List of Environmental Laboratories for Soil Testing in Northern California

Laboratory	City	Website	Certified ELAP / NELAP?	Heavy metals	Pesticides	TPH	PAH	VOC	Asbestos	Soil Fertility	Courrier pickup
Datalab San Jose	San Jose	http://www.datalabsj.com/index.html	Yes	x		x	x				
Torrent Laboratory	Milpitas	http://www.torrentlab.com/	Yes	x	x	x	x				
UC Davis Analytical Lab	Davis	http://anlab.ucdavis.edu/	No	x						x	
Waypoint Analytical	San Jose	http://www.waypointanalytical.com/	No	x						x	
Caltest analytical laboratory	Napa	https://www.caltestlabs.com/Home.aspx	Yes	x	x	x	x			x	x
McCampbell Analytical, Inc.	Pittsburg	http://www.mccampbell.com/	Yes	x	x	x	x	x			x
Delavalle Laboratory, Inc.	Fresno	http://www.dellavallelab.com/index.html	Yes	x						x	
TestAmerica Inc.	Pleasanton	http://www.testamericainc.com/	Yes	x	x	x	x	x			x
Delta Environmental Laboratories	Benicia	http://deltaenvironmentallab.com/index.html	Yes	x	x	x	x	x			
Patriot Environmental Laboratory Services, Inc.	San Jose	http://www.patriotlab.com/	Yes	x (Lead in paint only)					x		
Curtis & Tompkins	Berkeley	curtisandtompkins.com/	Yes	x	x	x	x	x			x

Important considerations when working with an environmental lab:

-Talk to a lab about your project before collecting samples as they can help you defining your sampling plan and analytical program. Some labs also have specific requirements about how samples should be collected.

-Some labs send you containers for collecting samples at no cost

-Some labs offer a courrier service to pick up the samples on the project site at no cost.

-Before choosing an analysis, check if there is a screening level (SL) for this substance and how the substance needs to be reported to be compared with it. Ask your lab about it.

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