



To make **Better than Dirt** compost feed stock materials are assembled in windrows, monitored for correct temperature and air supply and turned as needed. During the 9-week composting process, organic matter is broken down by heat and aerobic microbes and then is built back into humus.

This gives **Better than Dirt** Compost its rich earth-like smell. Composting converts ammonia to nitrates. Nitrates are an odorless stable form of nitrogen that plants can readily absorb. **Better than Dirt** is tested to assure ammonia is fully transformed into plant friendly nitrates and free from weed seeds.



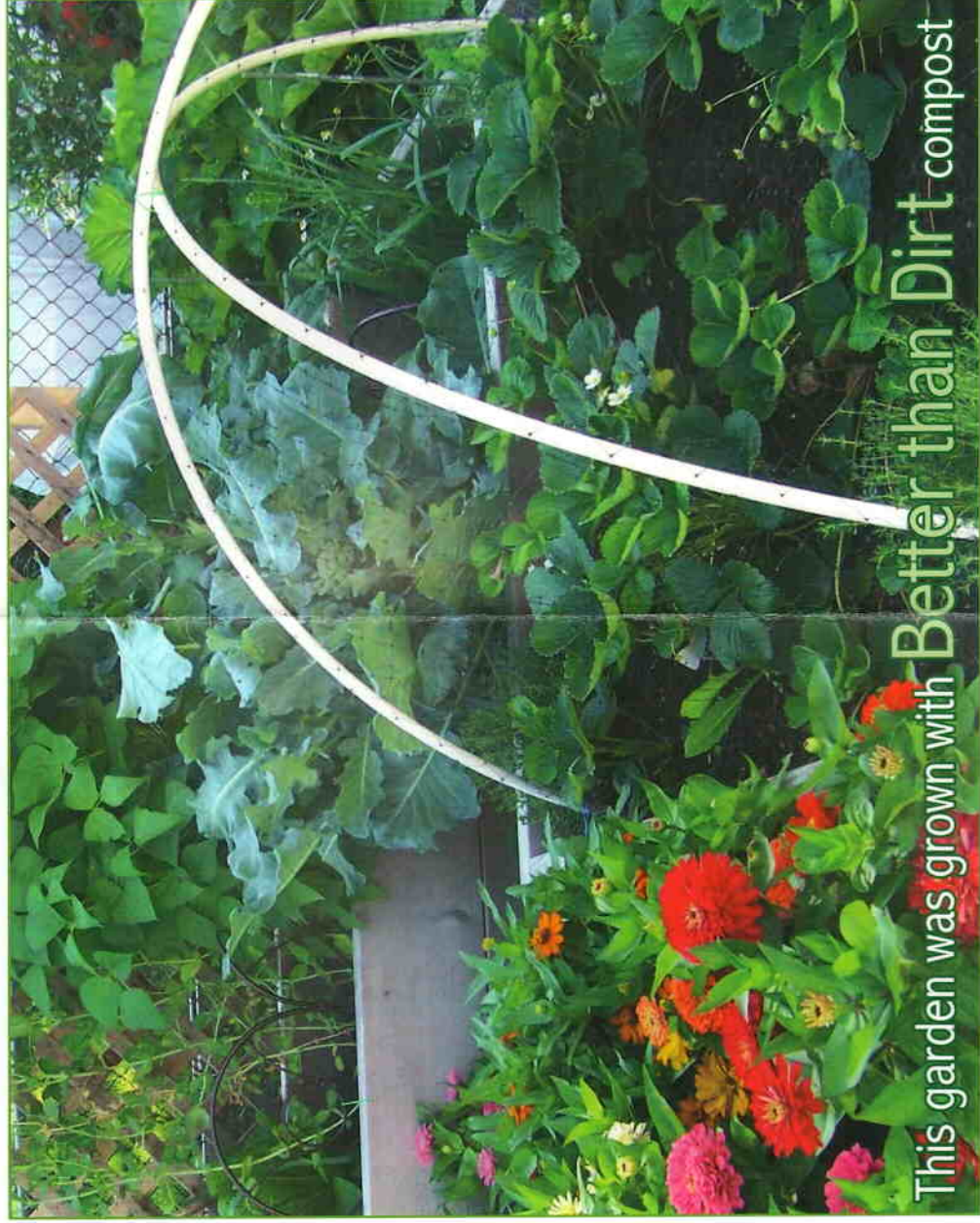
Better than Dirt COMPOST

- Contains all natural ingredients
- Has rich earth-like smell
- Adds organic matter to soil
- No raw manure
- Locally made near Columbus, Wisconsin

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Compost made from
Beef Steer Manure,
Leaves and Sawdust

Feed Your Soil



Compost Application Guidelines:

Flower Beds

- Top-dress with 2 inches of compost

Vegetable Gardens

- Depending upon soil fertility requirements, add 1/2 inch to 2 inches of compost
- Very sandy and heavily depleted soils might require a little more compost

New Lawns

- Incorporate 1/2 inch to 1 inch of compost into soil

Existing Lawns

- Spread 1/4 inch to 1/2 inch of compost as top-dressing

Container Growing

- Compost should be approximately 10% to 25% of the total soil volume

How much compost will I need?

One cubic yard of compost covers approximately 324 sq. ft. when it is applied at a rate of 1 inch deep

PLEASE NOTE: It is not recommended to use 100% compost. Compost should be used as a soil amendment or light top-dressing.