



MARIJUANA LICENSING UPDATES

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OLCC Recreational Marijuana Program Update
January/February 2017



THE FIRST YEAR (2016)

- ▶ Applications far outpaced estimates (originally estimated to be 800-1200 applications)
- ▶ Currently over 2000 applications submitted – and growing daily
- ▶ Processing started off slow, moved to a sprint by the end of the year
- ▶ # of staff processing applications: roughly 23-50 throughout the year
 - ▶ 11 marijuana regulatory specialists
 - ▶ 12 liquor and marijuana license investigators
 - ▶ 25+ liquor inspectors, policy analysts, managers and directors

APPLICATION STATS

WHERE WE'VE BEEN

JULY 11, 2016



SUBMITTED/PAID
APPLICATIONS:
1,139



ASSIGNED: 345
LOCAL GOV.
REVIEW: 274



LICENSES
APPROVED: 128

Producer (761)
Wholesale (65)

Laboratory (7)
Research (1)

Processor (92)
Retail (213)

APPLICATION STATS

WHERE WE ARE

JANUARY 31, 2017



SUBMITTED/PAID
APPLICATIONS:
2,030



ASSIGNED: 742
LOCAL GOV.
REVIEW: 202



LICENSES
APPROVED: 831

Producer (1,081)
Wholesale (134)

Laboratory (26)
Research (2)

Processor (227)
Retail (560)



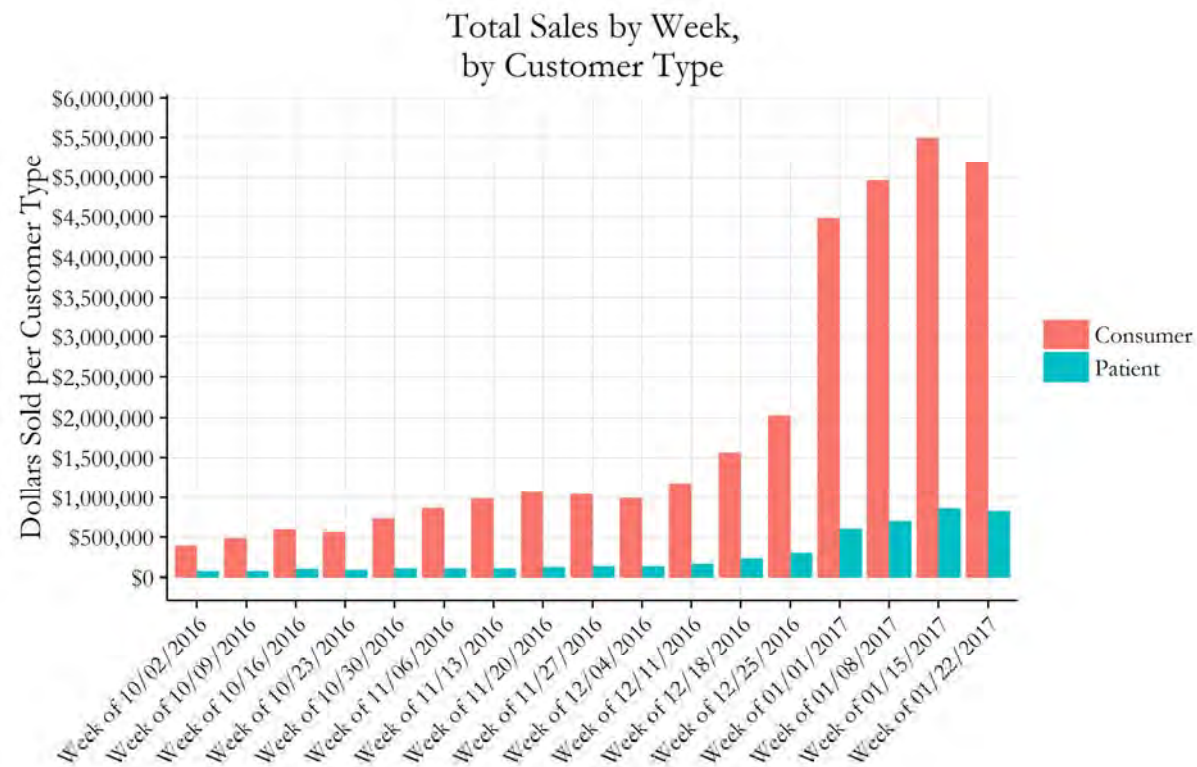
APPLICATION STATS

- ▶ From September 15 to January 27 = approximately 600 approved licenses
- ▶ From September 15 to January 27 = approximately 700 new applications

Status of Applications by Type

	License Active	Approved Not Paid	Assigned	Ready For Assignment	Without Approved LUCS	Grand Total
Laboratory	20	0	3	0	3	26
Processor	60	6	99	22	40	227
Producer	397	20	418	143	103	1081
Retailer	312	4	180	18	46	560
Wholesaler	42	10	42	19	21	134
Research	0	0	0	0	2	2
Grand Total	831	40	742	202	215	2030

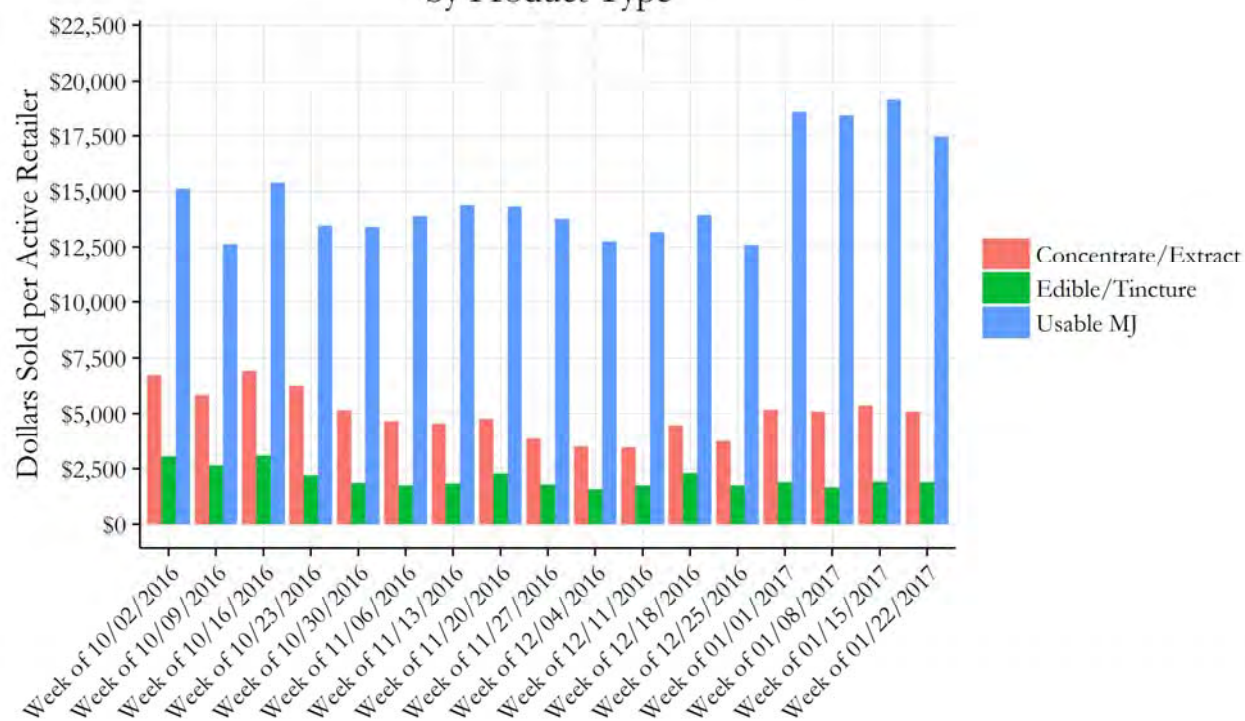
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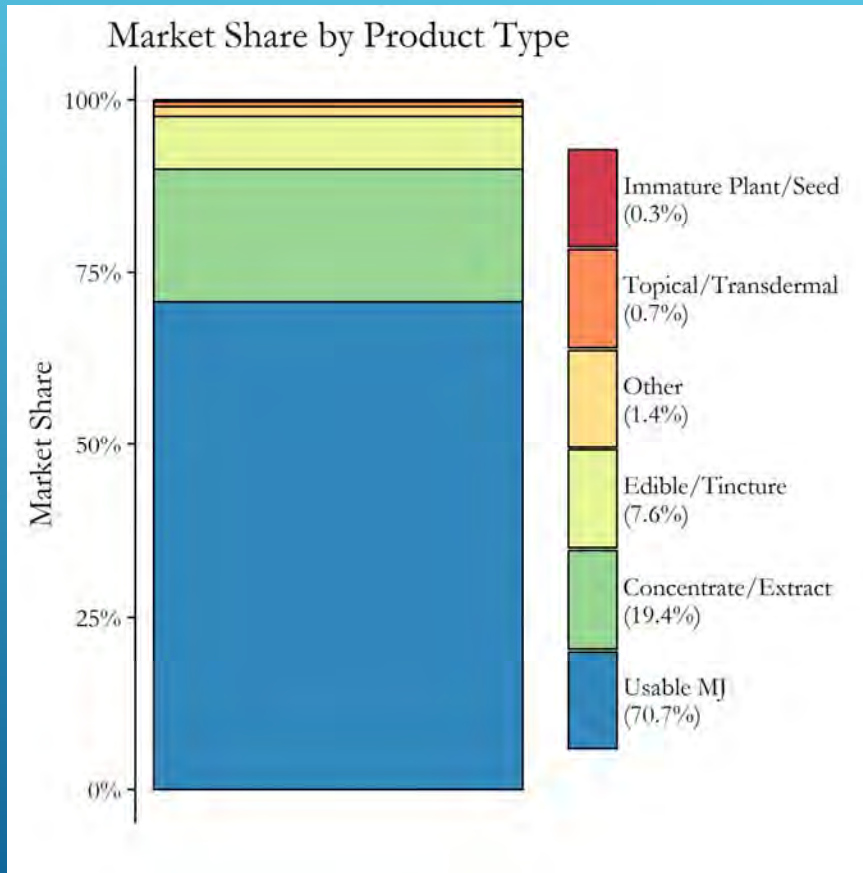
MARIJUANA SALES



