

Bulletin Number: VA_IB_0003	Distribution Date: 07/08/2025	Effective Date: Ongoing
Contact Point: Metrc Support	Subject: Item Chart, Transfer Types, Preroll Items, Item Category Updated Guidance	
Reason: Metrc provides guidance on three areas of focus: item categories and related lab test batch requirements, transfer types, and preroll items.		

Greetings,

Metric, in conjunction with the Virginia Cannabis Control Authority (CCA), are pleased to provide guidance on four areas of focus:

1) Item Chart

The CCA and Metric have constructed an item chart that lists the required testing for the available Item Categories in the Metric software.

2) Transfer Types

Available transfer types and use cases for each.

3) Prerolls and Infused Flower Apply to Patient Flower Limit

Raw Prerolls, Infused Prerolls, and Infused Flower item categories will pull from patient allotments for flower in Metric.

4) Infused Flower (Bulk) & Raw Plant Material (Bulk)

As of Friday 7/11/2025, the following new item categories and lab test batches will be available in Virginia Metric.

- Lab Test Batch for "Raw Plant Material – Bulk"
- New Item Category and Lab Test Batch for "Infused Flower (Bulk)"
- New Item Category and Lab Test Batch for "Infused Flower (Each)"

Please read on for additional information.



Item Chart

Please review the item chart below.

- The left column displays where the product should be in its lifecycle as well as some common names of items in that category.
- The middle column lists the available item categories for the stage of the product
- The right column contains the Lab Test Batch for required testing for that corresponding product in the row.

Production Stage / Example Product	Item Category in Metric	Lab Test Batch & Required Testing
Raw Plant Material – Final Form		
	· Bud/Flower (each)	· Metals
	· Shake/Trim (each)	· Microbials
		· Moisture Content
		· Mycotoxins
		· Pesticides
		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
		· Terpenes
		· Water Activity
Raw Plant Material – Bulk (Available 7/11)		
	· Bud/Flower Bulk	· Metals
	· Shake/Trim Bulk	· Microbials
	· Wet Whole Plant	· Moisture Content
		· Mycotoxins
		· Pesticides
		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
		· Terpenes
		· Water Activity
Raw Prerolls		
	· Raw Prerolls	· Metals
		· Microbials
		· Moisture Content
		· Mycotoxins
		· Pesticides
		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
		· Terpenes
		· Water Activity

Production Stage / Example Product	Item Category in Metric	Lab Test Batch & Required Testing
Concentrate/Extract – Bulk		
· Oil (Vape Oil)	· Concentrate Bulk	· Metals
· Live Resin		· Microbials
· Rosin		· Mycotoxins
· Hash		· Pesticides
· Shatter		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
· Budder		· Solvents
· Crumble		· Terpenes
· Wax		
· Caviar		
· Kief		
· Distillate		
Concentrate/Extract - Final Form		
· Oil (not Vape Oil)	· Concentrate (each)	· Metals
· Vape Cartridge		· Microbials
· Live Resin		· Mycotoxins
· Rosin		· Pesticides
· Hash		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
· Shatter		· Solvents
· Budder		· Terpenes
· Crumble		
· Wax		
· Caviar		
· Kief		
· Distillate		
Infused Flower - Bulk / Final Form (Available 7/11)		
· Infused Flower	- Infused Flower (Bulk) - Avail 7/11	· Metals
· Moonrocks	- Infused Flower (Each) - Avail 7/11	· Microbials
		· Moisture Content
		· Mycotoxins
		· Pesticides
		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
		· Solvents
		· Terpenes
		· Water Activity

Production Stage / Example Product	Item Category in Metrc	Lab Test Batch & Required Testing
Infused Prerolls		
· Infused Prerolls	· Infused Prerolls	· Metals
		· Microbials
		· Moisture Content
		· Mycotoxins
		· Pesticides
		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
		· Solvents
		· Terpenes
		· Water Activity
Infused Edibles - Bulk / Final Form		
Including but not limited to:	· Edibles Bulk	· Metals
· Cookies	· Edibles	· Microbials
· Cakes		· Mycotoxins
· Brownies		· Pesticides
· Gummy products		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
· Chocolates		· Solvents
		· Terpenes
Infused Non-Edible - Bulk / Final Form		
· Topicals	· Infused Non-Edible (Bulk)	· Metals
· Suppositories	· Infused Non-Edible	· Microbials
	· Topicals	· Mycotoxins
	· Topicals Bulk	· Pesticides
		· Potency/Cannabinoid Profile
		· Solvents
		· Terpenes
Tinctures - Bulk / Final Form		
· Tinctures	· Tinctures	· Metals
	· Tinctures Bulk	· Microbials
		· Mycotoxins
		· Pesticides
		· Potency/Cannabinoids
		· Solvents
		· Terpenes

Transfer Types

There are several transfer types available in Metrc for licensees to document the movements of cannabis items. These transfer types are specific to Virginia Metrc and are determined by the CCA.

Note: When transferring packages within a colocated facility, licensees may use the **Integrated Facility Transfer** type.

Below is a guide on the available transfer types in Metrc:

Transfer Type	Require Transporter Info?	Use Case
Beginning Inventory	NO	ONLY for use during Beginning Inventory period
Hemp Extract Incoming	NO	Transfer in hemp extract for use in processing jobs
Testing Facility Transfer	YES	Transfer samples to testing facility for lab testing
Unaffiliated Transfer	YES	Transfer items between two unaffiliated facilities
Affiliated Transfer	YES	Transfer items between two affiliated facilities
Integrated Facility Transfer	NO	Transfer cannabis within a colocated (integrated) facility

Prerolls and Infused Flower Apply to Patient Flower Limit

Please note that items in the following item categories now apply to Patient Flower Limits when a patient sale is registered:

- Raw Prerolls
- Infused Prerolls
- Infused Flower (Each)

Infused Flower (Bulk) & Raw Plant Material (Bulk)

Please note that as of Friday 7/11/2025, there will be new item categories and associated lab test batches for “Infused Flower (Each)” and “Infused Flower (Bulk)”.

There is also a new Lab Test Batch for Raw Plant Material (Bulk) available beginning on Friday 7/11/2025.



Metrc resources

If you have any questions, or need additional support, the following resources are available:

Contact Metrc Support

By using the full-service system by navigating to [Support.Metrc.com](https://support.metrc.com), or from the Metrc System, click Support and navigate to support.metrc.com and it will redirect to the portal.

Please note: If accessing the portal for the first time, a username (which is established when logging in), the respective state and “Facility license number”, and a valid email to set a password are required.

Metrc Learn

Metrc Learn is designed to provide users with interactive, educational information on system functionality to expand skillsets and drive workflow efficiencies.

Accessing [Metrc Learn](#) is simple through the following convenient locations:

From within the Metrc system

Navigate to the Support area on the navigational toolbar and select “Sign up for Training” to register.

Access additional resources

In the Metrc system, click on the Metrc Expert icon and search for the appropriate topic or type in a question.

Thank you for your continued partnership.