# **Cucurbits**

### **Biological Program**

Crop Growth Stage	Planting	Vegetative	Flowering	Fruit Set	Fruit Fill	Maturation	Harvest	
	Establishment	_		Cell Division		~		
					Fruit Cell Enlargement Sugar acc	umulation		
Crop Stress Points	Post-fumigation	Herbicide stress						
	Transplant shock	Disease/Insect Pressure						
	Root disease			Water stress				
Crop Health Program								
Energise the Crop	Super Kelp 5L/ha; every 14-21 days*							
	Vitazyme 1L/ha; every 3-4 weeks*							
	Grosil 2-4L/ha; 2-3 times							
Soil Health Program								
》 Microbial Diversity	MicroPlus 1kg/ha	Actinobact 1-2L/ha	; repeat 14 days later					
Microbial Activity	Fish Plus 10L/ha; every 14-21 days							
<b>+C</b> Add Carbon	Humus 26 10L/ha			Humus 26 5L/ha	Humus 26 5L/ha			
+C Add Carbon	Vital Earth 200kg/ha							
Notes	*Use Super Kelp or Vi	*Use Super Kelp or Vitazyme						





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Less disease

Vitazyme seed treatment 5% solution; or transplant drench at 1% Vital Earth - Broadcast or band; incorporate prior to planting

MicroPlus as seedling drench or dip

### **Crop Health Products**

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# 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 brassingstarnids



- 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 silicor 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 outcompeting pathogens
- Easy to use liquid formulation
- Mixes with most fertilisers and aq-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

Humus 100



- Improves soil structure
- Retains nutrients
- Holds soil moisture
- Buffers salinit
- Provides carbon source to feed soil microbes
- Cost-effective source of carbor
  - 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 nutrien 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.



#### ... it all starts with the soil!