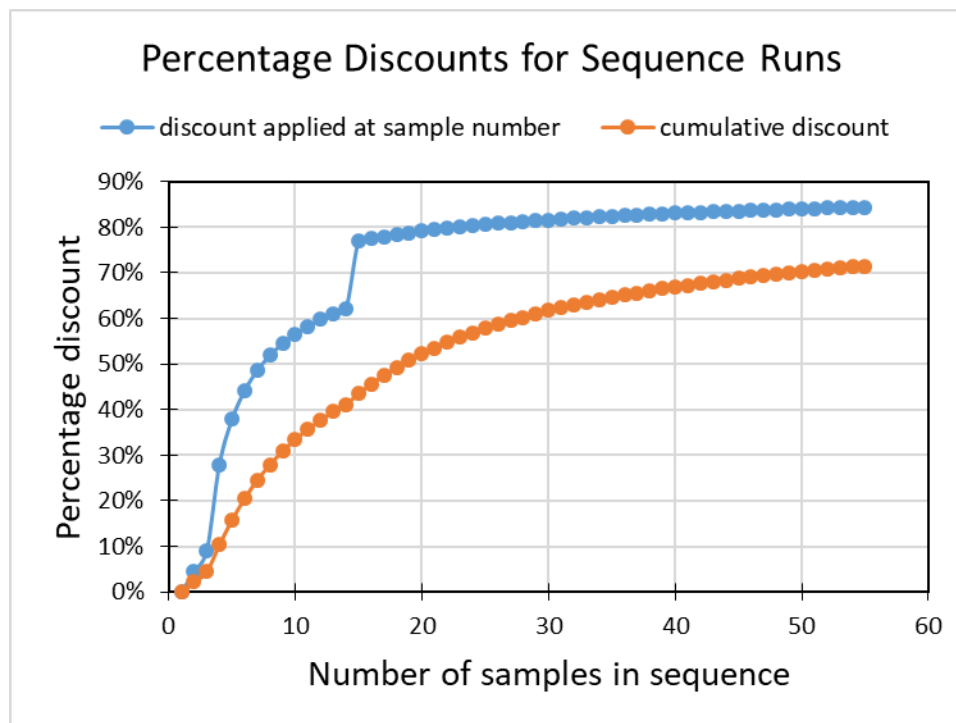




## Mass Spectrometry Facility Fee Discounts for Batch Sequences Effective January 2025 - <https://masspec.unm.edu/>

To encourage consolidation of samples that use the same LC/MS method/column – discounts are applied to batch runs. A batch is defined as samples run consecutively on a single sample table sequence. Blanks and QC re-injections are counted like samples.

For all customers the fee for the first 15 samples is based on a logarithmic decay starting with the base fee per sample on the MSF fee table (\$40/\$60/\$90). Above 15 the fee drops to (\$25/\$40/\$60) per sample, continuing the logarithmic decay function. This is illustrated in the following discount graph. For example, a customer submitting 20 samples, sample 20 receives a 79% discount while the overall sequence cost results in a 52% overall discount.



The following figures show the cost of various sequence sizes compared to the base fee (non-discounted). For example, a UNM batch of 40 samples would cost \$1600 using base fee LC/MS of \$40 per sample – but discounted as a single sequence cost is only \$529.

