

**A better variety.**



**BACCTO Commercial Grower's Products**

**BACCTO<sup>®</sup>**

MICHIGAN PEAT COMPANY

# Lightweight or pre-moistened mixes. Now, BACCTO gives you a choice.

With the introduction of BACCTO Professional Grower's Mix, you now have a choice between our proven pre-moistened Professional Planting Mixes and this new lightweight formula. No matter which BACCTO best meets your needs, you can be sure you're giving your plants the ultimate growing conditions. All BACCTO professional peat products feature precise formulations, carefully screened and blended to ensure a high level of consistency, bag-to-bag. Both BACCTO lightweight and pre-moistened mixes also feature our unique sphagnum peat, harvested from our own Michigan bogs. And all combine our signature pH stability with a healthy balance between air porosity and water holding capacity to provide a reliably consistent, quality growing environment. Your choice, lightweight or pre-moistened formulas. Either way, BACCTO is a better variety of planting mix.

## New BACCTO Professional Grower's Mix Lightweight formulation

This lightweight, all purpose ready-to-use mix starts with unique, high-quality sphagnum peat moss from our Michigan bogs, carefully screened for consistency. A wettable formula, BACCTO Professional Grower's Mix offers a balance of physical properties. Key nutritional elements, combined with unique Michigan sphagnum peat moss provide a consistent, high-quality, growing environment for all of your crops. BACCTO Professional Grower's Mix is available in 2.8 cu. ft. loose filled bags, 3.8 cu. ft. compressed bales, and 70 cu. ft. bulk bags.



**2.8 cu. ft.  
Loose-Filled Bag**



**3.8 cu. ft.  
Compressed Bale**



**70 cu. ft.  
Bulk Bag**

# BACCTO Professional Planting Mix

## Pre-moistened formulas

### Professional Planting Mix

Our most popular blend, this pre-moistened planting mix is formulated to enhance the growth of bedding and potted crops in flats, pots, and hanging baskets.

#### Mix characteristics include:

- pH-stable horticultural sphagnum peat and perlite
- Lime addition for high-nutrient buffering
- A balanced blend of major and minor nutrients and wetting agent
- Excellent air porosity and high moisture reserve
- "Grower friendly" composition that's easy to handle
- Outstanding "shelf life" after leaving the greenhouse

(Available in 2 cu. ft. loose-filled bags, 60 cu. ft. bulk bags and prefilled flats)



### Bark 1000 Professional Planting Mix

Carefully formulated for longer-term plantings (e.g., vinca, geraniums, moisture-sensitive crops) in smaller containers such as flats and smaller pots. Bark 1000's physical properties allow for thorough watering, while maintaining good air porosity and moisture reserves.

#### Mix characteristics include:

- Highly buffered horticultural sphagnum peat, plus coarse perlite, processed pine bark, a wetting agent, and a special nutritional package
- Dolomitic lime added for pH adjustment
- Pre-moistened for easy handling and use

(Available in 2 cu. ft. loose-filled bags, 60 cu. ft. bulk bags and prefilled flats)



### High Density Professional Planting Mix

Sandy loam soil is added to this pre-moistened horticultural sphagnum peat and perlite mixture to provide an air/water balance that assists in maintaining crop consistency and plant stoutness.

#### Mix characteristics include:

- A blend of major and minor nutrients
- Wetting agents to provide uniform water absorption and distribution
- Added stability in pots and better height control of vegetable crops

(Available in 40 qt. loose-filled bags, 52 cu. ft. bulk bags and prefilled flats)



### Bark 2000 Professional Planting Mix

Contrasted with Bark 1000, Bark 2000 was developed for use with long-term crops, hanging baskets, stock plants, and other potted crops that require excellent drainage, while maintaining sufficient moisture reserves. Bark 2000's physical properties allow for frequent irrigation and faster dry down for moisture-sensitive crops.

#### Mix characteristics include:

- Highly buffered sphagnum peat, plus perlite, processed pine bark, a wetting agent, and a special nutritional package
- Dolomitic lime added for pH adjustment

(Available in 2 cu. ft. loose-filled bags and 60 cu. ft. bulk bags)



### High Porosity Professional Planting Mix

This pre-moistened mix provides increased drainage and faster drying for bedding and potted crops. It's "grower friendly," for easy handling and use.

#### Mix characteristics include:

- pH-stable horticultural sphagnum peat
- Extra perlite for added porosity
- Dolomitic lime added for pH adjustment
- A balanced blend of major and minor nutrients and wetting agent

(Available in 2 cu. ft. loose-filled bags, 60 cu. ft. bulk bags and prefilled flats)



### BACCTO Fortified Peat Professional Blend

This pre-moistened blend is meticulously formulated to be used as a base for in-house blending of mixes or as an additive to help increase moisture retention and increase pH stability.

#### Blend characteristics include:

- pH-stable horticultural sphagnum peat
- Lime addition for high-nutrient buffering
- A balanced blend of major and minor nutrients and wetting agent
- High moisture reserve
- Adds "shelf life" to crops after leaving the greenhouse

(Available in 60 cu. ft. bulk bags)

### Seedling/Propagating Mix

This pre-moistened blend is specially formulated for germinating seeds, growing plugs, and rooting cuttings. The mix gives young crops a healthy start, and provides for optimum growth even where water quality is poor.

#### Mix characteristics include:

- Fine-screened, pH-stable, horticultural sphagnum peat and perlite
- A carefully balanced low-level nutrient package and wetting agent
- Highly buffered formula to protect against pH fluctuation

(Available in 2 cu. ft. loose-filled bags)



### BACCTO Bulk Bags

Get the same high-quality BACCTO professional mixes in, cost-efficient, loose-filled bulk bag package. Overall, our bulk bags reduce handling and lower mix costs. Flatbed deliveries are available, wrapped, capped, and palletized.

(Bulk bags available in 60 cu. ft.)



### BACCTO Prefilled Containers

Michigan Peat's prefilled containers save growers time, labor, and overhead. These pre-moistened flats are palletized and stretch-wrapped to prevent damage before, during, and after shipment. Each flat is properly filled with the consistent, uniform BACCTO blend of your choice. The same high quality that is standard with all bagged products can be found in our pre-filled flats.

(Sizes Available: 1203, 1204, 1206 Standard Size 1801 Standard Hi-Rise Size 1203, 1204, 1801 True Size.)



## **Baccto. Five decades of quality products and responsive service.**

With more than 50 years experience serving the professional grower, there's no doubt Michigan Peat Company is firmly rooted in quality peat products and in responsive customer support. In fact, a commitment to meeting your needs has always been, and will always be, a part of the BACCTO brand.

That fact has never been any more apparent than it is today. We've added a state-of-the-art packaging and processing facility, and developed additional sphagnum bogs. All of these improvements are based on the objective of providing you with quality, consistent mixes that best meets your needs.

It's why you will always be able to count on BACCTO for a better variety of planting mix.

For the distributor nearest you, call 800-324-7328.



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