

# Home Garden Fertilizers

## CITRUS FOOD

Paton's CITRUS FOOD is a premium formulation containing a complete range of essential nutrients including blood and bone for strong, healthy growth and delicious fruit.

### Recommendations:

Suitable for all citrus, including Navel and Valencia oranges, grapefruit, lemons, mandarins, cumquats and tangelos.

Apply in early spring to late summer. Two applications per season during active growth periods. First Application - early spring. Second application - mid to late summer.

**Clay soils:** 50 - 75 gm for young citrus trees. 100 - 150 gm for older, established trees.

**Sandy soils:** will require lesser amounts, but more often applied. Suggested frequency is mid-August, mid-October, mid-December and mid-March. Use on sandy soils at a rate of 30 - 50 gm on smaller trees, and 60 - 100 gm on established citrus. Always water in well after application. Best used in conjunction with a good organic mulch over the root zone of the trees.

### Precautions:

Avoid using on tub citrus. We suggest using Paton's controlled release Multicote 4 month. Do not exceed recommended dosage rates, as excessive fertilizer use is harmful to both your plants and their environment.

## FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Organic component for sustained release of Nitrogen.
- Contains added Wetting Agent
- Proven formula used for many years
- Also suitable for other fruit trees
- Contains Magnesium and Calcium

## PRODUCT ANALYSIS

Nitrogen as ammonium	8.8 %
Nitrogen as Organic	0.3 %
<b>Total Nitrogen (N)</b>	<b>9.1 %</b>
Phosphorous as water soluble	3.5 %
Phosphorous as citrate soluble	0.6 %
Phosphorous as citrate insoluble	0.3 %
<b>Total Phosphorous (P)</b>	<b>4.4 %</b>
<b>Total Potassium (K) as muriate</b>	<b>7.8 %</b>
Sulphur as sulphates	14.1%
Calcium (Ca)	6.8%
Magnesium (Mg) as sulphate	0.4%

**WARNING:** "Use of this product may lead to an accumulation of cadmium in the soil and depending on soil characteristics, irrigation water quality, crop and variety may interact to result in crop intake in excess of the maximum limits allowed by food standards. In pastures this uptake may result in offal exceeding the maximum limits". Total Cadmium less than 420 mg/kg of P.

### Important Things to Remember:

- Always water fertilizer in well, immediately after application. Watering should involve a thorough saturation of the area.
- Avoid direct contact with plant roots, seeds, etc.
- Even, light and regular applications of a 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 fertilizer but more frequent applications
- Apply sparingly on potted plants as excessive fertilizer can cause burning relatively easily.
- It is much safer to apply small amounts on a regular basis.



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