

## **FERTILISERS**

**Lime:** one of the purest sources of ground limestone available, finely ground for rapid action in helping to neutralise acid soils. Used also as an aid to breaking up heavy soil, usage rates vary but application of between 2oz and 4oz per square yard.

**Growmore:** a high quality granular product for the allotment. For general use 4oz per square yard should be worked into the soil a week before sowing or planting. For salad crops a base dressing of 2oz per square yard should be worked into the soil one week before planting. For a top dressing 2oz per square yard should be applied at monthly intervals throughout the growing season.

**Sulphate of Potash:** a highly soluble form of potash which is readily available to the plant. Particularly suitable to give extra quality to pot plants, soft fruit and flowers, spread at the rate of 2oz per square yard. Suitable for all year round use.

**Superphosphate:** one of the most widely used sources of phosphate. Can be used in any situation where extra phosphate is needed. Normal application is between 2oz and 4oz per square yard.

**Bone Meal:** a slow release phosphoric fertiliser containing nitrogen. For flowers, vegetables and fruit rake into the soil at 1oz per square yard before planting. Can also be used as a top dressing.

**Blood Fish and Bone:** a slow release natural general purpose fertiliser, this powdered organic fertiliser should be worked into the soil at 4oz per square yard at the start of the season. It can also be used as a top dressing for vegetables at a rate of 4oz per square yard.

**Potato Fertiliser:** a granular fertiliser specifically formulated to meet the requirements of the potato crop. The high potash level helps produce fine firm tubers which do not bruise easily and cook well. Apply at 6oz per square yard.