



Canadian Cocoon Testing Centre
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★ ★ Please Note New Address ★ ★

Telephone: 403-362-0453

Email: cctc@alfalfaseedab.com

The Cocoon Testing Centre will be open from **October 30, 2017** to **April 19, 2018**.

The CCTC will be closed for Christmas Break from **Dec 20, 2017 -Jan 8, 2018**

CCTC hours are 9:00a.m.-12:00 & 1:00 -3:00p.m Mon-Fri

Sample Bags are still available to all producers (free of charge) please call/ email the lab and we can send them out or if you're in Alberta you can get them at the Fall/Winter Alfalfa Seed Commission meeting, or by stopping at the lab.

Price Increase ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

X-Ray Analysis: live count, parasites, machine damage, Chalkbrood, etc.
 \$71.43 + \$3.57 (GST) = **\$75.00**

Sex Ratio: includes an x-ray analysis & female count, **Allow 6-8 week**
 (Samples must be sent in by March 4/17)
 \$142.86+ \$7.14 (GST) = **\$150.00**

RUSH SAMPLES- No longer accepted.

VERY IMPORTANT: All samples are done on a 1st come 1st serve basis

Please call to book your samples in @ 403-362-0453. Have your total sample numbers as well as your name & phone #. Samples will be processed by booking date and not received date.

- Please include payment (Cheque only) with samples along with phone #, Email address and sample bags reference numbers.
- **Cheques made payable to "Canadian Cocoon Testing Center" or CCTC**

The procedure will be as follows:

- Fill the Cocoon Testing lab sample bags to "Fill Line" (about 3cups) with a well-mixed batch of bees.
- All samples must be marked with the type of test wanting to be done.
- Samples will not be processed until payment is received.
- All samples requiring sex ratio tests must be received before **March 9/18**.
- Sex ratio tests cannot be done separately; an x-ray must be done before a sex ratio test can be completed.
- Results will be sent by Email, unless otherwise requested or email is unavailable.

***** All of this information is also available on the ASCA website:
www.alfalfaseedab.com click on the cocoon tab. *****