

Land use triggers for testing of contaminants in soils

Please note this list is not exhaustive and further tests may be required based on information provided.

LANDUSE ACTIVITY	CONTAMINANTS REQUIRED TO BE TESTED
Abrasive blasting	Heavy metals
Acid/alkali plant and formulation	Heavy metals, VOCs
Agricultural/horticultural activities	Hydrocarbons, heavy metals, pesticides, VOCs
Airports	Hydrocarbons, heavy metals, PFAS
Chemicals manufacture and formulation	Contact Council
Defence works	Contact Council
Dredging	Contact Council
Drum re-conditioning works	Hydrocarbons, heavy metals, VOCs
Dry cleaning	Hydrocarbons, heavy metals, VOCs
Electroplating	Heavy metals,
Engine works	Heavy metals, hydrocarbons
Explosives industry	Contact Council
Iron and steel works	Heavy metals
Landfill sites	Contact Council
Low lying coastal areas	Potential Acid Sulphate Soils Management Plan
Oil production and storage	Hydrocarbons, heavy metals
Paint formulation and manufacture	VOCs
Pesticide manufacture and formulation	Heavy metals, pesticides
Power stations	Contact Council
Scrap yards	Heavy metals, hydrocarbons
Service stations	Heavy metals, hydrocarbons
Sheep and cattle dips	Heavy metals, hydrocarbons, pesticides, VOCs
Tanning and associated trades	Heavy metals, VOCs
Waste storage and treatment	Contact Council
Wood preservation	Heavy metals, VOCs
Other	Contact Council

IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

To ensure you submit a valid application please note the following requirements:

- A minimum of 3 samples for quantities up to 75 m³ must be sent for lab analysis;
- Quantities greater than 75 m³ will require 1 sample per 25 m³;
- The certificate of analysis from a NATA accredited lab must be submitted with the request for disposal;
- Do not forward any other documents unless requested.