

# VGL Bulk Sample Submission for Livestock Matching

1. **Two samples required** per animal, clearly marked “A” (1<sup>st</sup> sample) & “B” (2<sup>nd</sup> sample).

2. **Sample:**

- **20-30 hairs with root follicles attached** in a sealed business size envelope clearly marked with animal’s name/identification which matches the submission form.
- **Ear tag** in a plastic bag with animal’s name/identification which matches the submission form **stored in the freezer** until time of testing.

3. **Excel Bulk Submission Form:**

- Fill in Excel submission form listing all animals sent in for testing.
- Email Excel spreadsheet to: [samplelist@vgl.ucdavis.edu](mailto:samplelist@vgl.ucdavis.edu)

4. **Cost/Payment:**

- Fee for testing: **\$35 per sample** (A & B are considered 2 samples).
- **Check** payable to **U.C. Regents** or completed **credit card** authorization form.
- **Include payment with samples** (samples will not be tested until payment is received).

5. **Turnaround Time:**

- Turnaround time is usually **1-3 business days**. The majority of results are emailed the next day. However, if a sample needs retesting, we ask you allow 2-3 days for results.

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6. **Results:**

- **Results** will be **emailed** to the address given in the “Agent” information section.

7. **Shipping:**

- **FedEx or UPS:**  
Veterinary Genetics Laboratory  
University of California, Davis  
Old Davis Road  
Davis, CA 95616-8744
- **US Mail Only:**  
Veterinary Genetics Laboratory  
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