Sales per Active Retailer by Week,
by Product Type



MARKET SHARE



SHIFT TO COMPLIANCE



- ▶ Necessary

- ▶ Protect the integrity of the regulated system

- ▶ Timely

- ▶ Serious Metrc data entry issues detected

- ▶ Result

- ▶ Licensing work will slow down
 - ▶ Most marijuana staff previously doing licensing work will be moving into compliance work
 - ▶ Extra staff will move back to their regular jobs
 - ▶ Approximately 12 staff will continue processing licenses statewide

RENEWALS

WHAT TO EXPECT



▶ Be patient

- ▶ The same staff that is processing renewals is also processing all new applications

▶ Help your investigators

- ▶ Create diagrams of complex business structures, provide clear drawings of any premises changes

▶ Renew Early

- ▶ Particularly if you are making changes to your business structure or premises
- ▶ Early or on time renewal applications can continue to operate, late renewal applications cannot, and will pay a late fee
- ▶ Help us spread out renewals work – benefits the agency and the industry



QUESTIONS ABOUT LICENSING PROCESS?

Email: marijuana.licensing@Oregon.gov

Call: 503-872-5207

Oregon Recreational Administrative Rules



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Licensee Education – January/February 2017

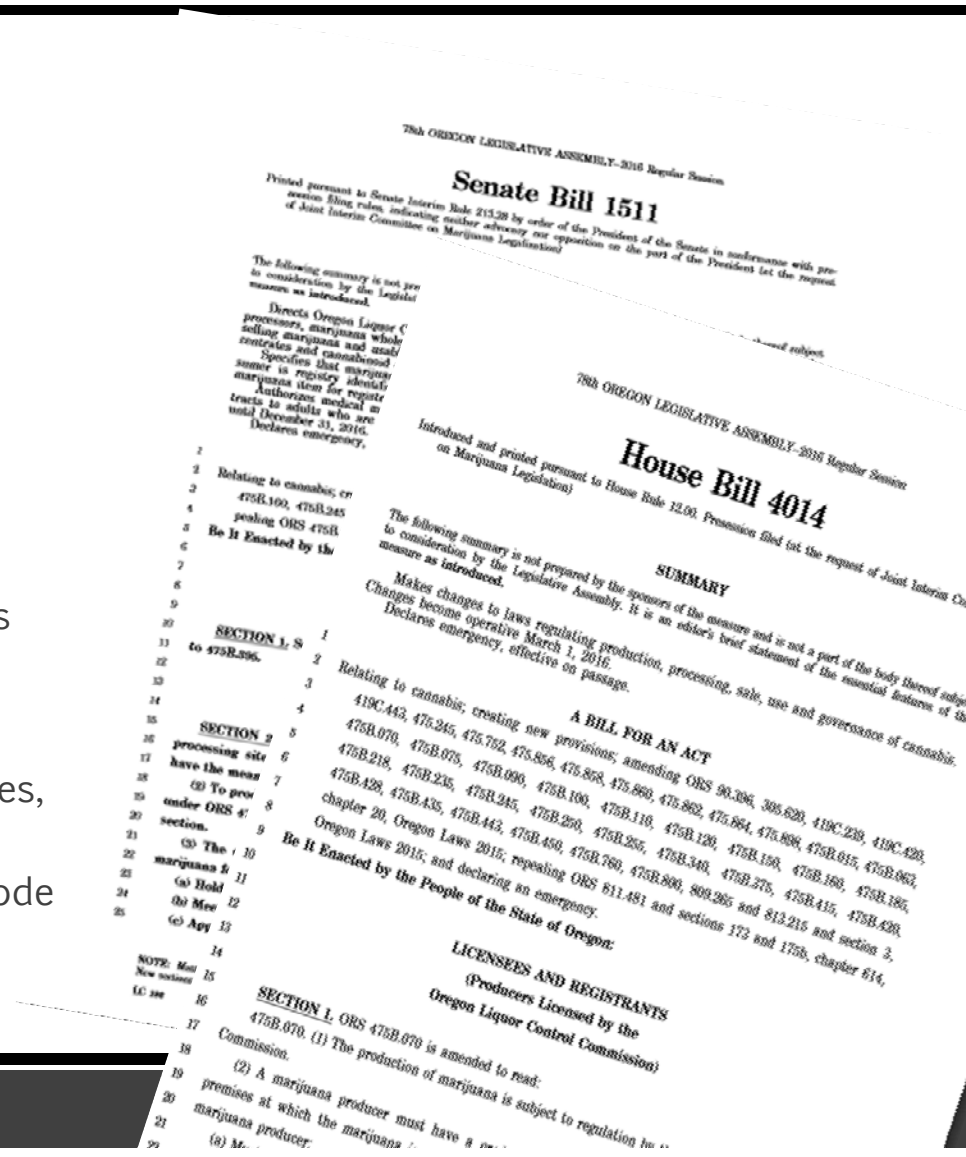
OLCC'S MISSION

Support businesses, public safety,
and community livability
through education and the enforcement
of liquor and marijuana laws.



State Law and Responsible State Agencies

- **M91** (November 2014)
- **Statutes:** ORS Chapter 475B
- **Administrative Rules** OAR Division 25
- **Oregon Liquor Control Commission** (OLCC): recreational marijuana businesses and worker permits
- **Oregon Health Authority** (OHA): medical marijuana activities/businesses, testing standards and requirements
- **Oregon Department of Revenue** (DOR): tax collection
- **Oregon Department of Agriculture** (ODA): commercial kitchens, scale certification, certain food handling activities, pesticides
- **Local jurisdictions:** law enforcement, governing bodies, code enforcement



Recreational Marijuana

Agency Overview

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OLCC Accepting Recreational Marijuana License Applications



OLCC is now accepting applications for Recreational Marijuana Licenses. Prospective applicants are encouraged to use reference materials and tools available on this website to ensure their application is accurately submitted.

