

2019 Plant Tissue Nutrient Sampling Program for Pecan

Pull samples between July 1st and July 31st 2019 off of bearing pecan trees.

Fill Out form AGRI-423, pull sample and submit in paper bag.

On Form AGRI-423 please be sure to report:

- the variety
- soil type
- tree age
- sod free strip? Clover cover?
- Your email address!

Directions for Pulling a Pecan Leaf Sample:

- Collect 40-50 pairs of leaves from at least 20 trees. See the diagram below for which leaves to sample.
 - *The more leaves you collect and more trees you sample from the better the results!*
 - Collect leaf pairs opposite each other.
- Collect samples from trees of the same age
- It is preferable to collect samples from trees of the same variety. But if a whole field is managed the same it is not necessary to sample varieties separately
- **Wipe leaves with damp paper towel, to remove any surface dirt or debris.**
- Collect the sample on Monday and mail immediately!
- Send leaves in paper bags
- Select leaves that are healthy and exposed to sun
 - *Avoid leaves that are damaged, covered in dust or diseased.*
- Randomly select leaves

Take **sample**, **form AGRI 423**, and **payment** to County office or mail to:

Agricultural Diagnostic Laboratory

1366 W. Altheimer Dr.

Fayetteville AR 72704-6804

(479) 575-3908

Sample Fee is \$20.00 per sample + \$5 shipping fee. You are welcome to send multiple samples but will be charged \$20 for each sample submitted.

