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## Price List Effective January 1, 2024

Samples Tested: Official, Certified, Non-Certified, ISTA, EC, Research Samples & Others

<b>Grasses</b>	Min. AOSA Sample Size Required	AOSA Purity	ISTA Purity	AOSA Germ	ISTA Germ	AOSA TZ Test	ISTA TZ Test
Bentgrass (Purity includes species separation)	4 oz.	\$128	\$69	\$60	\$60	\$87	\$174
Bluegrass	4 oz.	\$96	\$62	\$60	\$60	\$87	\$174
Tall fescue	8 oz.	\$87	\$63	\$60	\$60	\$88	\$176
Fine Fescue (Germination includes ammonia test)	8 oz.	\$86	\$62	\$64	\$64	\$87	\$174
Orchardgrass	8 oz.	\$86	\$86	\$60	\$60	\$87	\$174
Ryegrass, annual (Germination includes fluorescence test)	8 oz.	\$68	\$63	\$66	\$66	\$88	\$176
Ryegrass, perennial (Germination includes fluorescence test)	8 oz.	\$97	\$63	\$66	\$66	\$88	\$176
Mixtures (per each additional kind)		\$80	N/A	\$60	N/A	\$87	N/A

## Cereals, Legumes, Vegetables and Flowers

Cereals (Wheat, Oat, Barley, etc.)	2 lbs.	\$57	\$57	\$52	\$52	\$87	\$174
Legumes (Alfalfa, Clover, Bean, etc.)	1 1/4 lbs.	\$57	\$57	\$52	\$52	\$87	\$174
Pea, Corn, Melon, Pumpkin, Squash, Cucumber	1 1/4 lbs.	\$57	\$57	\$60	\$60	\$87	\$174
Beet, including table beet (additional sprout count incurs hourly charges)	1 1/4 lbs.	\$57	\$57	\$70	\$70	\$87	\$174
Brassicas (Cabbage, Mustard, Turnip, etc)	6 oz.	\$96	\$62	\$52	\$52	\$87	\$174
Carrot, Celeriac, Celery, Dill, Parsley, Parsnip	2 oz.	\$57	\$57	\$52	\$52	\$87	\$174
Chive, Leek, Onion, Spinach	8 oz.	\$57	\$57	\$52	\$52	\$87	\$174
Eggplant, Lettuce, Pepper, Tomato	6 oz.	\$57	\$57	\$52	\$52	\$87	\$174
Flowers (Varies by species)	Please call	\$80/Hr	N/A	\$70	N/A	\$87	N/A

## Native Species

Native species (Varies by species)	Please call	\$80/Hr	\$80/Hr	\$70	\$70	\$90	Please call
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## Tree and Shrub Seeds

Trees and Shrubs	Please call	\$57	\$55	\$70	\$70	\$87	Please call
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## Bulk Examinations

Crop and Weed (CW) (most UGS & Sod reports can be generated from CW without additional testing)							
There is a 10% discount when ordered with purity (excludes larger-sized CW tests and special requests)							\$98
Undesirable Grass Seeds (UGS) (10% discount when ordered with purity)							\$94
Noxious Weed (N) (All states, except Hawaii and UGS)							\$79
Pest and Disease (P&D) (Dry seed inspection)							\$80
Soil or Ergot exam							\$80
Bulk cereal exam for other grains (bk) (Required by Seed Certification) (per 500 gram test)							\$98
Friction separation (Bulk exam for Dodder on Certified Alfalfa & Red clover - 1 lb. sample minimum)							\$30

## Oregon Sod Quality

Program is administered by Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA). Visit <https://beav.es/ieQ> to see their OR Sod Quality requirements and contact information. Testing for the program is provided by the OSU Seed Laboratory and prices vary based on species examined. \$72 - \$274  
Sod Quality requires germination test to be updated every 12 months. Regerms can only be done on samples that have been stored at the lab for one year or less.

## Testing for Specific Traits

Ploidy by Cytometry for Ryegrass (Required by Certification on tetraploid varieties). Diploid contaminated with tetraploids may require additional hourly charge.	\$158
X-Ray (AOSA only)	\$50
Endophyte (Immunoblot assay - 100 Seeds)	\$164
Endophyte on tillers	\$244
Varietal identification (Phenol test, NaOH, etc. for Wheat, Barley, Oat, Ryegrass and Bluegrass)	\$69
Clearfield or AXigen Wheat Bioassay	\$80
Vigor (Cold, Accelerated aging test, Conductivity, etc.)	\$84

## Grow-Out and VFL Tests

Grow-out of fluorescent Ryegrass seedlings (Additional charge for samples over 10% fluorescence)	\$280
Varietal Fluorescence Level (VFL) in perennial ryegrass, three lots	\$1,318
Cereal grow-out (To distinguish winter from spring varieties)	\$280

## Miscellaneous Seed Tests

Soil-Seed bank test (search for seeds in any kind of soil, compost, etc.)	\$210
Noxious weed search in animal feed pellets	\$80/Hr
Noxious weed search in bird seeds	\$80/Hr
Broomrape ( <i>Orbanche minor</i> ) in Red clover and other species	\$127
Seed moisture content	\$53
Seed weight (includes 1,000 seed weight, number of seeds per pound)	\$40
Digital image by email of requested contaminants	\$40 - \$120

## Research Projects

Special seed testing studies/research/consultations are available. Studies are designed and conducted for the needs of the customers.

## Hourly Charge

Samples requiring extra steps, or those with high levels of impurities (other crops, weeds, multiple florets, inert materials) requiring additional time will be charged a pro-rated hourly charge. \$80/Hr

## Special Fees & Services

RUSH SERVICE - Purity results in 24-48 hours. <i>Subject to availability July-Sept</i>	\$150
"SUPER" RUSH SERVICE - <i>Subject to availability. Please call for current turn-around time July-Sept</i>	\$225
UGS or SQ report when generated from existing C&W	\$56
Retest - processing	\$5
Revision of report (example - Correction of customer errors on sample certificates)	\$20
Conversion of Report - when no new testing is required ("paperwork only")	\$52
Conversion of Report - when additional testing is required; varies based on species and testing rules	\$57 - \$127
Cancellation of test - fee is proportional to work completed prior to cancellation	\$80/Hr (1/4hr min.)

## Additional Information

Certified and Orange ISTA samples must be sampled by and delivered to the OSU Seed Lab by a designated, authorized sampler. All other samples may be delivered or dropped off directly at the lab, and must be accompanied by a Seed Test Order Form.

The order form and instructions for sample submission may be found at <https://beav.es/ieL>

Invoices are issued on the 10th of each month for testing ordered in the previous month, and full payment is expected within 30 days of receipt of the invoice. If you wish to cancel or alter any tests that have been requested, notification must be received by phone or email prior to test completion. In some cases it will not be possible to cancel testing once it has started.

For more prices please visit <https://beav.es/ieb> or contact the OSU Seed Lab: (541) 737-4464 or [seedlab@oregonstate.edu](mailto:seedlab@oregonstate.edu)