Apply online here: <https://apps.oregon.gov/OLCC/Marijuana/elicense>

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Recreational Marijuana Licensing

Marijuana License Application Statistics

Up-to-date report of applications received, organized by county of the proposed premises. Also includes a summary of total license applications.

Marijuana Licenses (as of 12/30/2016)

This is the list of currently approved recreational marijuana licenses.

[Approved Marijuana Licenses \(PDF\)](#)

[Approved Marijuana Licenses \(Excel\)](#)

[Approved Marijuana Licensed Retailers \(as of 12/30/16\)](#)

Recreational Marijuana Licensing Timeline

Important dates and milestones for implementation.

Online Application & Forms for Recreational Marijuana License

OLCC is now accepting recreational marijuana license applications through the online licensing system.

[Online Application](#)

[Licensing Forms and Documents](#)

Business Readiness Guidebook for Oregon Recreational Marijuana Operations

The guidebook is intended to provide applicants and licensees with knowledge and tools for establishing and operating OLCC-licensed recreational marijuana businesses.

Cities/Counties Prohibiting Licensed Recreational Marijuana Facilities

The list of cities or counties that have prohibited the establishment of licensed recreational marijuana producers, processors, wholesalers, and/or retailers.

Pesticides (Dept. of Agriculture - ODA)

[**ODA, OHA, OLCC Guidance on Pesticide Use**](#)

[ODA's Marijuana Overview](#)

[Cannabis and Pesticides](#)

[ODA News Release for Marijuana Pesticide Guidelist](#)

[ODA News Release: ODA issues stop sale and removal orders on 12 horticultural products](#)

Taxes (Dept. of Revenue)

[Dept. of Revenue News Release on Marijuana Tax](#)
[Marijuana Tax Implementation Timeline](#)



Public/Consumer Resources

Map of Recreational Marijuana Retailers and Laboratories

An interactive map of OLCC-licensed marijuana retailers and testing laboratories, including boundaries of cities and counties, including those that prohibit some or all recreational marijuana license types.

Recreational Marijuana Sales

Limited amounts of recreational marijuana are now available for purchase through medical marijuana dispensaries to adults 21 and older. The Oregon Health Authority has regulatory oversight of recreational marijuana sales through medical dispensaries.

[June 2, 2016 Expansion of Limited Retail Marijuana Products](#)

[Registered Medical Marijuana Dispensaries](#)

[Frequently Asked Questions About Early Sales](#)



State Agencies Regulating Marijuana

This infographic shows which state agency to contact with your questions about marijuana in Oregon.

[State Resources by Topic - Infographic](#)



What's Legal: Educate Before You Recreate

Recreational marijuana is now legal in Oregon. Adults 21 and older can legally possess and use recreational marijuana, but there are limits. It's important to know what's legal and what's not. Go to whatslegaloregon.com for more information.

[Fact Sheet - Consumption, Gifting, and Giveaways](#)



Medical Marijuana (Oregon Health Authority)

[Medical Marijuana Program \(OMMP\)](#)

[Medical Marijuana Dispensary Directory](#)

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Poison Control Help

[Oregon Poison Control: 1-800-222-1222](#)

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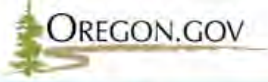
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Medical Marijuana Program (OMMP)

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Public Health > Diseases and Conditions > Chronic Diseases > Medical Marijuana Program (OMMP)

Marijuana Testing Requirements

Please note: The information provided here is only a brief summary of the testing rules. There are additional requirements that you must comply with. Visit [OMMP's rules page](#) to review the full testing rules.

As of October 1, 2016, all marijuana items must be sampled and tested according to OAR 333-007-0300 to 333-007-0490 and OAR 333-064-0100 to 333-064-0110.

The Oregon Health Authority (OHA) is responsible for *Cannabis* testing rules that apply to both the medical and retail market. Any marijuana or marijuana product intended to be sold at a dispensary or retail shop must have been sampled and tested according to the testing rules.

- [What the new testing requirements mean](#)
- [View the testing requirements](#)
- [Failed test guidance](#)

Quick Links

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[Oregon Medical Marijuana Program](#)

Overview of testing requirements

For All Medical Registrants and Retail Licensees

On and after October 1, 2016, any laboratory that tests marijuana items must be accredited by ORELAP and licensed by OLCC. Only [accredited and licensed laboratories](#) may sample and test marijuana items.

All marijuana items transferred or sold to a dispensary or retail shop must be accompanied by documentation of passing test results. Documentation may include a marijuana product passing process validation.

For OHA Medical Dispensaries and OLCC Retail Shops

On and after October 1, 2016, a dispensary or retail shop may continue to sell marijuana items that were not sampled and tested by an accredited and licensed laboratory if:

- The items were transferred to the dispensary or retailer before October 1, 2016;
- The items comply with the concentration limits, labeling and packaging rules found in division 7 of the rules; and
- The items are labeled with a label that reads "DOES NOT MEET NEW TESTING REQUIREMENTS" in 12 point font, and in bold, capital letters.

An OHA dispensary will only be allowed to sell these products to patients, caregivers and consumers until January 1, 2017.

An OLCC retail shop will be allowed to sell these products until March 1, 2017.



OLCC Administrative Rules – Division 25

- Definitions
- Application Process
- Security
- Health
- Producers
- Retail
- Processor
- Wholesale
- Labs (majority of rules with OHA)
- Research
- Workers Permit
- Testing (majority of rules with OHA)
- Packaging
- CTS
- Transportation
- Waste Disposal
- Advertising
- Compliance



Producers

Who can you sell and transfer product to?

- **Usable marijuana** to a processor, wholesaler, retailer, laboratory, non-profit dispensary, or research certificate holder;
- **Whole, non-living marijuana plants** that have been entirely removed from any growing medium to a processor, wholesaler, non-profit dispensary or research certificate holder;
- **Immature marijuana plants and seeds** to a producer, wholesaler, retailer or research certificate holder;
- **Marijuana waste** to a producer, processor, wholesaler, or research certificate holder



Producers

Who can you receive product from?

- **Immature marijuana plants and seeds** from a producer, wholesaler, or research certificate holder;
- **Marijuana waste** from a producer, processor, wholesaler, retailer, laboratory, or research certificate holder; and
- **Usable marijuana** you produced that has been **stored by a wholesaler** on your behalf.



Producers

Helpful Reminders

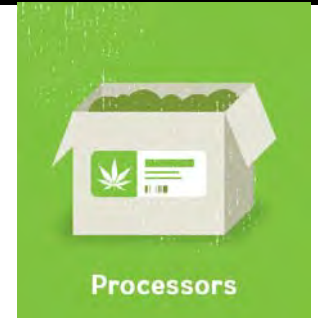


- You can establish a **new canopy size at recertification**, this includes adding mixed cultivation
- **ODA has a guide list** available on their website for pesticides that are labeled broadly enough to be used on marijuana. Please call or email ODA if you have questions about best practices or using pesticides on your crop
- Once you harvest you have **45 days to segregate your harvest into lots** and tag with METRC tags. It is very important you do this so your inventory is correct in the system

Processors

Who can you sell and transfer products to?

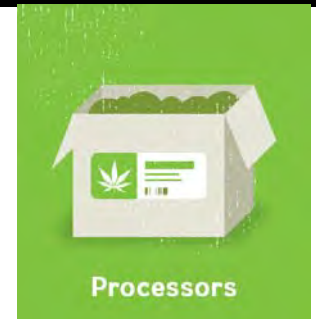
- **Cannabinoid concentrates, extracts, and products** for which you have an endorsement to a processor, wholesaler, retailer, non-profit dispensary, or research certificate holder; and
- **Marijuana waste** to a producer, processor, wholesaler, or research certificate holder.



Processors

Who can you receive products from?

- **Whole, non-living marijuana plants** that have been entirely removed from any growing medium from a producer, wholesaler, or from a research certificate holder;
- **Usable marijuana** from a producer, wholesaler, or from a research certificate holder;
- **Cannabinoid concentrates, extracts and products** from another processor with an endorsement to manufacture the type of product received, or from a research certificate holder;
- **Marijuana waste** from a producer, processor, wholesaler, retailer, laboratory, or research certificate holder; and
- **Cannabinoid concentrates, extracts, and products** you produced that have been stored by a wholesaler.



