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SOIL SAMPLE INFORMATION SHEET for RESEARCH SAMPLES

HokieMart PO or VT Foundation No: _____ Date: _____

Instructions: ***Please type or print***. *Do **not** write in shaded areas.* Soil samples submitted for analysis must be accompanied by this completed form and either a VT Foundation fund number or a HokieMart (ISR) PO that uses a non-sponsored, various, or overhead fund for payment and *VT Soil Testing Lab - **Soil Fertility Analysis*** as the supplier. Please send samples in the order listed.

Your Name: _____ Name of Principal Investigator (PI) or lead researcher _____

☐ Fund used for payment is either a non-sponsored, various, overhead, or VT Foundation fund.

E-mail: _____ ☐ *Save soil for pick up.*

Telephone Number: _____ **(↑ *Soil discarded after 3 months*.)**

Lab Number (**Leave Blank**)	**Your** Sample Number (Up to **5** Digits)	Tests Desired: (see back for available tests)
	Blank or Replicate Sample	- - - - -

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Lab Number (**Leave Blank**)	**Your** Sample Number (Continued)	Tests Desired: (Continued)
	Lab Test/Reference Sample	- - - - -

Available Test*	**Cost†**	**Test Code** *(to be put in "Tests Desired" column)*	
Routine Test	**$10.00**	**R**	**{soil & buffer pH's, P, K, Ca, Mg, Zn, Mn, Cu, Fe, B and estimated CEC}**
Soluble Salts	**$2.00**	**SS**	**{electrical conductivity on a 1:2 (vol/vol) soil:water mixture.}**
Organic Matter	**$4.00**	**OM**	**{estimated by a LOI (Loss On Ignition) method, which is a dry (ashing) oxidation of carbon}**

*** See www.soiltest.vt.edu for laboratory procedures.**

† Cost after December 18, 2015.

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