



GRAIN MILLERS

CANADIAN OATS GRAIN SAMPLE SUBMISSION GUIDE

Create a composite sample that is representative of the bin that you are submitting.

- It is best practice to gather a composite while filling your bin with the crop during harvest.
- Samples should not be acquired from bin doors.
 - If you do not have a sample of stored grain, consider using a probe to sample from both the bin door and roof. Sampling stored grain from the top and bottom will provide the best representation of quality or spoilage.
- It is best to have grain in selling condition before sending to Grain Millers to reduce the risk of smell or other quality concerns.

From a well-mixed composite sample, place 2-3 lbs (1-1.5 kg) of grain into a sample bag (available at our office locations), or other appropriately sized zip top plastic bag.

- Please ensure the zip top is sealed properly.
- Grain loose in boxes, food containers, or in paper bags will not be accepted.

To ensure that our Receiving staff can properly analyze your sample, fill out the front of the bag's label with all the correct information that you have on:

- Name or Farm Entity
- Town
- Phone
- Email
- Crop Year & Variety
- **Organic or Conventional** (important)
- Bin or Field Number
- Volume (and any other remarks to be noted)

Samples can be dropped off in person at Yorkton or Rycroft Grain Procurement offices during business hours. For after-hours drop-off, please use the drop box located outside the south door of Grain Receiving in Yorkton (building north of Grain Procurement), or outside of the west door of the Rycroft office.

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Place sample into a cardboard box that can fit the volume of your bag(s); place filler, such as newspaper or packing peanuts, in any open space in the box. Seal and ship to the following address:

YORKTON (SK/MB GROWERS)
Grain Millers
Box 5040
1 Grain Millers Drive
Yorkton, SK S3N 3Z4

RYCROFT (AB/BC GROWERS)
Grain Millers
Box 468
4511 49th Avenue
Rycroft, AB T0H 3A0