SUSTANE 8-4-4

45-Day Slow Release Fertilizer

Designed for Professional Nursery, Greenhouse & Landscape

Derived from aerobically composted turkey litter, feather meal and sulfate of potash.

*7.2% slow release nitrogen derived from aerobically composted turkey litter and feather meal.

Information regarding the contents and levels of metals in this product is available on the internet at http://www.aapfco.org/metals.htm

Store in a cool dry place. Keep out of reach of pets and children. $LOT\#\,206196A \hspace{1.5cm} F689$

Product Description:

Suståne 8-4-4 all natural fertilizer is ideal for the production of bedding and foliage crops, hanging baskets, herbs and vegetables. Suståne 8-4-4 is excellent for the production of Begonias, Petunias, Impatiens, Geraniums, Caladiums, Chrysanthemums, and vegetable crops. When used in containers, Suståne 8-4-4, has a nutrient release profile of 45 days (at 25°C / 70°F).

Medium Grade: SGN 200 (2.8mm - 1.4 mm) Fine Grade: SGN 100 (1.4mm - 0.6 mm)

Direction for Use:

Suståne 8-4-4 provides constant release of nutrient for approximately 45 days when used with container substrates with average temperature of 70°F / 21°C. When determining application rates consider all cultural practices including irrigation, container substrate physical characteristics and growing environment.

Low Rate: Recommended for use on salt sensitive species; when concurrent with liquid feed; with production systems utilizing low leaching fractions (less than 10%); and when applied to heavy potting substrates (total porosity less than 65%).

Medium Rate: Recommended for use on medium feeding species; on most nursery stock and foliage plants; and when liquid feed is not performed concurrently.

High Rate: Recommended for use on heavy feeding species; with production systems utilizing high leaching fractions (greater than 20%); and when applied to light, porous substrates (total porosity greater than 80%).

Container Topdressing Application Rates in grams

Rate	Container Size									
	5" Std.	6" Std.	1 gallon	2 gallon	3 gallon	5 gallon	7 gallon	10 gallon	15 gallon	
Low	3	6	7	15	28	45	63	77	82	
Med	7	13	19	39	67	108	140	186	200	
High	10	18	28	59	104	165	237	285	306	

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Container Mix & Landscape Application Rates

Container Mix Rates by Volume								
lb. j	per cubic y	ard	kg per cubic meter					
Low	Med	High	Low	Med	High			
5.5	10	15	3.3	5.9	8.9			
Landscape Application Rates by Area								
lb. per	1,000 squa	are feet	kg per 100 square meter					
Low	Med	High	Low	Med	High			

Bulk Density of Sustane 8-4-4 45-day

Rounded Measure (volume)	Grams (weight)		
1 teaspoon (tsp)	2.8		
1 Tablespoon (Tbs)	8.5		
1 oz.	17		
1/4 cup	34		
1/2 cup	68		
1 cup	136		

- These rates are intended as guidelines. Sustaine encourages a trial prior to changing any fertilizer program.
- Do not store container mix more than two weeks after incorporating fertilizer. Plant material can be damaged from salt accumulation.
- If mix is stored longer than two weeks, leaching container mix may be required to remove accumulated salts
- Do not steam sterilize container mix after fertilizer has been incorporated
- Monitor electrical conductivity (EC) of container substrate throughout production cycle.
 Adjust application rate as needed.

Net Wt. 50 lb. (22.67 kg.)



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