

Paint Samples

Collection of the sample

*****For any non-paint sample, please call us for collection instructions.*****

1. Using a stainless steel blade scrape a quarter sized amount of paint onto a clean sheet of printer paper. It does not have to be a continuous piece of paint, multiple flakes are fine.
2. Fold the paper such that the paint does not fall out and place in a plastic baggie. Seal the baggie and place in a regular envelope for shipping.

Note: If submitting samples from more than one cage, please use separate labeled baggies for each paint sample.

Fees

In addition to the fee for lead/zinc testing, there is a special sample preparation/digestion fee of \$5.00 for each paint sample.

Lead:	\$25.00	+	prep/digestion fee (\$7.00)=	\$32.00*
Zinc:	\$22.00	+	prep/digestion fee (\$7.00)=	\$29.00*
Both Tests on a single sample:	\$54.00*			

***There is an additional charge of \$13.00 for us to scrape the paint sample**

Payment in full is required before any samples can be processed or tested. Please make checks payable to LADDL.

Documentation

Please fill out a LADDL submittal sheet and submit it along with your sample. You must include your name, address, phone number, fax number (if available), and tests requested. Forms can be found on our website [//laddl.lsu.edu](http://laddl.lsu.edu)

Shipping

Since the sample does not require refrigeration and is not considered a biohazard, there are no special shipping requirements.

The sample can be sent by US mail to:

Louisiana Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory
P O Box 25070

DCNWP 5.00

Baton Rouge, LA 70894

If you have any questions, or need further assistance please contact us at (225) 578-9777