Processors

Helpful Reminders



- You need an **endorsement** for the type of processing you are engaging in (concentrates, extracts, edibles and/or topicals)
- **Testing** needs to be performed at the appropriate time even if you are vertically integrated
- To make **medical grade products** for sale at OLCC retail stores you need to have the medical grade form approved by OLCC
- You **cannot process CBD derived from hemp** at an OLCC licensed location

Retailers

Who can you sell or transfer to?

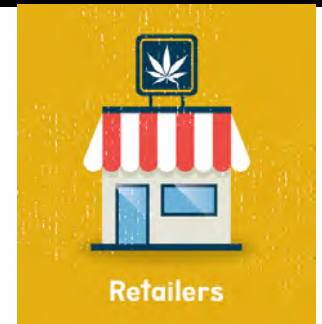
- **Marijuana items** to a consumer 21 years of age or medical card holders 18 years and older
- **Marijuana waste** to a producer, processor, wholesaler, or research certificate holder.
- **Return marijuana** items to a producer, processor or wholesaler who transferred the item to the retailer.



Retailers

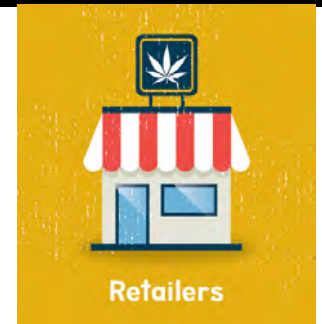
Who can you receive product from?

- Usable marijuana, immature marijuana plants, and seeds from a producer or from a research certificate holder;
- Cannabinoid concentrates, extracts, and products from a processor with an endorsement to manufacture the type of product received or from a research certificate holder;
- Any marijuana item, except for whole, non-living marijuana plants, from a wholesaler; and
- Any marijuana item from a laboratory



Retailers

Helpful Reminders



- Cannot sell or give away materials used for **home extraction**
- Cannot give **discounts if conditioned on sale of other items** (i.e. no “buy two joints, get the third 1/2 off”)
- Cannot sell without **verifying age** of every customer
- If selling a **hemp based CBD** item for human consumption it must be packaged, labeled and tested according to the rules
- Need to have **approval from the OLCC prior** to making any customer deliveries
- If selling **Medical Grade** products, you must verify the products are only being sold to OMMP cardholders

Wholesalers

Who can you sell and transfer to?



- **Any type of marijuana item** to a retailer, wholesaler, non-profit dispensary or research certificate holder,
 - whole, non-living marijuana plants may not be transferred to a retailer or to a non-profit dispensary;
- **Immature marijuana plants and seeds** to a producer;
- **Usable marijuana** back to the producer you were storing the usable marijuana for;
- **Usable marijuana, cannabinoid extracts and concentrates** to a processor licensee; and
- **Marijuana waste** to a producer, processor, wholesaler or research certificate holder.

Wholesalers

Who can you receive products from?



- Any type of marijuana item from a wholesaler;
- Cannabinoid concentrates, extracts, and products from a processor with an endorsement to manufacture the type of product received;
- Seeds, immature plants or usable marijuana from a producer;
- Whole, non-living marijuana plants that have been entirely removed from any growing medium from a producer; and
- Marijuana waste from a producer, processor, wholesaler, retailer, laboratory, or research certificate holder.

Wholesalers

Helpful Reminders

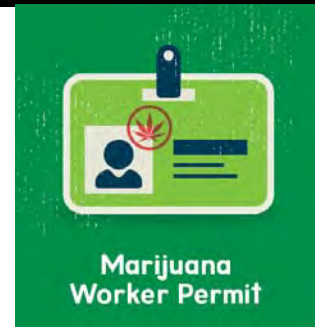


- Can **store and transport** on behalf of other licensees
- Hold **auctions** and sell product to other licensees

Marijuana Worker Permits

Who must have one?

- Originally, the statute required only those working in retail shops to have a permit (similar to an alcohol service permit)
 - In February 2016 the legislature expanded the requirement to **all employees of any licensee**
 - **Anyone** participating in the possession, securing or selling of marijuana, recording possession, securing or selling, verifying age of purchasers, or supervising any of these activities
- **Licensees are responsible** for making sure employees, even temporary, have a valid MWP and need to list all employees in METRC



Resources

Business Readiness Guide

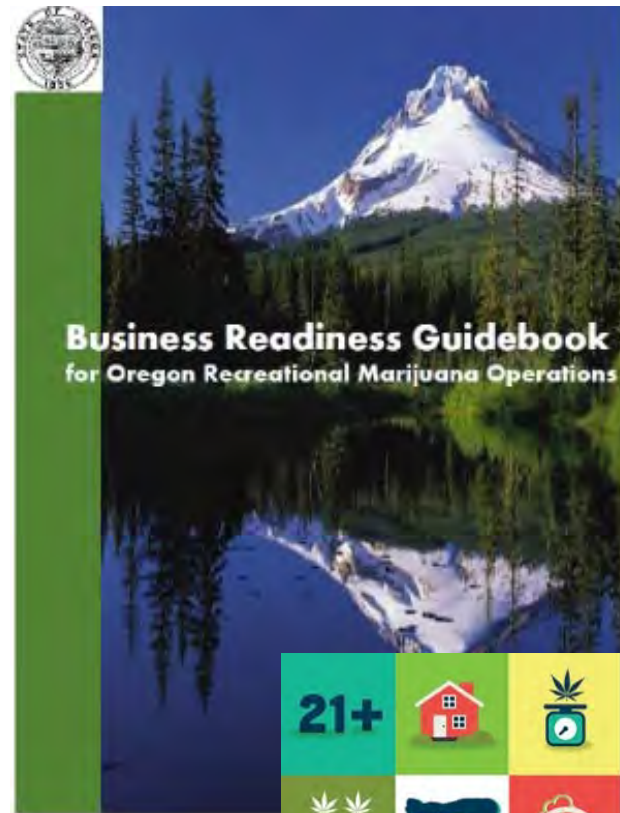
- Contains guidance on outside agencies, requirements
- Downloadable from OLCC website

www.marijuana.oregon.gov

What's Legal?

- Basic information on possession, limits, use

www.whatslegaloregon.com



Resources

State Agencies Regulating Marijuana

- Infographic on “who does what” downloadable from OLCC website

www.marijuana.oregon.gov

Coming early 2017

What's Legal? 2.0

- Legal business practices, retail sales, update on consumer responsibilities

Go Legal!

- B2B campaign to engage industry on value of licensed environment

Marijuana in Oregon:
State resources by topic

Types of common questions and suggested state resources to refer to for information.

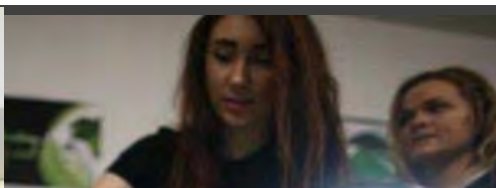
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AGRICULTURE <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pesticides• Weights and measures• Food safety AGENCY: Oregon Department of Agriculture	HAVE A QUESTION? ?	RECREATIONAL MARIJUANA <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Industry licensing• Cannabis Tracking System• Marijuana worker permits• Enforcement of licensed locations AGENCY: Oregon Liquor Control Commission
TAXATION <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Revenue forecasting and reporting• Legal deductions• Tax collection AGENCY: Oregon Department of Revenue	MEDICAL MARIJUANA <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Medical Marijuana Processor Registration• Medical Marijuana Dispensaries Registration• Cannabis Tracking System• Registered locations enforcement AGENCY: Oregon Health Authority	MORE INFORMATION <ul style="list-style-type: none">• what'slegaloregon.com• marijuana.oregon.gov

Oregon Liquor Control Commission:
Regulates the sale of recreational marijuana in Oregon. Works with local law enforcement and State Police to enforce the law.

Oregon Health Authority:
Oversees the medical marijuana cardholder registry for patients and regulates medical marijuana dispensaries, processors and grow sites.

