

# Miracle-Gro®

## PEAT FREE

PREMIUM  
Azalea, Camellia,  
Rhododendron  
Ericaceous Plants Compost

**ROOTED  
IN SCIENCE**



### IRON FORTIFIED FOR GREENER LEAVES

This compost is **fortified with iron** which is a mineral nutrient that is **absorbed by roots** and the result is that the **leaves become greener**.



### 14 VITAL MINERALS NPK+TRACE ELEMENTS

Contains a unique combination of **14 Vital Minerals**. **Nitrogen** is used by plants for lots of leaf growth and good green colour. **Phosphorus** is used by plants to help form new roots, make seeds, fruits, flowers and fight disease. **Potassium** helps plants make strong stems and keep growing fast and promote flowers and fruits. Additionally, there are 11 more minerals such as calcium, magnesium, sulphur, boron, chlorine, copper, iron, manganese, molybdenum, nickel and zinc which are vital for **maintaining plants health**.



### FIBRE SMART™ TECHNOLOGY PATENTED WOOD FIBRE

The compost contains a unique, patented **Fibre Smart™ technology**. The hollow wood fibres ensure an **optimum balance** of **air and water** for strong roots to grow **healthy**. Wood fibres are **100% natural**.



### WATERLOCK TECHNOLOGY WETTING AGENT

Miracle-Gro® Peat Free Premium Azalea, Camellia, Rhododendron Ericaceous Plants Compost absorbs **more water** than ordinary compost.

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**USEFUL  
TIPS**

#### USEFUL TIPS

- Plants need feeding throughout the season to ensure they remain healthy, beautiful and produce better blooms.
- Three months after planting with **Miracle-Gro® Peat Free Premium Azalea, Camellia, Rhododendron, Ericaceous Plants Compost** start using **Miracle-Gro® Azalea, Camellia & Rhododendron Soluble Plant Food** for continued fantastic results.
- Compost in containers should be kept moist at all times and not be allowed to dry out.
- In areas where tap water is 'hard' and forms lime-scale in your kettle, try to water with rainwater whenever possible. This will help to maintain an acid balance in the compost in the long term.

#### STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS

- Keep the bag closed when in storage to prevent drying out.
- Storage from one year to another may affect performance.
- Keep away from pesticides.
- Occasionally a white mould appears on the compost. This is **not harmful** to your plants and should disappear naturally.
- Store in a cool place away from sun.
- Open bag carefully and reseal after use.

#### HEALTH & SAFETY ADVICE

- Use in a well ventilated place and avoid breathing in dust.
- Wash hands after use.
- Always wear gloves when gardening.



**ALWAYS USE  
GLOVES**



**8**  
MEDIUM POTS  
22CM (9")



**4**  
LARGE POTS  
25CM (10")



**1**  
LARGE CONTAINER  
42CM (17")

#### APPROXIMATE FILL OPTIONS

**SUSTAINABILITY**  
CARING FOR THE  
ENVIRONMENT

## REDUCE REUSE RECYCLE



**THIS BAG IS  
RECYCLABLE**



MIRACLE-GRO PRODUCTION SITES OPERATE  
**0% TO LANDFILL**  
FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT  
[WWW.LOVETHEGARDEN.COM](http://WWW.LOVETHEGARDEN.COM)



THIS BAG IS MADE OF  
**RECYCLED MATERIAL**  
THIS WAY MIRACLE-GRO® SAVES TONNES OF  
VIRGIN PLASTIC GLOBALLY



WITH OUR PARTNERS WE HAVE  
RESTORED MORE THAN  
**3,000 HECTARES**  
OF PEATLAND IN THE PAST 20 YEARS



WE ARE PROUDLY SUPPORTING  
**GREENFINGERS CHARITY**\*  
CREATING MAGICAL GARDENS  
FOR CHILDREN IN HOSPICES

#### IDEAS ON RE-USING THIS BAG...

##### HANGING BASKET IDEA...

"You could add some drainage holes and use the bag as a liner for your hanging baskets."

##### GET GROWING...

"Make some drainage holes in the bottom of the bag, fill with compost and then plant potatoes in them."

#### RESPONSIBILITY INDEX



For further information, scan the QR code or visit:  
[responsiblesourcing.hta.org.uk](http://responsiblesourcing.hta.org.uk)

## HOW TO USE

#### POTS & PATIO PLANTERS

- It's time to repot when:**
  - The plant is overgrown and "root bound" (densely wrapped roots).
  - Roots are growing out of the drainage holes.
  - The plant's lower leaves turn yellow or drop off.
  - The compost is faded or crusty.

- How to repot:** Wash the containers and water the plant.



Place a layer of compost in the base of the pot.



Tap out the plant from the old pot, loosen the root ball and place in the centre of the pot.

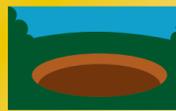


Fill the space around the root ball, ensuring the compost level covers all the roots.



Firm lightly, water thoroughly and let drain.

#### PLANTING IN BEDS & BORDERS



Dig a hole twice the size of the root ball.

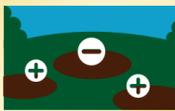


Position the plant and fill with 50% soil and 50% compost and firm around the base.



Water thoroughly. We recommend using **Miracle-Gro® Border Booster** to further enrich the soil.

#### CREATING ACID BEDS



If your soil is **very alkaline**, create an **isolated bed** that will hold **Special Plant Compost** separate from your existing soil.



Choose a partially shaded spot in your garden and remove the garden soil to a depth of at least 45cm (18in).



Line the bed with a well pierced polythene sheet and fill with **Miracle-Gro® Peat Free Premium Azalea, Camellia, Rhododendron, Ericaceous Plants Compost**.



Plant up your acid-loving plants and **keep watered**.

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**40L** when filled. Volume may reduce by up to 10%\*3



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Evergreen Research Station is our officially recognised **Research and Development Centre** in Levington, Suffolk. This unique centre is responsible for driving **new product development**, through **process & formulation, physical analysis and field biology**. In addition, the team of scientists ensure we maintain our **renowned quality** through on-going **raw material assessment, formulation preparation and product trials**.

The results from trials undertaken at the **extensive 19 acre site** in Levington are used to develop new products and to support our unique portfolio across northern Europe. Fertilisers and growing media are both tested here under the protection of a **2,500m² glasshouse** and outside in beds and borders, containers and hanging baskets

Ordinary Garden Soil vs Miracle-Gro Premium Peat Free All Purpose Compost



**GUARANTEED\*1  
GROWS PLANTS  
TWICE AS BIG!**

\*Our scientific trials prove that Miracle-Gro Premium Peat Free All Purpose Compost grows plants twice as big as ordinary garden soil.

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