



HOMOGENOUS BIOLOGICAL FORMULA

Hum-Amend MAX

**Granular High-Carbon, Stable
Humus, Soil CEC Amendment**

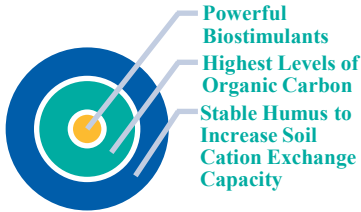
Soil Amending Ingredients:

Raw Leonardite (min. 85% humic acids)

Soluble Humate Extract

Raw Kelp Meal

Soluble Seaweed Extract



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NET WEIGHT*: 50 LBS (22.68KG)

*Weight is at the time of bagging. This product is packaged in a breathable bag to preserve its biological activity. However, this breathability also allows moisture to be evaporated from the product after bagging, possibly reducing the net weight.

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Description For Use:

TeraVita Hum-Amend MAX is a powerful soil restoration amendment that provides high levels of organic carbon and stable humus to feed soil biology and increase soil cation exchange capacity (CEC). Hum-Amend MAX contains no animal manures; it is a homogenized blend of natural mined Leonardite and raw kelp meal combined with two of Nature's most powerful substances, *soluble* humate (a biologically active source of humic and fulvic acids) and *soluble* seaweed extract (a biologically active source of trace elements and natural plant growth hormones). Hum-Amend MAX is safe for use on all types of plants at any time of year.

As a general guide we recommend the following:

LAWNS

To enhance soil organic matter and improve CEC, apply 5 lbs. per 1,000 square feet of lawn. Hum-Amend MAX is not a fertilizer and may be used in conjunction with your normal fertility applications at any time of year. For sandy soils, soils with low CEC levels, or soils with low carbon levels, apply 10 pounds per 1,000 square feet of turf. Repeat applications may be made annually at 5 pounds per 1,000 square feet of turf.

VEGETABLE GARDENS

When treating food crops, the most beneficial area to apply soil amendments is "in the row", which is the soil area under the foliage of the plant when it reaches maturity. This is where most of the roots are for annual crops. There is no harm in spreading soil amendments between rows or throughout the entire garden area, but some of the material may not be utilized by the plant roots.

For above ground vegetable crops, apply 1 lb. per 100 square feet of row area (or 150-300 pounds per acre) at the time of planting in conjunction with your normal fertility, such as Organic Approach 5-2-4 fertilizer.

For root crops, apply 0.5 lb. per 100 square feet of Hum-Amend MAX and 1 lb. per 100 square feet of 5-2-4 in the row at planting. No further soil applications are recommended for root crops.

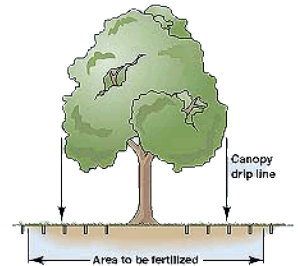
For optimal plant health, frequent foliar applications throughout the growing cycle using Organic Approach 'Influence' are highly recommended.

ORNAMENTAL TREES, SHRUBS, AND FLOWERS

Granular applications for trees, shrubs, and flowers should be made throughout the entire landscape bed area. For larger trees, applications should be made in a circle that extends from the trunk to a point 5-10 feet beyond the outer edge of branches/foliage (known as the "drip line").

Apply 0.5-1 lb. per 100 square feet (5-10 pounds per 1,000 square feet) of bed area.

For regular maintenance, Hum-Amend MAX can be applied over top of existing ground covers and existing mulch. For new beds, it should be tilled into the top 6 inches of soil and/or spread on top of the soil prior to mulching.



POTTING MIXES AND CONTAINER PLANTS

Incorporate 15-25 pounds of Hum-Amend MAX per cubic yard of potting mix. For container plants, sprinkle lightly over the top of the pots and work the product into the top of the potting mix.

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