Oregon Department of Agriculture:
Administers many programs that affect agriculture producers and processors. Programs could also affect cannabis production, processing, wholesale, and retail activities.

Oregon Department of Revenue:
Administers Oregon tax laws and collects taxes for more than 30 programs, including the recreational marijuana program.



METRC AND TESTING RULES

OLCC Recreational Marijuana Program Update

January – February, 2017

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General Reminders and Common Mistakes

- Harvest Lots must be created as a package in Metrc within 45 days of harvest
- Packages must be created out of a harvest or another package – don't create packages from nowhere!

Wrong!!

New Packages ✕

New Package # 1 (clear)


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Quantity Pounds ▼

Package Date 📅 today

☐ Production Batch



Create Packages Cancel

Right

Create Packages

New Package # 1

(clear)

New Tag

ABCDEF012345670000013608

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Item

Buds - Metrc Bliss

Q

Quantity

Calculated

Pounds

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Package Date

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today

☐ Production Batch

Harvest # 1

Blissful Harvest 1

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Quantity

10

Pounds

▼

+

(contents)

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Create Packages

Cancel

Changes to the OHA Testing Rules (for producers)

- Harvest Lots - no longer single-strain
 - "Harvest lot" means a specifically identified quantity of marijuana that is cultivated utilizing the same growing practices, harvested within a 48-hour period at the same location and cured under uniform conditions.

Changes to the OHA Testing Rules, cont'd



Test Type	Can sample from multiple batches?	Can be multi-strain?	Maximum size of combined batches
Moisture Content/ Water Activity	No	Yes	Cannot be combined
Potency	Yes	No	No maximum
Pesticides	Yes	Yes	10 lbs

OLCC “Limited Pesticide Testing” Temporary Rule (Usable Marijuana only)

- “Limited Pesticide Testing” is only applicable to OLCC producers
- OLCC rule coexists with OHA “combinability” rule – producers choose one option or the other depending on specific circumstances
- Minimum of one-third of batches within a harvest lot must be tested for pesticides
- 100% of batches must be tested for other required tests

Harvest lot size in pounds	Number of batches required for testing pesticides only	Number of batches required for all other required testing (every 10 lb batch)
0-30	1	3
31-60	2	6
61-90	3	9
91-120	4	12
121-150	5	15
151-180	6	18
181-210	7	21

Recommended Metrc Sampling Procedure

- Reminder: Labs physically take samples, but client licensee has to create the sample in Metrc
- Other methods of setting up samples possible if OLCC can verify all protocols/requirements met
 - Potency samples taken from packages of same strain
 - Pesticide samples come from batches that do not exceed 10 lbs
 - Water activity/moisture content samples are from single batch within harvest lot
- Labs required to file Sampling Protocol Plan with ORELAP

