



APPLICATION HINTS:

Apply to the drip 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.

IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Always water fertiliser well immediately after application. Watering should result in a thorough saturation of the area
- Avoid direct contact with plant roots, seeds etc
- Even, light and regular applications of this quality product will achieve the best results
- Always reseal bags after use and dispose of empty containers properly
- Sandy soils will require lower rates of fertiliser but more frequent applications
- Do not exceed the recommended application rates as this can be harmful to plants.

CAUTION: All fertilisers should be used with care. Wear gloves and protect eyes from dust.

WARNING: Use of this product may result in Cadmium, Lead and Mercury residues in excess of the Maximum Permissible Concentration (MPC) in plant and animal products and may result in any accumulation of these residues in soils.



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NATIVE PLANT FOOD



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Wherever we go, we make it grow.

- Specially formulated to promote healthy growth.
- Meets the unique nutritional needs of most native Australian plants including Callistemons, Grevilleas, Eucalyptus, Ficus, proteas etc.
- Safe to use on most but not all phosphorous sensitive plants (check before using).
- Contains Blood and Bone to rejuvenate tired or weak soil.



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PRODUCT ANALYSIS:

Nitrogen as Ammonium	7.4%
Nitrogen as Organic	1.9%
Total Nitrogen	9.2%
Phosphorus as Citrate soluble	1.1%
Phosphorus as Organic	1.1%
Total Phosphorus	2.2%
Total Potassium as Sulphate	5.8%
Total Sulphur as Sulphate	13.8%
Total Calcium	4.5%
Total Magnesium	0.2%
Plus Zinc, Iron, Copper, Boron, Manganese, Molybdenum	

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.

SUITABLE FOR:

Paton's Native Plant Food is suitable for a wide range of Australian Natives including:

- Banksias
- Eucalypts
- Callistemon
- Ficus
- Grevilleas
- As well as certain phosphorus plants.

HOW MUCH DO YOU NEED:

SMALL PLANTS: Apply 50-75 grams per square metre, 3 or 4 times each year. Feeding during the months of August, October, December and March will give the best results.

LARGE PLANTS: Apply 100-150 grams per square metre, 3 or 4 times each year. Feeding during the months of August, October, December and March will give the best results.

In sandy soils use less, approximately half, the applications above but feed more regularly. This will prevent excess nutrients leaching into the environment and provide more nutrients to the plant.

Note: Some Native plants are extremely sensitive to any significant Phosphorus presence in garden soils. Plant genera such as Boronia, Crowea, Eriostemon and some grevilleas may react badly to the presence of any phosphorus at all. If in doubt, contact your local qualified nursery staff for assistance.

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