

Miracle-Gro®

PEAT FREE

PREMIUM

Mediterranean & Citrus

Special Plants Compost

ROOTED
IN SCIENCE



OPTIMUM pH FORMULA
FOR LONG LIFE

Miracle-Gro® Peat Free Premium Mediterranean & Citrus Special Plants Compost contains an **optimum balanced formula** with the ideal pH to ensure a long life full of flowers and fruits.



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 iron, iodine, fluoride, copper, zinc, chromium, selenium, manganese and molybdenum which are vital for **maintaining plant health**.

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HOW TO USE

POTTING



Place compost in the bottom of the pot and put the root ball on top of this layer.

Fill in around the edges with more compost ensuring the top feeder roots are covered with 2cm of fresh compost.

Water well and keep in the shade for a few weeks to allow new roots to grow.

- WATERING:** In hard water areas use rainwater whenever possible to maintain the slightly acid conditions of the compost. Allow the surface to dry out between waterings, then water thoroughly but do not allow to stand in water.
- FEEDING:** Citrus trees actively grow all year round. In summer they produce new leaves and flowers and in winter the fruits ripen. From March to September feed every 2 weeks with a balanced feed such as Miracle-Gro® All Purpose Concentrated Plant Food for bushy growth and to prevent fruit drop and leaf yellowing.
- TEMPERATURE:** During winter keep the plants in a cool, frost-free place such as a cool conservatory, greenhouse or unheated room. Aim for a minimum temperature of 10°C.

WHAT TO GROW

...AND WHERE

- Ideal for Mediterranean plants like bougainvillea, palm trees, orange trees, lemon trees and lime trees.
- Perfect for use in pots, containers and hanging baskets.

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SUSTAINABILITY
CARING FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

WE ARE DEDICATED TO PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT AND THIS COMPOST IS **100% PEAT FREE**

REDUCE REUSE RECYCLE



THIS BAG IS **RECYCLABLE**



MIRACLE-GRO® PRODUCTION SITES OPERATE **0% TO LANDFILL** FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT WWW.LOVETHEGARDEN.COM



THIS BAG IS MADE OF UP TO **80% RECYCLED MATERIAL** THIS WAY MIRACLE-GRO® SAVES MORE THAN 100 TONNES OF VIRGIN PLASTIC ANNUALLY



WITH OUR PARTNERS WE HAVE RESTORED MORE THAN **3,000 HECTARES** OF PEATLAND IN THE PAST 30 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



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USEFUL TIPS

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- Greenhouses and conservatories will usually be too hot for citrus trees in summer. Move them outside when all danger of frost has passed. Place in partial shade for the first 3 weeks to prevent leaf scorch.
- Spray the plants daily with plain water to keep them cool and encourage pollination of flowers.
- For a healthy plant, pot-on every 2 years into a pot one size larger.
- Use the compost directly from the bag. Do not mix with other materials. Firm only lightly.

STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS

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

HEALTH & SAFETY ADVICE

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



ALWAYS USE GLOVES

APPROXIMATE FILL OPTIONS



2 MEDIUM POTS
22CM (9")



1 LARGE POT
25CM (10")



1 HANGING BASKET
30CM (12")



when filled. Volume may reduce by up to 10%*2



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*See code of practice at www.growingmedia.co.uk.

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OUR UNIQUE UK FACILITY

EVERGREEN RESEARCH STATION, UK

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 and 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® Peat Free Premium Compost



GUARANTEED*1 GROWS PLANTS TWICE AS BIG!

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