Harvest Lot 1

OG Kush

Harvest Lot 2

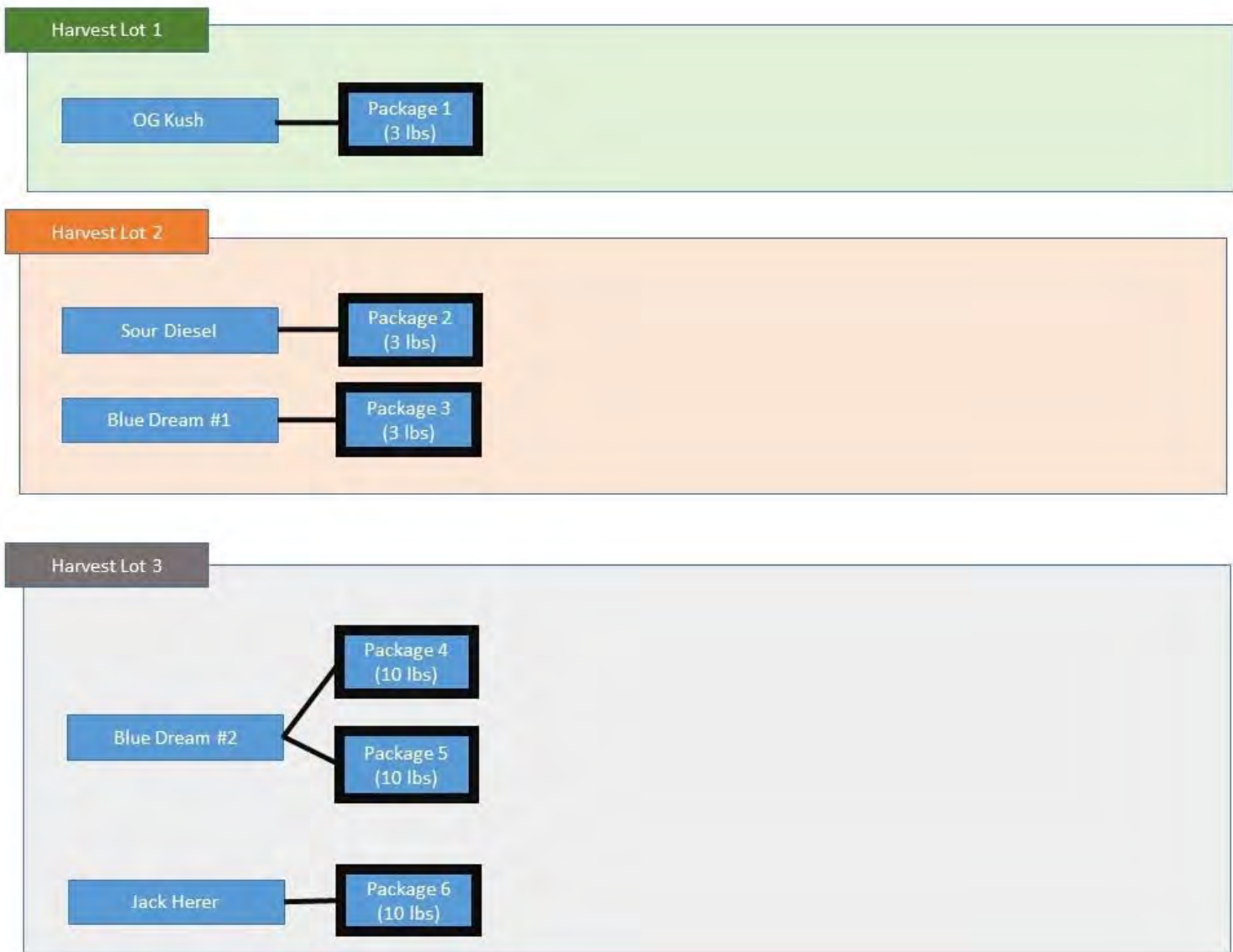
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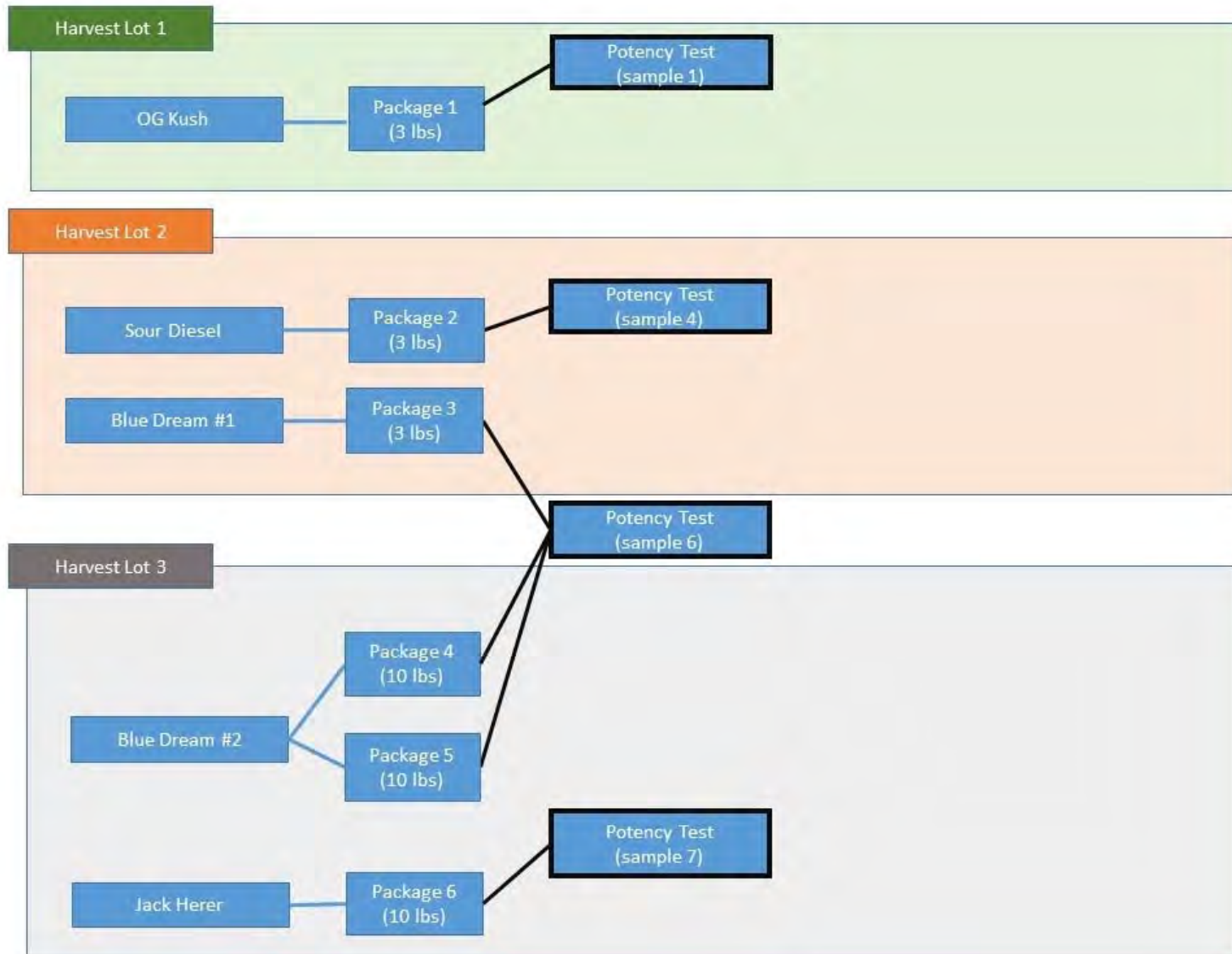
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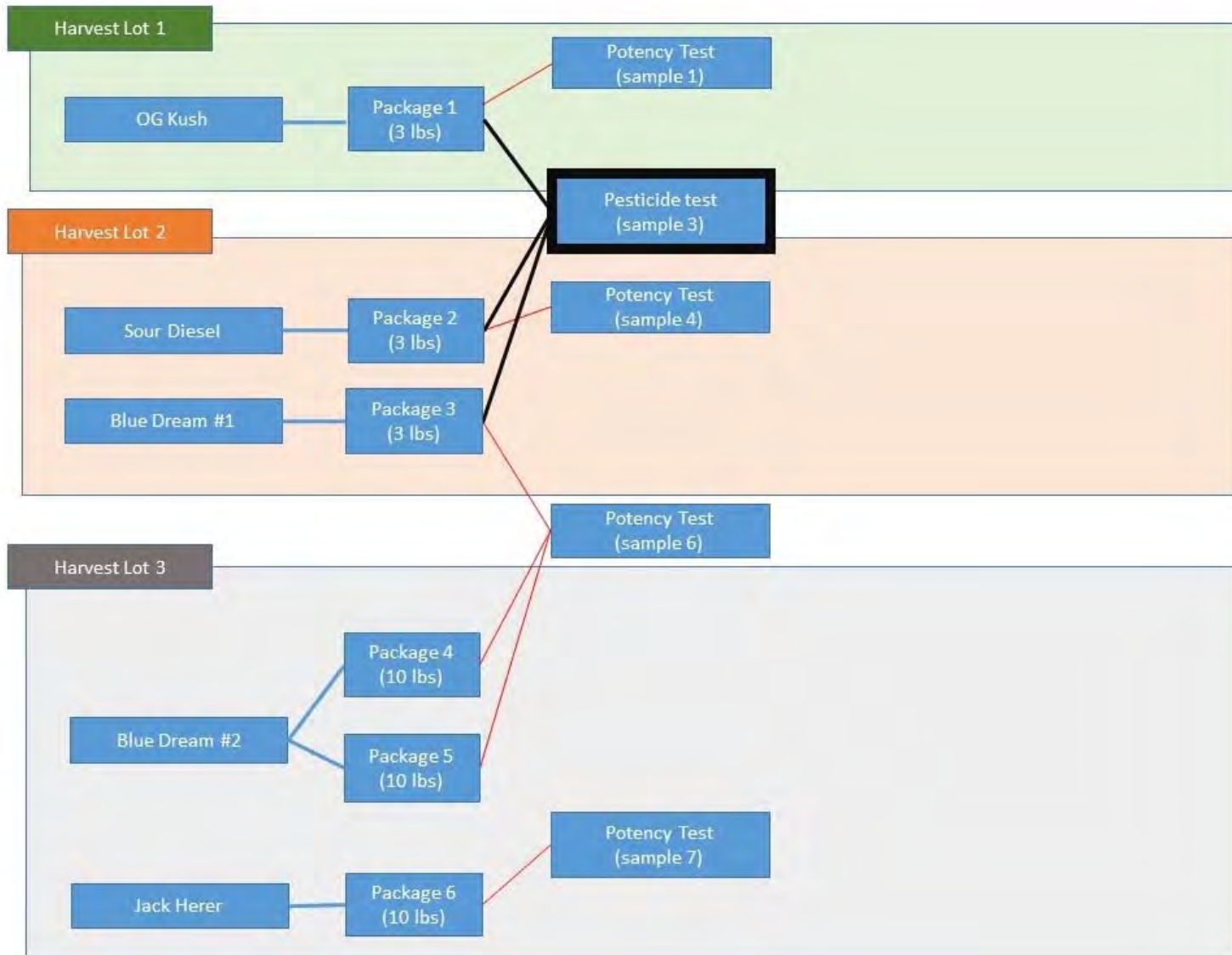
Harvest Lot 3

