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 Lab ID Number : 8822.0  
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## COMPOSITION ANALYSIS

Sample Identification: Compost: leaf compost, leaves, sawdust, wood chips, seed bed pulp

VARIABLE MEASURED	Unit	dry basis	as is basis	Notations †
Bulk Density .....	lbs·ft <sup>3</sup>	-	29	792 lbs/yd <sup>3</sup>
Total Solids (dry matter) .....	%	100.0	55.5	1110 lbs/ton
Moisture Content .....	%	0.0	44.5	107 gals/ton
Water Holding Capacity ( <i>calc</i> ) .....	%	155	61	146 gals/ton
Inert and Oversize Particles .....	%	~	15.0	300.2 lbs/ton
pH (sat. paste in H <sub>2</sub> O) .....	-logH <sup>+</sup>	~	7.59	Medium High
Free Carbonates (CO <sub>3</sub> ) .... (Range 1-3)		~	1	None
Total Organic Matter .....	%	47.4	26.3	526 lbs/ton
Water Soluble Organic Carbon ....	ppm	3310	1837	Medium
Conductivity (salinity) .....	dS·m <sup>-1</sup>	~	1.5	Low
Water Soluble C <sub>s</sub> :N <sub>s</sub> .....	w:w	12.1	12.1	Medium
<b>Seedling Response Assay, Biological Stability</b> .....				
<i>Seedling</i> Germination .....	%	~	100	Not Plant-toxic
<i>Seedling</i> Vigor .....	% of control	~	45	Low
Cress Emergence .....	% of total	~	100	No Inhibition
Cress Biomass .....	% of Control	~	17	Extremely Limited
Respiration, Volumetric ... (Solvita 1-8)		~	7.37	Low
Ammonia Volatization .... (Solvita 1-5)		~	5.00	low or none

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## MINERALS ANALYSIS

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VARIABLE MEASURED	Unit	dry basis	as is basis	pounds/ton <i>as is</i>
<b>Mineral Nutrients</b>				
Soluble Nitrogen	%	0.027	0.015	0.3 VL
Phosphorus (P) <i>total</i>	%	0.101	0.056	1.1 L
<b>Extractable &amp; Total Cations</b>				
Ammonium (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) <i>soluble</i>	ppm	94	52	0.1
Potassium (K) <i>total</i>	%	0.06	0.04	0.7
Sodium (Na) <i>total</i>	%	0.09	0.05	1.0
Calcium (Ca) <i>total</i>	%	2.00	1.11	22.2
Magnesium (Mg) <i>total</i>	%	0.41	0.23	4.5
<b>Extractable Anions</b>				
Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> -N)	ppm	1	0.4	trace
Nitrite (NO <sub>2</sub> -N) <i>soluble</i>	ppm	429.0	238.1	-
Chloride (Cl) <i>soluble</i>	ppm	1451	806	1.6
Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> -S) <i>soluble</i>	ppm	171	95	0.2

Notes: percent x 10,000 = ppm; ppm = mg/kg; < = less than the MLD (minimum level of detection); nd = none detected

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## METALS and NON-METALS ANALYSIS

Sample Identification: Compost: leaf compost, leaves, sawdust, wood chips, seed bed pulp

VARIABLE MEASURED	Unit	dry basis	as is basis†	lbs/ton Rating‡as is
Copper (Cu) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	50	28	0.06 Low
Manganese (Mn) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	296	164.5	77.3 MH
Iron (Fe) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	5988	3323	1562.0 H
Zinc (Zn) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	77	43	0.09 Low
Lead (Pb) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	161.1	89.4	0.2 High
Chromium (Cr) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	39.5	-	-
Cadmium (Cd) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	<0.8	< 0.4	n.a
Nickel (Ni) .....	mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	29.1	-	-

Notes: mg·kg<sup>-1</sup> = ppm (parts per million); MPN = most probable number

< signifies less than MLD (minimum level of detection) for the particular factor tested

† "as is" = wet basis ‡ Rating of Metals Based on international soil standard and is not a Sludge Rule EPA503 process

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# Auxinic Herbicide Bioassay Report

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Unit	Sample Description	Lab ID	Sample wet density g/cc	% v/v Sample in Medium <sup>a</sup>	actual % sample w/w	Injury Symptomology for Red Clover by Observer <sup>b</sup>			Mean Injury Ranking
						RS	WB	TT	
1	Compost: leaf compost, leaves, sawdust, wood chips, seed bed pulp	8822.0	0.473	50.0	75.9	n		n	0.0
2									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
9									
10									

Spearman Rank Correlation of Evaluators (r<sub>s</sub>): #N/A #N/A #N/A #N/A

Observed Effect Key:	Injury Ranking	Description of observed injury	Notation
Initials denote visual symptom	n = 0	none = no symptoms observed	Estimated level of plant injury based on the scale of ranking 0 - 5 in severity
	sl = 1	Slight = slight leaf curl, first observed level	
	s-m = 1.5	Slight-Mod - less than a moderate effect	
	m = 2.0	Moderate leaf curl - very noticeable	
	msv = 2.5	Mod-Severe - less than a severe effect	
	sv = 3.0	Severe = pronounced leaf curl and distortion	
	ex = 4	Extreme - close to total inhibition	

<sup>a</sup> % sample employed in medium on volume blending basis

### Estimated Mean Concentration in Source Material

(ppb - based on known minimum level of detection)\*\*

† Disclaimer re Clopyralid Equivalents

\*\* level of estimated herbicide is based on calibration assays with clopyralid herbicide. The herbicide has not been directly analysed. Any other auxinic herbicide may have caused a similar effect but at another higher or lower concentration.

Lab ID	Effects	RS	WB	TT	MLD?	MEAN	Stdev ‡
1	8822.0	<	4	4	<	4.0	0.0
2		as is					nd
3		as is					nd
4		as is					nd
5		as is					nd
6		as is					nd
7		as is					nd
8		as is					nd
9		as is					nd
10		as is					nd

If MLD note "<" is present it means the lowest value is beneath detectability

‡ Standard Deviation is plus/minus value for range of possibility due to observed injury

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# Compost Auxinic Risk Analysis

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### RESIDUE ADVISORY LEVEL FOR COMPOST PRODUCT

Row	Sample ID	Insensitive Crops Corn, Grains, Sudan, Grasses, Beets	Moderately (Tomatoes, Beans, Squash, Lettuce)	Sensitive Crops (Peas, Sunflowers, Tomatoes, Clover)	Level Noted
1	8822.0	N	N	N	4

N- no warning, SL Cautionary, M Warning, SV Danger, \*\* Extreme Warning

### FIELD (TON/ACRE) APPLICATION RATE GUIDELINE TO AVOID INJURY

Row	Sample ID	Insensitive Crops Corn, Grains, Sudan, Grasses, Beets	Moderately (Tomatoes, Beans, Squash, Lettuce)	Sensitive Crops (Peas, Sunflowers, Tomatoes, Clover)
1	8822.0	200	50	50

### GARDEN (cu.ft/100 sq.ft) APPL. RATE GUIDELINE TO AVOID INJURY

Row	Sample ID	Insensitive Crops Corn, Grains, Sudan, Grasses, Beets	Moderately (Tomatoes, Beans, Squash, Lettuce)	Sensitive Crops (Peas, Sunflowers, Tomatoes, Clover)
1	8822.0	25	6	4