















Citrus

Timing will vary with variety & region

Biological Program

Crop Growth Stage	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	Bud Diff'n	Bud Initiation	Flowering									
		Growth Flush			Calyx Closure	Growth Flush			Growth Flush			
				Fruit Set							Colour Break	
				Natural Drop								
												
Crop Stress Points	[Orange bar]											
	Cold Stress		Herbicide	GA	Fruit Cell Division - Ca req'd			Heat Stress	Summer Oil			Cold Stress
						Fruit Cell Expansion						
Crop Health Program	[Green bar]											
 Energise the Tree			Super Kelp 5L/ha; monthly								Super Kelp 5L/ha	
Soil Health Program	[Dark grey bar]											
 Microbial Activity		Fish Plus 10L/ha; monthly				Fish Plus 10L/ha; monthly				Fish Plus 10L/ha; monthly		
+C Add Carbon			Humus 26 10L/ha					Humus 26 10L/ha				

Notes

Super Kelp - Extra applications may be needed during significant heat stress periods.

Vitazyme is an excellent alternative to Super Kelp in Citrus program; Application of Vitazyme - 1.5L/ha pre-flowering, post flowering, 30 days post flowering, 30 days before harvest.

Check fruit size early January; Navels less than 40mm requires immediate action to make size.



Soil Essentials - Strategies . . . it all starts with the soil!

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Crop Health Products

- tolerance
- recovery

ENERGISE THE PLANT



- Improves root growth - allows the plant to absorb nutrients like P & Ca
- Reduces plant stress caused by planting, drought or frost
- Mixes easily with fertiliser (low pH formulation)

Key components in kelp that are bioactive at low concentrations are macro- and micro-nutrients, amino acids, vitamins, cytokinins, auxins, betaines, alginates, sterols, abscisic acid.



- Promotes early growth
- Improves photosynthesis
- Helps with planting shock
- Improves plant defence system
- Improves soil biological activity
- Extensive research

Contains multiple natural active components that are active at very low concentrations including triacontanol and brassinosteroids.



- Strengthens plants & reduces plant stress
- 100% plant available silicon
- Improves photosynthesis
- Apply as a spray or via irrigation

Highly concentrated liquid potassium silicate - 100% plant available. Used primarily as a source of plant available silicon with the advantage of low application rates.

Soil Health Products

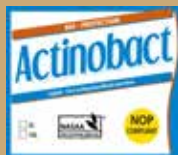
- microbes
- carbon

MICROBIAL DIVERSITY



- Activates nutrient uptake
- Releases powerful enzymes into the soil which dissolves hard to capture nutrients like P and Ca
- Root colonising microbes that out complete pathogens & improve root health

Contains beneficial fungi & bacteria including Mycorrhiza, Trichoderma, Bacillus, Streptomyces, Pseudomonas, Nitrogen fixing bacteria and more.



- Naturally colonises and shields plant root system
- Improves root health by out-competing pathogens
- Easy to use liquid formulation
- Mixes with most fertilisers and ag-chemicals

Contains Streptomyces lydicus and Bacillus subtilis - fast acting powerful beneficial microbes. These synergistic soil microbes feed off natural root exudates, crowd out pathogens and promote plant growth.

ACTIVE CARBON



- Improves soil structure
- Retains nutrients
- Holds soil moisture
- Buffers salinity
- Provides carbon source to feed soil microbes
- Cost-effective source of carbon
- Liquid, powder or pellets

Contains Humic and Fulvic acid which are the most active components of soil organic matter. Cost-effective way to get benefits of soil organic matter for growers who do not have the time or resources to green manure and fallow or apply large quantities of compost regularly.

MICROBIAL ACTIVITY



- Stimulates beneficial microbes which help your crop by:
 - * Improving nutrient availability
 - * Reducing root disease
 - * Improving water penetration (heavy soils) & water retention
- Fulvic Acid to improve nutrient uptake
- Kelp to improve root growth
- Provides carbon source to feed soil microbes

Contains Fish Emulsion, Kelp Extract, Fulvic Acid, Molasses, Phosphorus - research shows the synergistic combination of all these products produces optimum results.