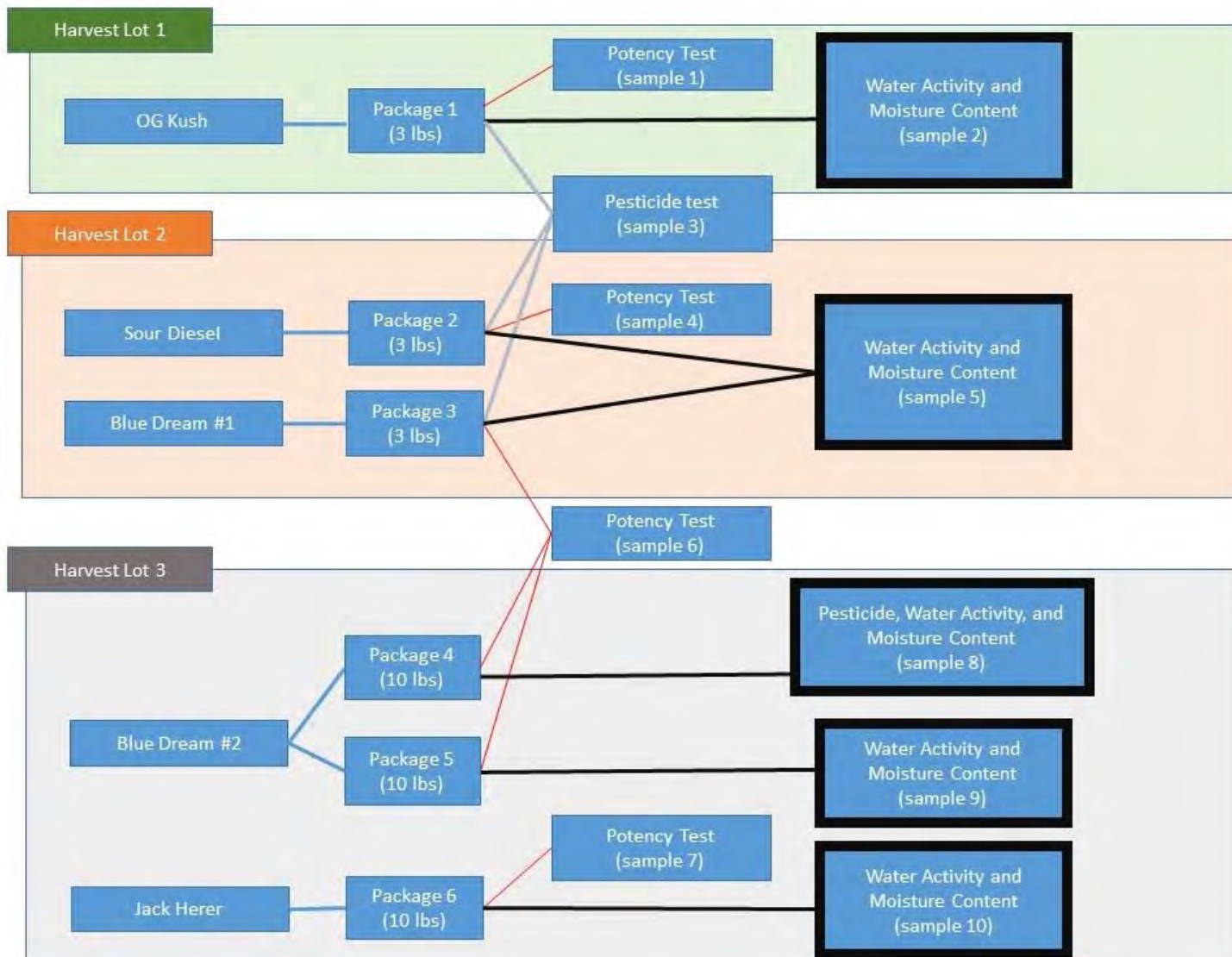
Blue Dream #2

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Questions?

Oregon's Bottle Bill

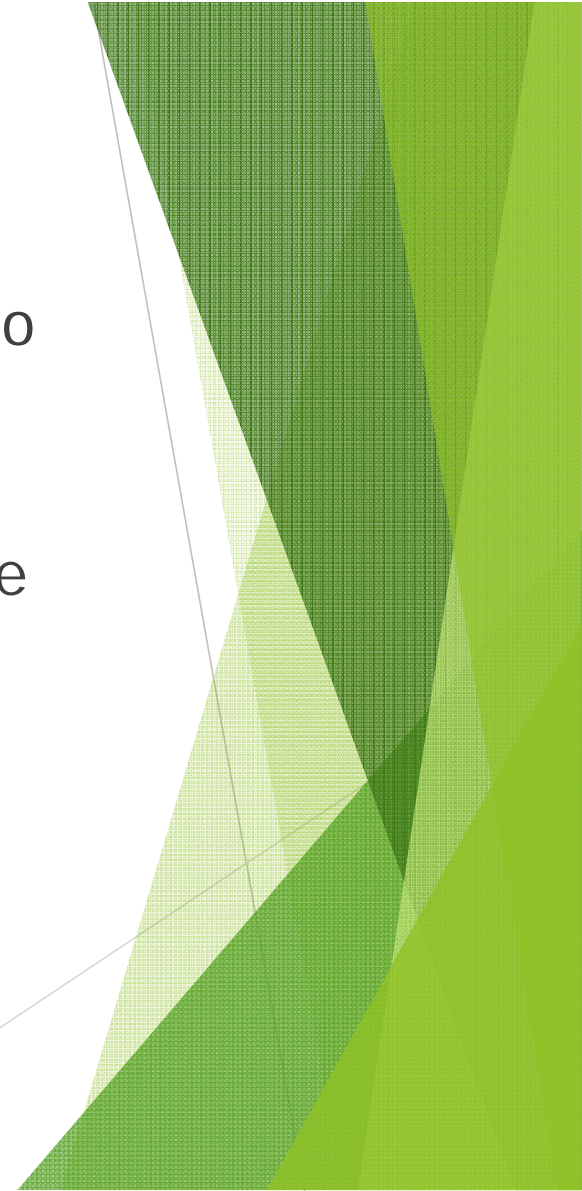
Becky Voelkel, Bottle Bill Program




► OLCC's Role:

The Oregon Legislature gave the OLCC authority to administer and enforce the Bottle Bill.

The OLCC is dedicated to the success of the Bottle Bill by working with distributors, retailers, redemption centers, and consumers to make sure they are complying with state laws.





► The following types of beverages in containers 3 liters and under are currently included in Oregon's Bottle Bill:

- Water (flavored, mineral, soda, etc.)
- Carbonated Soft Drinks
- Beer or other Malt Beverages

Any store that sells these beverages is required to redeem empty containers.

► Generally:

- Stores 5,000 sq ft or larger must redeem up to 144 empty containers per person per day.
- These stores may limit containers to the kinds (water, soft drinks, or beer) that they sell.
- Stores under 5,000 sq ft must redeem up to 50 empty containers per person per day.
- These stores may limit containers to the brands and sizes of beverages they sell.
- Stores in a redemption center zone have different requirements.
- Email to Bottle.Bill@Oregon.gov to see if your store is in a redemption center zone and how that affects your return requirements.

- ▶ April 1, 2017 refund value increase
 - The refund value for beverage containers covered under Oregon's Bottle Bill will increase from 5 cents to 10 cents beginning April 1, 2017.
 - Stores are not required to charge a deposit when they sell a covered beverage, but must redeem empty containers for 5 cents prior to April 1 and 10 cents beginning April 1.



► 2018 Expansion:

Beginning January 1, 2018, all beverages will be covered under the Bottle Bill **except**:

- Liquor
- Wine
- Dairy
- Plant-based milks
- Infant formula
- Other exemptions set forth in rule (TBD)

Water, soft drinks, and beer will continue to be covered in containers that are 3 liters or less in size.

The new beverages will be covered in containers from 4 ounces to 1.5 liters in size.

Beverages in cartons, foil pouches, and drinks boxes are excluded. Metal cans that require a can opener are also excluded from the 2018 expansion beverages.

► E-mail questions to:
Bottle.Bill@Oregon.gov



MARIJUANA PACKAGING & LABELING

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OLCC Recreational Marijuana Program Update

January – February, 2017



Information covered today

- Bottle Bill labeling information
- Labeling basics
- Changes in labeling rules
- Changes in packaging rules
- Pre-approval process information



Oregon Bottle Bill and Marijuana Labels



- Qualifying products must have “OR 10¢” beginning April 1, 2017 (water and carbonated soft drinks)
 - Licensees should prepare labels now so that they will be ready for April 1, 2017
- If your label has already been approved but you need to add the Bottle Bill information, email marijuana.packaging@Oregon.gov
 - **You do not need to reapply**
- If your label is not approved, your label must have the correct information before it will be approved.
- REMEMBER additional beverages will be covered under the Oregon Bottle Bill beginning January 1, 2018



Label vs. Package

Label = anything written or printed anywhere on the package, includes:



→ Logos



→ Pictures



→ Graphics

Package = the physical structure that holds the marijuana item NOT the information that is printed on it



