



Made in Eugene, Oregon

Vegetable Garden is full of powerful plant nutrition to help your garden grow! Its all-purpose formulation provides a perfect start for your sprightly spring veggies, gives your summer tomatoes super-powers and is fantastic for growing your favorite fragrant herbs. A versatile mix for backyard gardens and hobby farms, Vegetable Garden's broad nutrient profile is ideal for use throughout the growing season. Grow and Eat Your Veggies!

# **GUARANTEED ANALYSIS**

TOTAL NITROGEN (N) 4.0% 0.2% Water Soluble Nitrogen 3.8% Water Insoluble Nitrogen 0%

AVAILABLE PHOSPHATE (P,O,)	4.0%
SOLUBLE POTASH (K,O)	4.0%
CALCIUM (Ca)	6.0%
MAGNESIUM (Mg)	1.0%

1.0% Water Soluble Magnesium IRON (Fe) 0.4%

### **APPLICATION RATES**

2.5 cups  $\approx$  1 lb;  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup  $\approx$  3.2 oz; 1 tbsp  $\approx$  0.4 oz

Vegetable & Herb Gardens: To prepare new gardens, apply 3-6 lbs per 100 square feet and thoroughly mix into the top 3" of soil. For new transplants, add 1-2 tbsp per hole, mix into soil and water in well. To feed established plants, side dress 2-4 oz, depending on plant size and desired growth rate, once each month during the growing season.

**Containers:** For new plantings, add 1-2 tbsp per gallon of soil and mix thoroughly **OR** add 5-10 lbs per cubic yard. For established plants, lightly mix 1-2 tbsp per gallon into the soil surface once each month during the growing season.

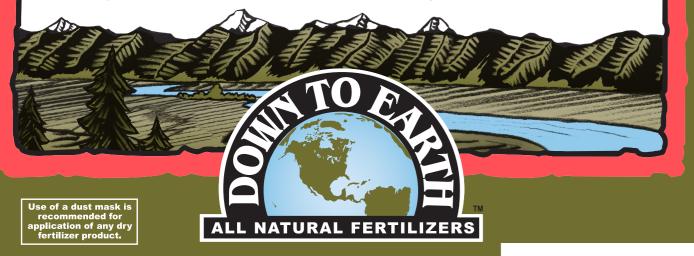
**Trees & Shrubs:** Spread 1 lb per 1" of trunk diameter around the base outwards to the drip line, mix into soil surface and water in well. For new trees, prepare transplant hole and mix 1-2 cups with the backfill soil. Use amended soil to fill in around the new tree and water in well.

## WHAT IS "N-P-K"?

NITROGEN (N) - Nitrogen is necessary for lush, green, leafy growth. An excess, however, will promote vegetative growth at the expense of fruit or flowers. Nitrogen is generally applied at higher concentrations in early growth stages. Use Down To Earth Bat Guano, Blood Meal or Feather Meal.

PHOSPHORUS (P) - Phosphorus will promote big, bright blooms and enhanced fruit production. Phosphorus is essential for fruiting, flowering, strong root growth and quality seed development. Use Down To Earth Fish Bone Meal or Seabird Guano.

**POTASSIUM (K)** - Potassium, or Potash, helps produce strong sturdy plants and quality fruit. Potassium naturally increases a plants resistance to all types of stress and is vital for cell growth and carbohydrate metabolism. Use Down To Earth Kelp Meal or Langbeinite.







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