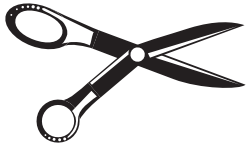
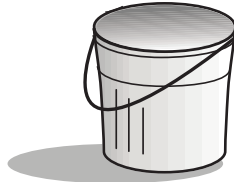




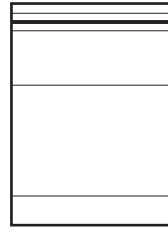
Tools Required:



Scissors



Clean Plastic Bucket

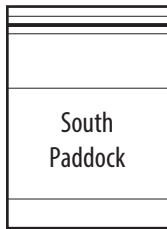


Sealable Plastic Bag (at least 1qt. size)

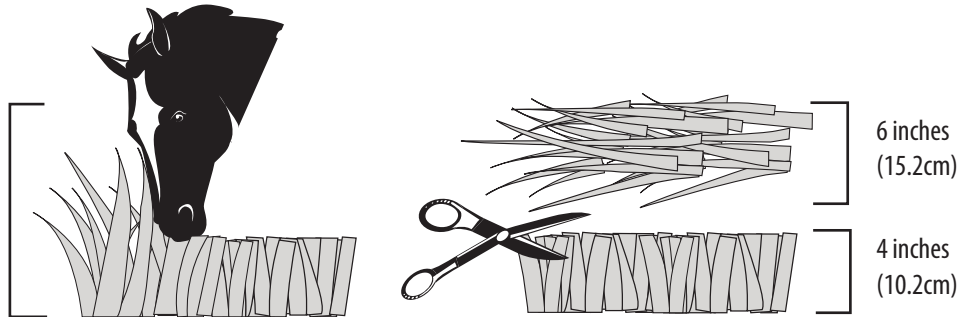


Ruler

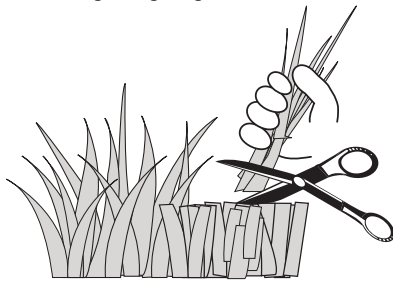
Step 1: Properly label plastic sample bags.



Step 2: Take tools to the pasture and determine grazing height. **Grazing Height = Height of Stubble Remaining After Grazing.** For example, if the height of the ungrazed area is 10 inches (25.4cm) and the horses are consuming only the top 6 inches (15.2cm), then the grazing height is 4 inches (10.2cm). Thus when you clip your sample, you should only be clipping the top 6 inches (15.2cm) for analysis.



Step 3: Randomly select 12-20 sites in the pasture and clip a handful of forage at grazing height.

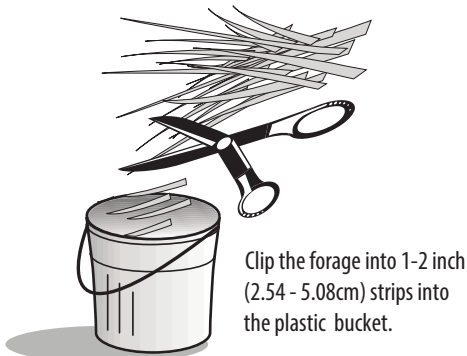


Step 4: When clipping is completed, mix the sample thoroughly in the bucket and pack the sample bag as full as possible.

Step 5: Freeze the sample overnight.

Step 6: Complete the paperwork and send the sample package to the lab.

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Clip the forage into 1-2 inch (2.54 - 5.08cm) strips into the plastic bucket.

