

Agricultural Gypsum

Product Description

Shaw Resources markets **Agricultural Gypsum** in a partnership with National Gypsum Company. Produced from fine screenings, agricultural gypsum is used as a soil amendment without altering the soil's pH balance.

Gypsum is calcium sulfate, a naturally occurring mineral and is one of the best sources of calcium – the most important of the secondary plant nutrients. It is also viewed as beneficial for breaking up compact soil, especially clay soil and is useful in changing the soil structure of excessively heavy soils which have been impacted by heavy traffic, flooding, over cropping, or simply overly weatherized.



Benefits

- **Agricultural Gypsum is beneficial in growing** potatoes, blueberries, alfalfa, tomatoes and corn.
- **Source of calcium and sulphur for plant nutrition.** Gypsum is a soluble source of the essential plant nutrients, calcium and sulfur which can improve overall plant growth.
- **Improves acid soils and treats aluminum toxicity.** One of gypsum's main advantages is its ability to reduce aluminum toxicity, which often accompanies soil acidity, particularly in subsoils.
- **Improves soil structure.** Soluble calcium enhances soil aggregation and porosity to improve water infiltration.
- **Improves water infiltration.** Gypsum also improves the ability of soil to drain and not become waterlogged due to a combination of high sodium, swelling clay and excess water.
- **Helps reduce runoff and erosion.** Some experts claim that gypsum helps to keep phosphorus and other nutrients from leaving farm fields.

Technical Data

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Colour	Grey
Composition	65-75% (Gypsum)
Guaranteed Minimum	15% Calcium (Ca) 10% Sulphur (S)

Product	Stock Code	Weight	Shipping
Agricultural Gypsum	848M	Bulk loose	Bulk loose

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