

## RADON FAQ

The following are common questions to help the user better understand the Radon kits that have been purchased from Radon Measurements Lab (RML).

- How long does it take to receive a report? RML strives to provide some of the quickest and most scientifically accurate results in the industry. **Our turnaround time is typically within one business day, once the canisters are received. (Not including weekends.)**
- What type of kit should I purchase? How many kits should I purchase? The kits RML provides are grouped in a way that follow the current U.S. EPA and National Radon Proficiency Program (NRPP) protocols. These protocols were established by the EPA in 1993 and continued by the NRPP.
  - a. Home owners kit \$30.00- **A single initial air test for people who are not purchasing or selling a home. A follow up test is advised based on initial results (explained in your report after testing). This kit is placed in lowest lived in part of home.**
  - b. Real Estate Kit \$45.00- **Two air kits are placed 4" apart from one another for people who are wanting a real state report. These kits are geared towards individuals purchasing or selling a home. Kit is placed in lowest potentially habitable location.**
  - c. Water Kit \$40.00- **Designed to test a well water for Radon, if an individual's water source is from a well. (City Water is not typically tested for Radon.) It is not required, but strongly recommended that individuals measure indoor radon simultaneously along with the water. In that case, one will also need to purchase a Home Owners Kit.**
  - d. Alpha Track \$45.00- **Device to show long term trends of Radon. Can be placed between 90 days up to 1 year. This device is the only type of device that can be placed for more than 7 days. Excellent way to establish a "year-round radon concentration".**
  - e. Vector \$60.00- **Kit included 1 Homeowner (Short-term) and 1 Alpha Track (Long-Term). Best for determining the severity of the Radon levels within a home for both 48 Hour and 90 days up to one year. This way an individual can make a better-informed decision on the need for mitigation based on two types of testing procedure.**
  - f. The Trio \$65.00- **Kit includes 2 Radon in air and 1 water kit for individuals that are wanting to test both their homes air and well water simultaneously. This is advised if an individual is on a well water source. This kit is also designed for real estate transactions.**
    1. Note\* An individual may purchase as many or as few kits as they would like and test in as many locations as they want to. The above groupings simply make the standard protocols easier to follow and provide a discount for purchasing the real estate kit or "The Trio". All discounts are already built into pricing.
- What if I need to talk to someone? We have a certified Analytical Radon Provider on staff to help with any additional questions you may have. Please call 719-575-8484 and/or email the lab at [radonmeasurementslab@yahoo.com](mailto:radonmeasurementslab@yahoo.com) . Also, you can find more information through our website [www.radmlab.com](http://www.radmlab.com)
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