



FORM C-1 Corn Maturity Code-6 Lab Determinations 2011



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| YEAR, CROP, FORM, MMDD (1 - 7) | |
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Date Sample Received in Lab: _____

EAR WEIGHT

- Weight of third and fourth ears and loose kernels
- Weight of remaining ears and loose kernels

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| Grams to Tenths | 401 | . ____ |
| Grams to Tenths | 402 | . ____ |

GRAIN WEIGHT and MOISTURE DETERMINATIONS

Shell grain from the third and fourth ears. If ears are too wet to shell easily, dry them for a short period at no more than 70 degrees C, before shelling.

- Weight of all grain shelled from the third and fourth ears at time of moisture test
- Moisture content of shelled grain

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| Grams to Tenths | 404 | . ____ |
| Percent (One Decimal) | 405 | . ____ |

For small samples, use the formula on the back of this form for moisture percent

- Was the grain used for the moisture determination oven dried and/or wetted to enable processing of the sample?

YES – Enter code from below. **NO** – Enter code 4..

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| <p>1 = Sample was oven dried only 2 = Sample was wetted only 3 = Sample was oven dried AND wetted</p> |
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Lab Technician _____

Date Analyzed _____

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If the sample weight is too small for moisture test, sufficient grains of known moisture content (use same class and stage of maturity) will be added to the sample so that a moisture test can be made. The moisture content of the sample can then be derived using the following formula:

$$E = \frac{(A + B) D - (B \times C)}{A}$$

Where **A = Weight of small corn sample**

B = Weight of additional grain required for moisture test

C = Moisture percent of B

D = Moisture percent of A + B combined

E = Result : Moisture percent of small corn sample
(enter in item 4)

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