

Non-farmyard fertilizer, soil conditioner, compost activator

Request for approval in accordance with bio.inspecta Organic Standard or NOP

If you plan to use any fertilizer products, which are not specifically listed

- in Annex I, II of the current bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU equivalent Standard) bi-OS
- in the paragraphs §205.203, §205.206 or in the National List (§205.601) of the NOP standard

please submit this application form to bio.inspecta and wait for our approval **before** using the inputs.

Using unauthorised inputs can lead to decertification of your crops/fields.

The completed form with annexes has to be sent to: international@bio-inspecta.ch

Input approvals can be complex and demanding, thus bio.inspecta recommends to **submit** the application **at least four weeks before the planned date of use.**

Please be aware that you can only use products in accordance with the national legislation in your country. Instructions on the label of the product have to be followed.

1. Applicant/operator

Name of operator		Address	
b.i Number		Country	
Person Providing this information		Position in Company	

2. Information about the input

Product is purchased <input type="checkbox"/>	Product is self manufactured <input type="checkbox"/>
Trade name of the product	
The product is also registered under other names, as / is identical with	
From which company/distributor do you plan to buy the product?	
Manufacturer name (if known)	
Manufacturer address and website (if known)	

3. Technical and chemical details

Please refer to **bio.inspecta Organic Standard, Annex I** for special requirements of certain components like farmyard manure¹⁾, peat, products from wood, Leonardite ect.

Physical characteristics							
Solid <input type="checkbox"/>				Liquid <input type="checkbox"/>			
Relevant nutrients specified in %							
Nitrogen , N _{total}	%	Organic	%	NO ₃	%	NH ₄	%
Phosphorous , P _{total}	%	P soluble in Water	%	P ₂ O ₅	%	PO ₄	%
Potassium , K _{total}	%	K soluble in water	%	KCl	%	K ₂ SO ₄	%
Expressed as				K	%	K ₂ O	%

Magnesium, Mg_{total}	%	Mg soluble in water	%	MgCl ₂	%	MgSO ₄	%
Expressed as				Mg	%	MgO	%
Calcium, Ca_{total}	%	Ca soluble in water	%	CaCl ₂	%	CaSO ₄	%
Expressed as				Ca	%	CaO	%
Micronutrients (need to be listed only if they are added, not needed: concentration of micronutrients from e.g. compost)							
		B	%	Cu	%	Fe	%
Mn	%	Mo	%	Zn	%	Ni	%
Cl	%	Na	%	S	%	Si	%
Salt content (KCL)	%	Salt	%	S	%	F	%
Properties of the product							
Organic matter	%	Dry matter	%	pH			

Composition of the product (List all ingredients, e.g. carriers, anti-caking agents, preservatives, chelating agents, surfactans, emulsifiers, anti-dustin agents, other inert ingredients) with origin			
Component (Raw material(s) the fertilizer is made from)	CAS no.	Percentage (100% in total)	Comment on the process (Origin, source/raw material, type of processing, GMO-material, country of origin, source of supply etc.)

Type and quantity of other substances added	
Addition of microorganisms:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Addition of urea-impregnated materials:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Wood products contained in the above product were chemically treated:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Addition of preserving agents:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Contains complexing or chelating agents:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Addition of components with a particle size of < 0.3 µm (nanoparticles):	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Was nitrogen used during production?:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Digestion (e.g. hydrolysis):	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Other information considered relevant for assessment of the product

4. Application

The product shall be evaluated in accordance with	<input type="checkbox"/> bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU Equivalence) <input type="checkbox"/> National Organic program NOP (USDA organic) <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Crops concerned	
Quantity/ha on which the product is planned to be applied	
Reason of use (maintenance of soil fertility, nutrient deficiency observed, etc.)	

¹⁾ bi-OS, Annex 1, Farmyard manure: factory farming is forbidden. Thus the animal husbandry must exclude fully slatted systems, cage-rearing, poultry farming without outdoor run.

5. Please attach the following documents

- Technical datasheet / product specifications (formulation)
- Safety datasheet, other relevant data sheets (if applicable)
- Products approved for use according to an EU-equivalent standard or NOP by an accredited certification body: add copy of the certificate or approval documents / Link to OMRI-list for NOP
- Labels and recommendations for use
- Farmyard manure: declaration on non-industrial husbandary system¹⁾
- Important:** For products containing microorganisms or risky ingredients (corn, canola, soy etc): a declaration of compliance with the prohibition of genetically modified organisms pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 834/2007, Please refer to the website of bio.inspecta. www.bio-inspecta.ch, *bi-OS Vendor Declaration non GMO, 24_636EN*)
- Other:

6. Signature by the operator

Operator name		
b.i number		
Product name		
..... Place/Date Name and function Signature

7. To be completed by bio.inspecta

Final assessment

<input type="checkbox"/> Request is approved for	<input type="checkbox"/> bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU Equivalence)
	<input type="checkbox"/> NOP <input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> Request is rejected for	<input type="checkbox"/> bio.inspecta Organic Standard (EU Equivalence)
	<input type="checkbox"/> NOP <input type="checkbox"/> Other

Explanation & justification

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Place/Date

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Signature & Name

This approval is valid for three years from the date of singnatur of bio.inspecta.
It is in the responsibility of the operation to use only inputs, which have been approved for the respective standard