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## Clear Science Inc. - Sampling Requirements

### **Sample Preparation**

At least 1-5 grams is preferred for a typical assessment of powder or bulk material. It is important that the samples be sealed in such a way that no spillage or cross-contamination will occur in transit. Individual sample containers should be placed in a larger, sealed container. This “bag within a bag” or “bottle within a bag” arrangement is the most secure. Please contact Clear Science if there are less than 5g of sample available for testing.

For metallography, components or assemblies should be isolated from the bulk sample as much as possible. In general, a rough cut of 4”x4” square area around the section of interest is sufficient. Clear Science will do the remaining precision sectioning or other separation to further isolate the sample. Other items may have to be sent as-is. Please call or e-mail prior for guidance on sample sectioning if there are questions.

For mechanical testing, a minimum of 5 standard ASTM specimens of each sample is preferred. Please contact Clear Science for specific details on mechanical testing of non-standard specimens or quantities.

### **Labeling**

Each sample must have a unique sample name or identification. This sample name should be recognizable to the customer. Clear Science will assign its own numbered code to each sample name to aid in tracking. Any additional information on sample packages can be added per the customer’s discretion.

### **MSDS**

MSDS information must accompany all hazardous material samples. We must receive a copy or be directed to an online site where we can retrieve the MSDS information.

### **Shipping**

Customers must follow their local and federal guidelines in the shipment of samples.

### **Payment Terms**

Clear Science accepts Visa/MC payments via secure e-mail payment link online. Once the fees are established, Clear Science e-mails the link to our secure payment page. We also accept purchase orders on Net 15 day terms.

### **Forms**

A test request form is available on this website. Clear Science will acknowledge receipt of the samples by e-mail.

