

# SWEET POTATO

Take first fully expanded leaf - usually the fourth or fifth leaf back from the growing point of the plant, or out from the crown of the plant. **BE SURE TO TAKE WHOLE LEAF & STEM (petiole), not just the leaf blade.**

Take at least **140 leaves**, randomly across the block. The part to be tested is the petiole, or leaf stalk.

If you require a Sap 4 comprehensive analysis please collect **twice** as many tops.

## Monitoring program

Begin when runners are 50 cm long, continue fortnightly to bulking up.



**1ST FULLY EXPANDED LEAF**

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## DIFFERENTIAL SAP ANALYSIS

Take first fully expanded leaf - usually the fourth or fifth leaf back from the growing point. BE SURE TO TAKE WHOLE LEAF & STEM (petiole), not just the leaf blade. This will become your NEW LEAF SAMPLE.

Take a fully expanded leaf from the outer edge of the plant. BE SURE TO TAKE WHOLE LEAF & SETM (petiole), not just the leaf blade. This will become your OLD LEAF SAMPLE.

### Monitoring program

Begin sampling when runners are 50cm long. Continue fortnightly to bulking up.



**NEW LEAF**

(1ST FULLY  
EXPANDED LEAF)

**OLD LEAF**