

How Much Soil (Or Amendment) Do I Need?

All quantities are approximate

Potting Soil in CONTAINERS

<u>Size of pot</u>	<u>Qty. of soil</u>
1 gallon (qty: 1)	3 dry quarts
1 gallon (qty: 12)	1.5 cu. ft.
5 gallon (qty: 1)	0.5 cu. ft.
Flower pot 12"	8 dry quarts
Flower pot 18"	28 dry quarts
Shallow bowl/wire basket 14"	8 dry quarts
Shallow bowl/wire basket 18"	20 dry quarts
Window box 3' x 6" x 6"	20 dry quarts
Window box 4' x 6" x 6"	1 cu. ft.
Whiskey half barrel 23" ht	4.5 cu. ft.

1 cu. ft. = approx. 26 dry quarts

1 cu. ft. bag fills approx. (9) 1 gallon pots

Amendments/Top Dressings in the GROUND

1" thick layer:

<u>Area sq. ft.</u>	<u>1.5 cu. ft. bag</u>	<u>2 cf</u>	<u>3 cf</u>
10 (5 x 2 ft.)	1 bag	1	1
50 (5 x 10 ft.)	3	3	2
100 (10 x 10 ft.)	6	5	3
200	12	9	6
500	28	21	14

3" thick layer (typical for weed suppression):

<u>Area sq. ft.</u>	<u>1.5 cu. ft. bag</u>	<u>2 cf</u>	<u>3 cf</u>
10	2 bags	2	1
50	10	7	5
100	18	13	8
200	34	25	17
500	*		

1/8" thick layer (recommended for SEEDING LAWNS):

<u>Area sq. ft.</u>	<u>1.5 cu. ft. bag</u>	<u>2 cf</u>	<u>3 cf</u>
10	<1 bag	<1	<1
50	1	<1	<1
100	2	1	1
200	2	2	1
500	4	3	2

6" thick layer:

<u>Area sq. ft.</u>	<u>1.5 cu. ft. bag</u>	<u>2 cf</u>	<u>3 cf</u>
10	4 bag	3	2
50	18	13	8
100	34	25	17
200	*		
500	*		

*For greater quantities, purchasing material in bulk is recommended, Ask us for local sources.

Which Soil (Or Soil Amendment) For Which Garden Project?

For Potting Soil:

All Plants In Containers:

Gardner & Bloome® Potting Soil
E.B. Stone® Edn's Best™ Potting Soil
Growers Best® Premium Soil
(sterile, non-soil media)

For Top Mulching:

Trees, Shrubs & Large Perennials:

Gardner & Bloome® Soil Building Compost
Swanson Wood Products® Bark Mulch

Lawns:

(for overseeding...
Gardner & Bloome® Soil Building Compost
Gardner & Bloome® Premium Topsoil
(for rejuvenating...
E.B. Stone® Earthworm Castings

For Amending Existing Soil:

Trees & Shrubs:

Gardner & Bloome® Soil Building Compost
E.B. Stone® Planting Compost
Gardner & Bloome® Premium Topsoil

Vegetables:

Gardner & Bloome® Harvest Supreme
(for raised beds, filler, poor drainage amend.)
E.B. Stone® Planting Compost
Gardner & Bloome® Farmyard Blend (manure blend)
E.B. Stone® Earthworm Castings

Perennials:

Gardner & Bloome® Soil Building Compost
E.B. Stone® Planting Compost

Annuals:

Gardner & Bloome® Harvest Supreme
E.B. Stone® Planting Compost