

PEABODY MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY  
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Date \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS/DESTRUCTIVE SAMPLING REQUEST

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*Telephone*

*Fax*

*Email*

1. Description of proposed sampling and testing procedure: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Purpose of this analysis: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. If the analysis involves damage to the specimens, could other, non-destructive analyses provide comparable information? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

If yes, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. List the specific specimens requested from the Peabody Museum, including catalogue or other identification number, provenance, and location of sample for each specimen. (*Attach a separate sheet if needed.*)

Cat/ID No.

Specimen/Provenance/Sample Location

5. Dates specimens are needed: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

6. Will any previous treatment affect the success of the proposed analysis? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, explain on attached sheet.

7. Will the analysis involve visible damage to the specimens? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Will the analysis result in chemical or other changes to the specimens? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Will the sampling or analysis alter the specimens in such a way as to affect the outcome of future analyses? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, how? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

8. Will the specimens be sampled? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, provide justification and details: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Who will take the sample? \_\_\_\_\_

How many samples are required from each specimen? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the size/weight of the samples requested? \_\_\_\_\_

Will the sampling be done at the Peabody Museum? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If no, where will the sampling be done? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Where will the analysis be performed?

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

10. Will the samples be completely destroyed? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Can the samples be reused? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Will the returned samples require special storage? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Is material being requested from other institutions? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If so, from which? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

12. Place and date of publication of results and testing, if known, or plans for publication: \_\_\_\_\_

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**TECHNICAL ANALYSIS/DESTRUCTIVE SAMPLING AGREEMENT**

The sample of \_\_\_\_\_ from the collections of the Peabody Museum of Natural History is provided for technical analysis/destructive sampling with the following conditions:

1. Usable samples and unused portions of specimens will be returned to the Peabody Museum so they can be retained for future use.
2. Resulting analytical data pertaining to the listed specimens, as specified below, will be provided to the Peabody Museum with a short summary report to become part of the specimen's permanent record. Such data, except published reports, shall remain confidential for a period of three years following the close of the original loan due date unless indicated otherwise in writing by the researcher. Data to be supplied: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Sampling methods and extent are thoroughly documented for each specimen according to guidelines provided by the appropriate division of the Peabody Museum.
4. Costs of the analysis are the responsibility of the researcher unless otherwise indicated in writing.
5. A copy of any publication that includes information resulting from the analysis of the specimens will be provided to the Peabody Museum.

RESEARCHER

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Researcher's signature\_\_\_\_\_  
Curator or curatorial designee\_\_\_\_\_  
Researcher's institution\_\_\_\_\_  
Date\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone

I waive the right to hold confidential the results of these analyses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date\_\_\_\_\_  
Researcher's signature