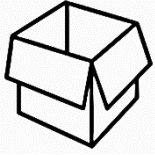


Sample Requirements

Below are the sample requirements when sending samples for laboratory analysis:



Container:

Container may be of the client’s choice but must meet the following criteria:

- Keep sample material protected from contamination by air, soil, or water
- Have a tamper-evident seal
- Containers may contain sample in sub-containers, as it would be sold to the public (vape cartridges, for example)



Inspection:

Inspect samples to ensure that sample acceptance criteria are met as follows:

Ensure Tamper-evidence seal is intact and there is no damage to sample/container that may affect the integrity of the sample is present (i.e. sample container is not cracked, crushed, etc).

Labeling: Sample is clearly labeled with the following information:

- Client Identification Information
- Lot (or other unique identification) Number
- Product brand and form (for finished packaged product) OR product description (for intermediate products and other samples)
- Packaging and/or sampling date (as applicable)
- Expiration date (for finished packaged product only) OR holding requirements (for intermediate products and other samples)
- Product dosage – including active content per dose and the quantity of one dose (for finished packaged product only) or weight, volume, quantity, or other amount.
- Recommended storage conditions

Identifying information on the sample label (e.g. lot number) must match information on the COC and shipping manifest; quantity received also matches the quantity specified on the COC/manifest

Sufficient amount: For NY Adult-Use Conditional Cultivators and Processors, submitting final packaged product for compliance testing, the sampling requirements are based on lot size. See below:

Cannabis Product or Pre-Roll Batch Size (units)	# of Required Samples
≤ 50– 500	5
501 – 1,200	8
1,201 – 3,200	13
3,201 – 10,000	20
10,001 -35,000	32
35,001 -150,000	50

Note: For vape cartridges with a fill volume less than 0.5 mL or 500 mg, the lab may request additional samples to ensure there is enough material for all compliance testing required.

Contact the Lab Manager (ldigiacobbe@talonanalytical.com) for sample size requirements for intermediate, R&D and a la carte testing. Sample size requirements may vary by matrix.

*Please include a printed copy of the completed Chain of Custody Form in all deliveries.
All samples received after 2:00PM will begin analysis on the following business day.*