Technical Information Sheet

Paton Native Plant Food Fertiliser

Paton's Native Plant Food is a low phosphorus, organically based blend that has been formulated to meet the specific requirements of a wide range of native plants.

It contains a complete range of essential nutrients and trace elements and may be used with confidence to feed the majority of Australian native plants including those that are sensitive to phosphorus.

Paton's Native Plant Food contains trace elements; zinc, iron, copper, boron, manganese and molybdenum.

Suitable for Banksias, Callistemon, Grevilleas, Eucalypts and Ficus as well as certain phosphorous loving plants.

Guaranteed Minimum	Analysis
TOTAL NITROGEN (N)	9.2%
- as ammonium	7.4%
- as organic	1.9%
TOTAL PHOSPHORUS (P)	2.2%
- as citrate soluble	1.1%
- as organic	1.1%
TOTAL POTASSIUM (K)	5.8% as sulphite
TOTAL SULPHUR (S)	13.8% as sulphate
TOTAL CALCIUM (Ca)	4.5%
TOTAL MAGNESIUM (Mg)	0.2% as sulphate



Pack size 20kg bags

Directions for use

- Apply to the drop zone of the plant and lightly work into the soil surface or cover with a good organic mulch.
- Be careful not to damage fine shallow surface roots as this may render them prone to fungal attack and fertiliser burn.
- Apply sparingly on potted plants as excessive fertiliser could cause burning relatively easily.
- It is much safer to apply small amounts on a regular basis.

Application Rate Table		
Situation	Rate	Comments
Small plants	50-70g per m ²	Apply 3-4 times each year. Feeding during the months of August, October, December and March will give best results.
Large plants	100-150g per m ²	In sandy soils use approximately half the recommended application but feed more regularly. This will prevent excess nutrients leaching into the environment and provide more nutrients to the plant.

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