



Steve Wood's Compost Tea recipe

Compost tea is packed full of microbial activity. By applying compost tea to your garden soils you are 'kick starting' the important soil life essential to supporting the health and productivity of your plants.

1. Use a 20 litre bucket of rainwater or water that has been allowed to stand for 24 hours (to release chlorine).
2. Place a cupful of compost into a netted bag and submerge into the bucket of water.
3. Use an aquarium type aerator with an air stone attached and place the air stone into the bucket.
4. Add two tablespoons of Full Fat Soya Bean Meal, two tablespoons of Kelp and two tablespoons of natural Molasses (no sulphur added) into the water.
5. Allow the aerator to bubble away for 24 hours.
6. Dilute 1 cupful of Compost Tea into a 9 litre watering can of rainwater or water that has been allowed to stand for 24 hours.
7. Apply to the garden / soil during the evening.

