



# P-Booster

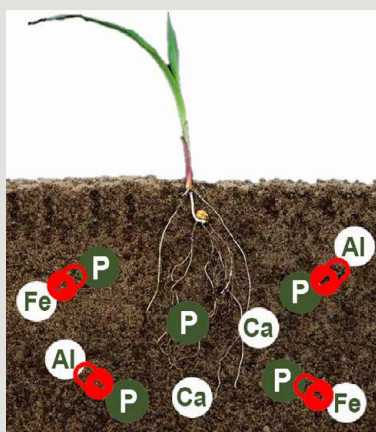
**Phosphate  
Enhancer for  
P-Fertilizer**

## Phosphate Booster - ready to use solution for Phosphate fertilizers

- ✓ Higher efficiency of all Phosphate fertilizers.
- ✓ Convenient liquid formulation for all common Phosphate fertilizers.
- ✓ Reduced Phosphate precipitation by Ca, Fe or Al
- ✓ Increases Phosphate availability of organic fertilizers such as slurry.
- ✓ Fertilizer synergist for better uptake of macro and micronutrients.

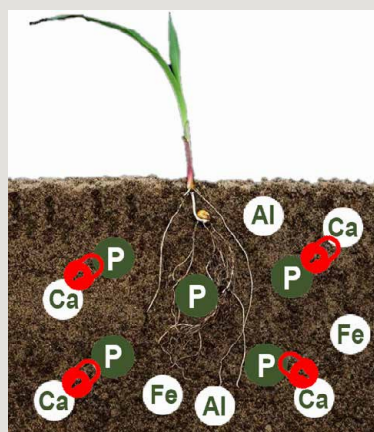
### Mode of action

**Acid soils (low pH)**



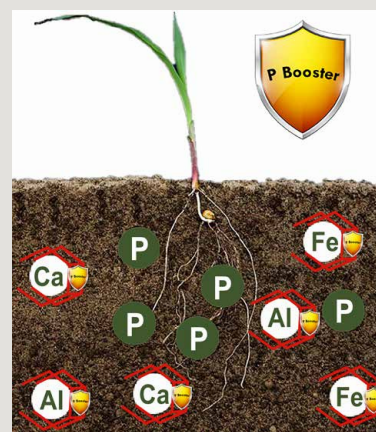
The phosphate fertilizer is locked by aluminum and iron

**Alkaline soils (high pH)**



The phosphate fertilizer is locked by calcium.

**Phosphate Booster**



The phosphate fertilizer remains available.

- ✓ Most of the Phosphate fertilizer applied to the soil is quickly precipitated as Calcium-, Iron- or Aluminum phosphates. This Phosphate is no longer available for the plant.
- ✓ P-Booster absorbs positively charged Calcium, Iron or Aluminum ions and acts like a protective shield. Subsequently, applied Phosphate remains available for the plant, regardless of soil pH.

## Results and advantages at a glance

- ✓ Enhanced root growth, especially of root hairs

### Trial results in wheat and soybean



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The enlarged view shows the root hairs of young wheat plants with **P Booster** (left) and without treatment (right).



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Young soybean plants with **P Booster** (left) and without treatment (right).

- ✓ Increased uptake of Phosphorous

### Trial results in corn

Effect of P Booster on phosphorus absorption in corn (Variety: Early sung-low) with initial fertilization without additional fertilization

Dosage of P Booster	% Phosphorus in maize plant	% Increase in phosphorus in maize crop
0 ppm	0,3	—
1 ppm	0,36	20,0
10 ppm	0,34	13,3
100 ppm	0,38	26,7
1.000 ppm	0,44	46,7

- ✓ Higher uptake of Macro and Microelements
- ✓ Increased yield



## Additional advantages in Fertigation

- ✓ **Increase of solubility**

P-Booster inhibits the deposition of  $\text{Ca/MgCO}_3$ ,  $\text{Ca/MgSO}_4$  or  $\text{Ca/MgPO}_4$  by preventing crystal growth between ions in solution (scale inhibitor).

Therefore clogging of pipes and nozzles is avoided.

P-Booster solves solubility or dispersion problems in fertigation systems by stabilization of weakly soluble salts such as carbonates, sulphates, or phosphates. It also allows supersaturated solutions where despite a considerable excess of the salt, the solutions remains clear in the presence of P-Booster.

- ✓ **Increase nutrient uptake**

Besides promoted P-uptake P-Booster is a complexing agent and highly capable chelator of trace elements such as Fe, Mn, Zn and Cu but also of Ca and Mg. The uptake, especially of trace elements is increased.

- ✓ **P-Booster is a corrosion inhibitor.**

- ✓ **Biostimulant effect**

P-Booster increases roots growth significantly and elevates yield potential.

- ✓ **100% biodegradable**

## Application

### Granular Fertilizer / Water Soluble Fertilizer:

> 50%  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  = 4,0 l/mt

40-50%  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  = 3,5 l/mt

< 40%  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  = 3,0 l/mt

### Liquid Fertilizer

0,5% in the solution(= 5l / 1000 l )

### Slurry / Organic Fertilizer:

4-5 l/ha

5 l/ha on heavy soils

4 l/ha on sandy soils

### Fertigation

0,6 – 0,8 % v/v in stock solution

(6-8 l / 1000 l )

## Product properties






### CroxX P-Booster

#### P-Booster solution for self application of Fertilizers

- Simple application in a fertilizer mixing system or in a screw conveyor with a dosing device
- For granulated, crystalline and liquid High-P-Fertilizers such as DAP, MAP, 20-20, 13-40-13 and Slurry
- Easy mixing in fertigation, stock solutions or liquids



#### Benefits

-  Better Phosphorus uptake
-  Reduces Phosphate Fixation in the soil
-  Stimulates root growth

#### Technical Data

Organic Complex:	40 %
Physical appearance:	liquid
Colour:	light brown
Density (g/l):	1,3 (kg/l)
pH (1:10 in water):	9,5

#### Packaging sizes

IBC (1.000 l)
Barrel (200 l)
Can (20 l)

#### Instructions for use

- For all common phosphate fertilizers such as: (DAP, MAP, SSP, TSP, 20-20, 40-13, liquid manure etc.) by either spraying or injecting.
- Simple application in a fertilizer mixing system (batch mixer or continuous mixer) or in a screw conveyor with a dosage device.
- Simple mixing in fertigation, mother solutions or liquids

#### Storage

- Storage between 5 - 40 ° C. (optimum 10 - 20 ° C).
- Shelf life in sealed tanks: min. 2 years

