



Turf News

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With Spring approaching very quickly, please remember to get your orders in early to avoid any delays. Please also submit any forecasts for your blend requirements to ensure that all of your orders can be fulfilled on time. Thanks for your assistance in this regard.

Mother Earth + Pedocare

Paton Fertilizers is now able to offer the organic granulated fertiliser Mother Earth with added Pedocare. This is a general purpose fertiliser with the water saving properties of Pedocare. Available in 20kg bags (Minimum 1 tonne order)



GRANULATED ORGANIC PLANT FOOD



Paton Website

The Paton website is in the process of being updated. You may have noticed some changes already. We are aiming at having a new look easy to navigate website by early Spring. Check it out with the link below.

www.paton.com.au

AMMO - N



In response to a demand for a replacement for Ammonium Nitrate, Paton Fertilizers is now able to offer a liquid form called **AMMO - N**. This is a straight Nitrogen product that has the benefits of the Ammonium and Nitrate Nitrogen without the need to have a SSAN licence. Ammonium nitrate has a very quick response due to the instantly available Nitrogen. **AMMO - N** is available in 20L drums.

Application Rates

TURF: Apply with sufficient water for thorough coverage of leaves. Use in a minimum of 1000L of water / ha. Use @ 600-800 mls / 100m². Apply when deficiency exists or as necessary.

NutriSmart in Turf

NutriSmart is a nutrition technology which enables greatly reduced reliance on chemical fertilisers. Some green keepers are able to use up to 50—70% less chemical fertilisers with the obvious benefits that this brings in terms of less salt buildup in the soil and reduced fertiliser losses through leaching and runoff. The prolonged use of NutriSmart can help in improving the soil's health and Organic Matter content. Excellent results have been recorded in turf with many green-keepers regarding it as an essential component of their renovation blends. For more information please speak to your Paton Fertico Account Manager.



Paton Pedocare is a polyacrylamide liquid which has a number of unique properties which enable it to:

- Increase new water infiltration up to 40%
- Retain 30-40% more Nitrogen in the soil
- Reduce soil crusting
- Reduce nutrient and pesticide runoff
- Reduce soil Sodium levels in the top 600mm

Pedocare is able to be coated onto most fertiliser blends to provide the above benefits.

New Account Manager NSW Turf.

As many of you will be aware, there is a new account manager for the turf customers in NSW. Please contact me (Martin Yates) for any technical enquires, blend requirements or pricing enquiries on the Paton range. I am based in the Penrith office most days so I should be able to assist you quickly.

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