



PARTICLE SIZE ANALYSIS REQUEST FORM

Date.....

Name of Indenter : _____

Department/Division : _____

Full address : _____

Name of the research programme/project with code : _____

Email Address : _____ Phone Number : _____

Number of samples : _____

Type of samples : Sand Clay Soil Sediment Synthetic Material

Environment of collection : River Estuary Beach Offshore Others

Category of Request* (✓ tick one)

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| I: Commercial | II: R&D Institute | III: Research Student | IV: NCESS Projects |
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** Categories I to III are on payment basis. Please check for eligible category and applicable rates*

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| Name and Signature of the Indenter | Head (Group/Division/Institute/Depart.) | Group Head, CoP (NCESS) |
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1 No. of samples analysed : Liquid mode.....
 in different modes : Dry mode..... (i) Compress mode..... (ii) Free fall mode.....

2 Remarks, if any :

Please collect Rs. (In words)
 towards PSA analytical charges ofsamples under category.....including GST @ 18%.

Date:

*Scientist Incharge
 PSA Laboratory, NCESS*

| Sl. No. | Sample No.# | Sample Type# | Sample Location# | Mode* | Index measurement* | Remarks* |
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Note: # To be filled by the indentor * To be filled by the analyst
 Arrange similar type of samples in a continuous serial order

Sample Preparation:
Liquid mode: 5 gm of sediment sample in pasty form (if the sample is estuarine/marine - make sure the sample is free from salinity, shells and organic matter)
Dry Mode: 10 gm of sand sample (free from salinity and shells)
Only Processed samples will be analysed.

ANALYTICAL CHARGES UNDER DIFFERENT CATEGORIES:

PSA: Rs 3000/- per sample

| Category | User | Charge |
|-------------------------------|---|---------------|
| <i>I: Commercial</i> | <i>Users from Industry/ private/ commercial organisation/ consultancy projects</i> | <i>Full</i> |
| <i>II: R&D projects</i> | <i>Users from Government organisation/Universities, R&D projects of NCESS with grant in-aid funding</i> | <i>2/5</i> |
| <i>III: Research Students</i> | <i>Students from outside NCESS, pursuing PG/ PhD. programmes</i> | <i>1/5</i> |
| <i>IV: NCESS</i> | <i>NCESS Institutional projects/Plan projects / PG/ PhD., Students at NCESS</i> | <i>Free</i> |

PLEASE NOTE:

1. Additional GST rate @ 18% is charged extra.
2. The samples ranging from 0.04 microns to 2500 microns can be analyzed either by liquid or dry mode. For liquid mode, if the samples are not in suspension, the samples will not be analysed.
3. The user should bring the samples along with a letter from the Institute/ Industry in the original letterhead duly signed and sealed from the Head of the organization stating that the analysis is for research purpose. The letter should be addressed to The Director, NCESS, Thiruvananthapuram.
4. Analytical charges may be remitted directly by cash at NCESS / crossed DD drawn in favour of the Director, NCESS, payable at any of the nationalized banks, Thiruvananthapuram/ online payment.
5. Results are mailed on receipt of the payment or in person by presentation of the payment receipt.
6. Due acknowledgement be given to NCESS in the research publication emerging out of the work carried out at this Facility. Kindly send us the publication reference (Journal name / volume number / names of the author's date of issue of the publication etc.).
7. NCESS does not provide any test report of analytical testing on its letterhead. NCESS is not a certifying agency for any product or process.