

CCIA Reference Sample Sizes

CROP	CONDITIONER			LABORATORY
	MINIMUM RETAINED SAMPLE FOR CCIA	CCIA SPECIAL TESTS	SUBMITTED SAMPLE TO LABORATORY	1 YEAR RETAINED SAMPLE FOR CCIA *1
Alfalfa	1000 grams	400 g dodder	1000 grams	550 grams
Asparagus, Hybrid	500 grams		500 grams	0 grams
Bean, Lima	1500 grams		1500 grams	1000 grams
Bean, Lima Fordhook	2500 grams		2500 grams	2000 grams
Beans	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Bermuda Grass	55 grams		55 grams	45 grams
Celery	25 grams		25 grams	13 grams
Chickpea	1000 grams	*2	1000 grams	500 grams
Clover, red	1000 grams	400 g dodder	1000 grams	550 grams
Clover, white	1000 grams	400 g dodder	1000 grams	580 grams
Corn	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Corn, Hybrid	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Cotton	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Cowpea	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Field Pea	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Flax	300 grams		300 grams	150 grams
Grain	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Rape	200 grams		200 grams	100 grams
Rape, Hybrid	200 grams		200 grams	100 grams
Rice	2000 grams	*3	2000 grams	1000 grams
Safflower	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Sorghum/Sudangrass	500 grams		500 grams	250 grams
Sorghum/Sudangrass, Hybrid	500 grams		500 grams	250 grams
Sunflower	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams
Watermelon	1000 grams	BFB	1000 grams	500 grams
Watermelon, Hybrid	500 grams	BFB	500 grams	0 grams
Wild Rice	1000 grams		1000 grams	500 grams

*1 - CCIA requests independent seed laboratories and official seed laboratories that are testing seed for CCIA certification please, as a professional courtesy to CCIA, retain all of the seed sample that is submitted to them for testing as a reference sample for 1 year.

*2 - Four hundred (400) gram sample (of one thousand (1,000) pure live seed) should also be submitted for Ascochyta Blight (*Ascochyta rabiei*) testing.

*3 - Although not an official seed standard, all certified rice seedlots (minimum 30 gram sample) must be tested for rice blast (*Pyricularia grisea*) and results sent to CCIA.