOWER	98.75	98.75	98.75	118.50	118.50	138.25	200	1000
TALL FESCUE	118.50	98.75	118.50	177.75	197.50	237.00	5	50
TOBACCO	98.75	98.75	98.75	237.00	217.25	316.00	0.5	5
TOMATO	98.75	98.75	98.75	158.00	118.50	197.50	7	15
TURNIP	98.75	98.75	98.75	138.25	118.50	177.75	7	70
WATERMELON	98.75	98.75	98.75	118.50	118.50	138.25	250	1000

* Moisture and GMO testing are not included under ISTA-accredited services.