



RECYCLED ORGANICS

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Soilco distinguishes its recycled products through the recycled organic (RO) range. The raw materials used in these products are manufactured at Soilco's EPA licensed facility where material is managed according to best practice procedures outlined by Standards Australia. What all this means for the consumer is that Soilco is committed to providing organic products which come with a guarantee of high quality, performance and consistency. The consumer can order certified products such as GO Compost with confidence that it will be of a consistent high standard. Consumers with little technical knowledge in this area can buy with confidence, knowing the product they are purchasing is of the highest quality. So when looking to buy garden mixes, organic soil improvers or mulches, ask for products certified to the Australian Standard.

GO COMPOST



Australia typically has a very low proportion of organic matter in its soil. Addition of organic matter in the form of compost is essential for most cultivation and garden situations. By using compost you:

- :: Increase water holding in sandy soils
- :: Break down clay soils
- :: Retain fertiliser in the soil
- :: Reduce watering requirements
- :: Provide soil micro-organisms beneficial to plant growth and soil health.

GO Compost is a composted blend of garden organics meeting AS 4454. It can be used in the basic composted form as a mulch or soil improver. GO Compost products are available in certified (8mm) and standard (20mm) grades. GO Compost is excellent in incorporating into existing site soil as it breathes life into run down, clayey or sandy soils due to its high organic matter content.

GO HORT MULCH



GO Hort Mulch appears as a consistent, dark, and woody mulch. This mulch is different to GO Media as it has no fines and is a larger particle size (15mm to 30mm). The "chunky" sizing makes it suitable for large scale applications such as property developments, factory areas and general plantings where steep or windy areas are a factor. GO Hort Mulch is also suitable for horticultural applications such as vineyards.

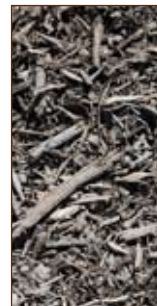
GO MULCH



GO Mulch is an environmentally friendly product that is safer than raw organic mulches such as leaf mulch. The product can be described as being natural looking and suiting a variety of applications. Commercial applications include rehabilitation sites, large scale tree plantings and housing developments.

GO Mulch products are considered to be a more stable product than your conventional leaf mulch in physical, chemical and biological characteristics. This results in the product being increasingly colour fast, having an extended useable life span, decreased nitrogen drawdown and a reduction in phytotoxicity occurrences. In addition being a pasteurised product reduces the chance of obtaining unwanted weed seeds and unwanted animal and plant pathogens.

GO MEDIA MIX



GO Media Mix is a composted mulch with a 8 to 15mm particle size range. This product retains a percentage of fine compost and is therefore useful for planting directly into without the need for soil conditioning. GO Media Mix is more consistent in size than GO Mulch and therefore makes it more reliable for mechanical spreading.



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DECO MULCH



Deco Mulch is a decorative mulch made from recycled timber pallets and off cuts. It is a blend ranging in size from 15mm to 30mm. Deco Mulch is ideal for general purpose mulch applications, but is also suited in price and design to large scale commercial jobs where a more decorative alternative is required to GO Hort or GO Mulch.

COTTAGE MULCH



Cottage Mulch is also made from recycled timber pallets and off cuts. The fine grade (8mm to 15mm) results in a pleasing natural ground cover appearance. This is ideal for general purpose mulching of garden beds, growing containers, or courtyard garden areas. The mulch is comparable in appearance to other more expensive decorative mulches such as eucalyptus mulch.

PINE BARK



Pine bark is a recycled by product of the plantation pine timber industry. Soilco produce a range of Pine Bark products that have various applications as decorative mulches, playground soft fall & in growing media such as orchid and potting mixes. Pine Bark comes in a range of sizes, has a long product life and can be purchased in raw or composted forms.

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Martin Wilson from Jamberoo Native Nursery uses GO Mulch for a variety of regeneration jobs. The company experiences ongoing results and sees key benefits as:

- minimal surface weed growth compared to jobs where raw leaf mulch has been used,
- at 100mm depth it appears that any weed seeds in the soil below are also suppressed,
- water holding capacity is good due to the thickness of the mulch
- the fine compost particles assist in maintaining moisture levels within the soil
- GO Mulch is easy to work with and once bedded the product is stable in windy and sloping areas
- compaction is minimal, maintaining good structure

Thank you to Martin from Jamberoo Native Nursery and Southern Bushland Regeneration. For more plant and bushland regeneration information, contact Martin or Geoff on (02) 4236 0445.



Establishing a new vineyard with Soilco Spreader and GO Compost.

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