

# TECHNICAL INFORMATION



# **Biovin®**

The natural amendment for healthier soil

# **Features and Benefits**

A world renowned soil quality improver with high amounts of probiotic bacteria to improve soil and compost quality. FOR STRONGER AND HEALTHIER PLANTS

The organic base of Biovin® consists of the organic remains of grape pressing. This goes through a unique fermentation process where carefully controlled bacterial action results in a product rich in plant growth factors (eg auxins), organic plant nutrients and beneficial microorganisms. These include nitrogen fixing (*Actinomycetes*) and SAR (Systemic Acquired Resistance) bacteria which promote resistance to diseases.

Biovin® plays an important role in stimulating mycorrhizal relationships to create a living interface between roots and soil thereby improving root activity, nutrient uptake and plant growth.

Biovin® is a certified organic fertilizer/soil improver in Switzerland, Germany, The Netherlands, Greece, Austria and many other European countries for use in certified organic and conventional farming.

Biovin® has been used successfully by growers all over the world since 1974 and much research resulting in scientific reports have been published.

#### **Biovin®**

- Improves soil health in all growing systems
- · Stimulates development and symbiotic activity of mycorrhizae
- Stimulates plant health and resistance
- Stimulates growth and functionality of beneficial soil/root bacteria
- Natural organic fertilizer (3:1:2)
- Guaranteed free of diseases or weeds
- Avoids nitrate leaching to ground water and keeps minerals available for plants
- Also contains available silicon (Si)

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# Composition

100% natural ingredients derived from fermented grape residues.

## Directions for use

#### Rates of use

Crop/use	Rate year 1	rate yr 2	rate yr 3 and onwards
Grass for grazing	800 kg/ha	600	400
Vegetables, top and soft fruit	1,000 kg/ha	800	500
Arable crops	1,000 kg/ha	800	500
Protected crops	10 kg/100m <sup>2</sup>	8.0	6.0
Growing media for pots of 0.5 I and above Seed/cutting growing media	$3.0 \text{ kg/ m}^3$ $3.0 \text{ kg/ m}^3$		

Apply evenly to the ground or mix evenly when adding to growing media.

# Compatibility

Biovin® is compatible with many used crop care products.

## **General information**

Packaging: 20 kg bags, 40 per pallet (=800 kg) or 600 kg big bags.

Shelf life: minimum 2 years.

**Technical service:** For further information, assistance and access to The Solufeed Advisory

Service, please contact Solufeed at the address below.

# **Precautions**

Detailed health and safety information may be found on the relevant Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) available on request from the address below.

#### **Important**

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