



HORTICULTURAL PRODUCTS

For lush, healthy plantings
indoor and outdoor.



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PLAISTED GREENHOUSE MIX

This blend of top-quality ingredients offers exceptional water retention properties, resulting in less watering and related costs. The computer-blended mix includes composted pine bark, fibrous peat, course perlite, compost and lime. We can also add fertilizer, or custom blend to meet your needs. It comes bulk or in 2-cubic yard tote bags.

- Composted pine bark creates air space and allows water to the root system.
- Fibrous peat allows maximum water holding capacity and helps retain nutrients.
- Perlite is very light, helps create air space, and has good water retention properties.

PLAISTED PREMIUM GARDEN MIX

The best premium garden mix on the market today. It can be used as a replacement or amendment to existing soil. Successful gardening and plant growth depends upon good soil conditions. This mix adds organic matter that improves all attributes of the soil.

- Organic compost provides porosity, loosens the soil and helps retain nutrients.
- Coarse fibrous peat increases the soil's water holding capacity, benefiting the root system.
- Our high quality screened soil is uniformly consistent and increases cation exchange capacity.
- Coarse sand is added to provide better porosity for proper water drainage and air space, keeping the soil loose.

PLAISTED GROWERS MIX

Growers use this as an affordable amendment to their native soil. It helps improve soil conditions for growing flowers, shrubs and trees. We recommend blending 25% of our Growers Mix with 75% of the native soil. This mixture promotes better plant survival, plant growth and flowering, while requiring less plant maintenance. This quality mix consists of composted pine bark, fibrous peat and course sand.

- Clay soil benefits: Improves the condition of heavy clay soil by increasing drainage, which decreases root disease. Loose soil also creates a better root growing environment.
- Sandy soil benefits: Reduces the amount of watering and fertilizer needed.



High quality is one of our driving principles, that's why we hose down our trucks between deliveries to help prevent any cross contamination.



TOTAL GARDEN BLEND – A soil-less blend

A simpler way to garden—No mixing, just pour and blend! This remarkable soil-less blend with a slow release fertilizer provides amazing results in as little as 6 weeks. The blend consists of mostly peat, composted pine bark, organic yard compost, perlite, lime and fertilizer. Ideal for raised gardens. You'll love its low maintenance features::

- No tilling and almost no weeding because it's a soil-less blend
- Less watering because of the high peat content
- Faster growth attained by slow-release fertilizer in the blend
- Low maintenance—no need to amend soil each year

PLAISTED ORGANIC COMPOST MIX

Use as a replacement or as an amendment to any soil. This mixture of 60% organic compost mix and 40% screened soil supports better plant growth and provides porosity. Better porosity makes it easier for plants to establish a good root system. The mix also increases the ability of the soil to absorb and distribute moisture, oxygen and nutrients.

- In sandy soil, this mix slows the loss of nutrients and water and provides a consistent high quality growing medium.
- In clay soil, this mix allows water and air to infiltrate, enabling excess water to drain, thereby creating just the right soil porosity and keeping the soil loose.

PLAISTED ORGANIC YARD COMPOST MIX MN DOT 3890 Type 2

Use as an amendment to help improve sandy soil or clay soil. This mix consists solely of recyclable yard waste: leaves, grass clippings and wood chips. It's created using a controlled aerobic decomposition of the organic components. We compost the product for one year to make sure it has matured, turning the composted piles every one to two months while checking quality. The final process consists of screening the material to the correct size.

SOIL AMENDMENTS – Mix 50/50 with native soils

When mixed with existing soils, the ingredients in these amendments help maintain loose soil and give you the best results for growing plants, without the higher cost of replacing all your soil. Composted pine bark provides organic matter which develops a higher quality soil. Course, fibrous peat promotes maximum water holding capacity to help retain plant nutrients.

- Clay Soil Amendment – includes specially graded coarse sand for better drainage, turning hard compact clay into loose soil so roots can grow.
- Sandy Soil Amendment – includes screened soil to slow water from running through the sand.



Our **NEW** Total Garden Blend produces some of the largest plants that we've ever seen, especially tomatoes.

Pulverized Black Dirt

Pulverized and screened, making it easy to work with. Use for all sorts of lawn, garden and planting applications.

Plaisted Compost Mix

A mix of pulverized leaf compost and black dirt for enhanced growth of horticultural materials and lawns.

Plaisted Composted Pine Bark

Composted for about one year. When ready, it is one of the main ingredients blended with other components to grow greenhouse and nursery stock.

Landscape Mulch

Eight varieties and colors, plus playground chips.

Washed & Screened Sands

Course sand, fill sand, dry sand and more.



PLAISTED ACCUBLENDER™

It's all about precise measurement and blending. With our creation of the Accublander in 1995, customers' requests for a consistent quality soil was answered. Select from one of our standard mixes, or have us custom blend a mix by specifying the percentage of each product wanted in the mix.

Each ingredient is put into a separate bin then ingredients are precisely fed onto the Accublander belt, layering one on top of the other. As they fall through special screens and paddles, the ingredients are blended together creating a consistent product, load after load.

The Accublander™ 4 can blend up to four components and has an optional fertilizer bin. It precisely blends up to 2,500 tons of material a day.



The Accublander™ 2 is a portable two-bin blender capable of blending up to 2,500 tons of material a day on your site. This is ideal for locations where acceptable materials are available to blend and there is sufficient space.

Quality materials, readily available.

In addition to owning two mining operations, Plaisted owns peat farms in McGregor and Cromwell, MN and hosts compost operations on our Elk River property. Both these business are a vital source of components for our specialty blends.

Consistent quality. Reliable delivery.

Ongoing research and development, and our team of market specialists are behind our continued growth. They can help you determine the best blends for your application.

Our experienced drivers, fleet of 45 trucks, and our GPS locator help set the standard for the most responsive delivery system in the 5-state area.

Our Guarantee

We deliver on our promise, or make it right.

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