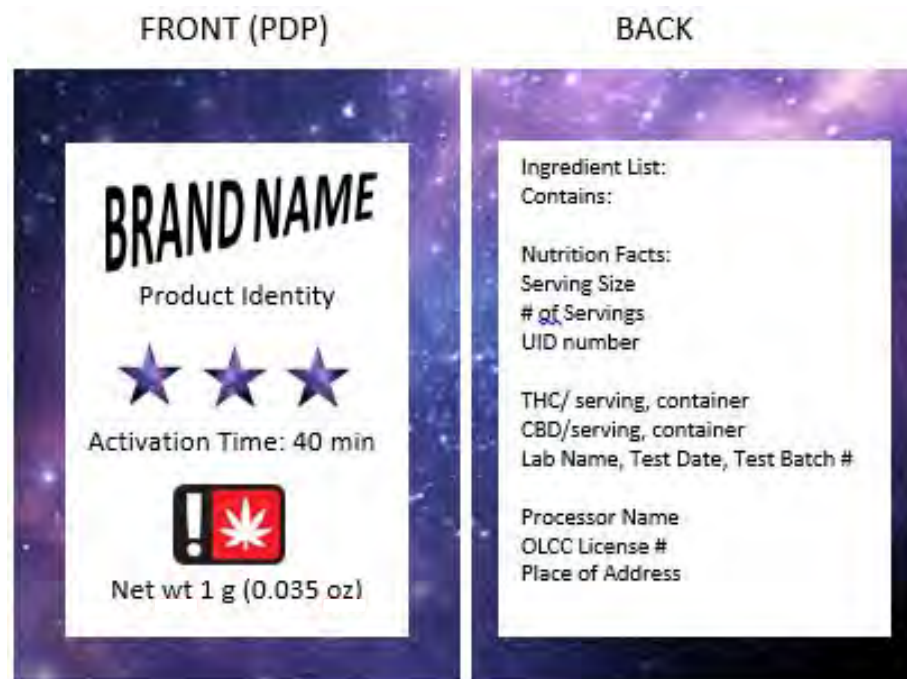
Generic Labels

- Only text required by rule and the universal symbol
 - Can use pictogram for activation time
- Generic labels do NOT need OLCC approval
 - No electronic submission is required
 - Submit generic label by email if you want to make sure it is compliant: marijuana.packaging@Oregon.gov



The label shown in this photo is a generic label. It contains no logos, pictures, or graphics.

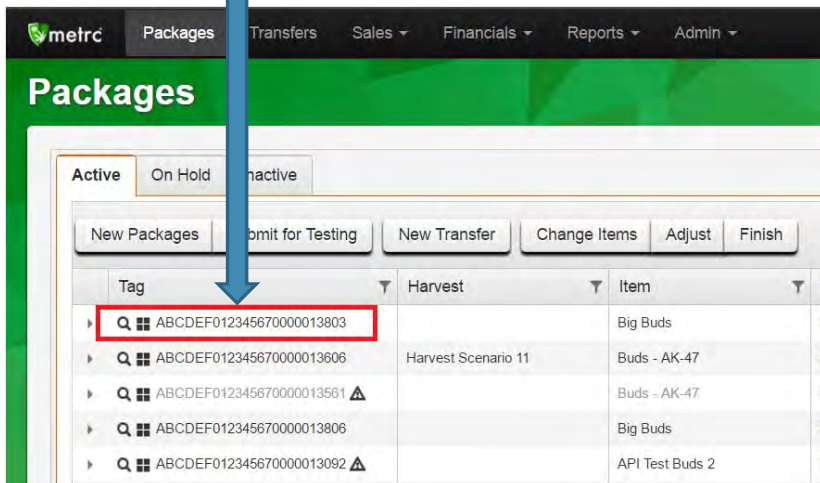
Is this a generic label?



No. This is not a generic label.

UID Number vs. Test Batch Number

UID Number – Metric tag number



Use the UID number at the time the product is being packaged and labeled.

Test Batch Number – number created by lab at the time of testing.

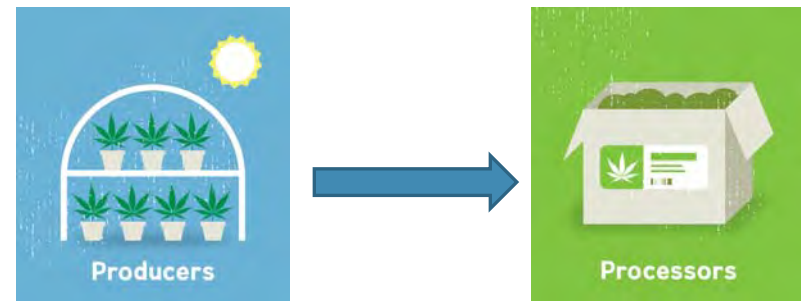
➤ Available on the lab test report.

Both the **UID** and the **test batch number** are required on the label



Bulk Transfers from Licensee-to-Licensee

- Licensees do not need to receive OLCC package and label approval for bulk products transferred to another licensee
 - All marijuana items must be packaged in shipping containers and labeled with a UID tag prior to transport (must also have a transport manifest, please see OAR 845-025-7700)
- Producers – may want to add harvest date to the label on bulk transfer products



RECENT CHANGES IN LABELING RULES

Small Container Labels

- OAR 333-007-0090(4)
- If your container is too small to fit all of the required label information you may have a label on the small container that includes at least the following:

- 1) Information on a principal display panel (net weight, product identity, and universal symbol);
- 2) Licensee business or trade name and license number;
- 3) UID number;
- 4) Concentration of THC and CBD; and

Must be in at least 6 point font

- 5) Required Warnings (depends on product type)

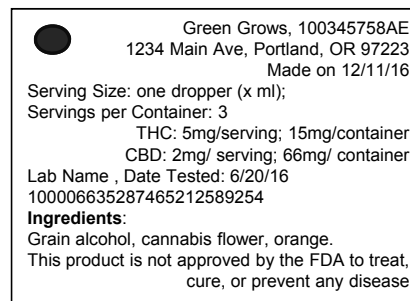
Must be in at least 8 point font

Small Container Labels Continued

- The rest of the required label information must be included in one of the following:
 - The inside of a peel-back or accordion label;
 - On a leaflet or hangtag; or
 - On an outer container (must include all label information)



Small Container Label
(not to scale)



Hangtag Label
(not to scale)

OR
(Not both)



Outer Container Label
(not to scale)

Cartridges

All cartridges must be labeled with the universal symbol

- The universal symbol must be at least 0.48 inches wide by 0.35 inches tall.



Strain Names

- Words that refer to products that are commonly associated with minors or marketed by minors are prohibited, including some commonly used strain names.
 - Includes strain names that refer to cartoon characters, or are names associated with toys and games marketed to or by children

Prohibited Strain Names:

Girl Scout Cookies, Grape Ape, Candyland, Charlotte's Web, Cinderella, Dr. Who, Bubblelicious, Smurf, Bruce Banner, Death Star, Skywalker, Jedi Kush, LSD, or Blow.



CHANGES IN PACKAGING

Resealable or Single-Use?

Resealable and Continually Child Resistant

- All extracts and concentrates and any cannabinoid products that contain more than 15 mg of THC



Single-Use Child Resistant

- Usable marijuana and cannabinoid products that contain 15 mg of THC or fewer



CONCENTRATION LIMITS VS. PURCHASE LIMITS

Concentration Limits

The amount of THC a product can have in each serving and in the package

Retail Concentration Limits

Type of Item	Max THC per Serving	Max THC in Container
Edibles	5 mg	50 mg
Topicals	N/A	6%
Tinctures	N/A	1,000 mg
Capsules	10 mg	100 mg
Concentrates and Extracts	N/A	1,000 mg
Other	N/A	1,000 mg



Each square is limited to 5 mg THC and the container cannot have more than 50 mg THC.

Purchase limits

The amount of marijuana a consumer can buy at one time and in one day.

- Cannabinoid products are edibles, topicals, tinctures, and capsules
 - 16 ounces of these products in solid form
 - 72 fluid ounces of these products in liquid form
- Usable marijuana
 - One ounce to recreational consumers
 - 24 ounces to patients and caregivers
- Concentrates and Extracts
 - 5 grams, whether sold alone or in an inhalant delivery system
- Four Plants and Ten Marijuana Seeds

Solid cannabinoid products



Liquid cannabinoid products



Usable marijuana



Concentrates and Extracts



PRE-APPROVAL PROCESS CHANGES

Pre-Approval Process

March 2017

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

- No refunds of application fee
- If application is not compliant when submitted a second time, the application will be denied starting on March 1, 2017.
- Wholesalers and Retailers – if you receive a marijuana item that is not packaged or labeled in accordance with the rules, you must notify the Commission and return the marijuana item to the licensee who transferred the item to you.
 - It is a violation to sell a marijuana item that is not packaged and labeled correctly. OAR 845-025-7040.

QUESTIONS ABOUT PACKAGING OR LABELING?

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