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- University of Minnesota DON Testing Lab computer showing DON quantification using GCMS solution software (version 2.5 Su1); photo submitted by Yanhong Don, University of Minnesota
- Photo demonstrating initial grain sample processing and weighing: Center - Kelly Benson, Chemist in NDSU-Veterinary Diagnostic Lab (VDL), sorting through samples coming into the lab; Right - Todd Singer, NDSU-VDL technician, weighing out samples; and Left - Quincey Faul, NDSU-VDL work study student, placing analyzed samples into a hazardous waste container in the chemical fume hood. Photo submitted by Michelle Mostrom, NDSU-Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory.
- Tyler Potts, Student Lab Technician in University of Minnesota's DON Testing lab, grinding grain samples using a Stein Mills (mode M-2) grinder under an exhaust hood; photo submitted by Yang-hong Dong, DON Testing Laboratory, University of Minnesota

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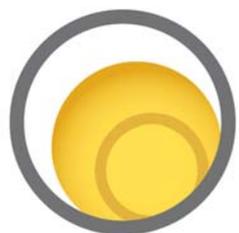
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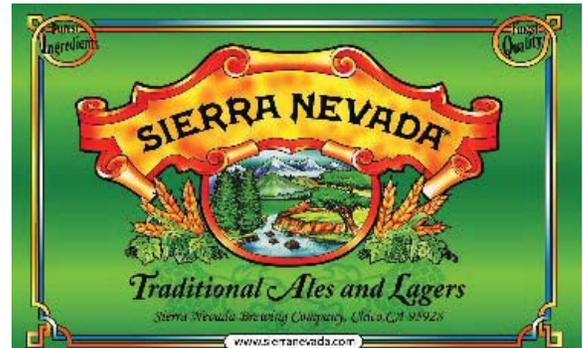
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