

How to Collect a Soil Sample for Soybean Cyst Nematode Analysis

Soil sampling is easy if you follow these Steps:

1. Use a soil probe to collect samples (6-8 inches in depth)
2. Using a zig-zag pattern, collect 10-20 soil cores per every 10 - 20 acres
3. Collect cores from areas of similar soil type and crop history
4. Dump cores from each 10 to 20 acre set into a bucket and **mix thoroughly**
5. Place 1 pints (2 cups) of mixed soil in a soil sampling bag and label with a permanent marker
6. Store in a cool, dark place until shipped

IF YOU ARE ALSO HAVING THE SOIL ANALYZED PLEASE
NOTE THAT ON THE BAG AND ON THE INFORMATION SHEET.