

**Fight Drought and High Water Bills!**

**CUT WATERING**  
**BY UP TO 50% OR MORE!**

**¡Reduzca el riego en un 50% o más!**

- **Lawns, Trees & Shrubs**
- **Fruits, Vegetables & Flowers**
- **Potted Plants & Hanging Baskets**

**Hydretain<sup>®</sup>**  
**GRANULAR OC**

**ROOT ZONE MOISTURE MANAGER**

*with Organic Compost Carrier*



Not for use in organic crop and organic food production in the State of California.

**Active ingredients:** 12.5% Humectants  
3.75% Non-Ionic Surfactant  
**Inert Ingredients:** 75% Organic Compost  
8.75% Water (Moisture Content)  
100% Total

**Treats up to  
300 sq. ft.  
of Gardens  
For 3 Months**

**Kid & Pet Friendly**

**Net Wt. 3lbs. (1.4 Kg) • NOT A PLANT FOOD**





**GRANULAR OC**  
Biodegradable Organic Compost Carrier

**Hydretain** is a proprietary root zone moisture management technology that is designed to reduce the overall watering requirements of plants, shrubs, trees, turf and agriculture. Hydretain is a liquid group of hygroscopic and humectant components that attract moisture like tiny “water magnets” and make available to plant roots microscopic moisture which would otherwise be lost to evaporation. Hydretain ES Plus combines Hydretain’s root zone moisture management technology with an advanced non-ionic surfactant for dry or hard-to-wet soils.

**Hydretain Granular OC** puts the power of Hydretain ES Plus in an easy to spread, biodegradable, organic compost granule that is convenient for dry spreader applications. Hydretain Granular OC is easily applied to dry spots, flower beds, around shrubs, trees, and containerized plants as well as residential lawns.

**Application Instructions:** Hydretain can be used anytime during the plants’ life cycle. Applications performed at the time of planting, seeding, sodding or transplanting will improve plant establishment. Water-in as soon as possible within 5 days after application. Water-in thoroughly, allowing Hydretain to completely penetrate and saturate the root zone. This product will not become functional until it is properly watered in. Delay mowing until product has been watered in.

**For Best Results:** Application prior to plant stress is recommended for optimum plant protection. Water thoroughly when re-watering Hydretain treated plants. Reapply every 3 months or as needed. Reapply Hydretain if reduction in watering or aesthetic improvement is not apparent within the first 2 weeks. A proper fertilization program will enhance the activity of Hydretain. To maximize water saving benefits, be sure to adjust your irrigation timer or manual watering habits.

**Lawn:** Apply to established turf or at the time of seeding or sod installation at a rate of 2.5 to 3 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. Reapply every 3 months or as needed. For greater effectiveness or for exceptionally difficult dry spots, reapply every 6 weeks at ½ rate, after the initial full rate application.

**Large Planters & Gardens** (where plants are close together): Apply 1 lb. per 100 sq. ft. of planter bed. Spread topically for existing beds. For new plantings, Hydretain Granular OC may be mixed into soil prior to planting or spread topically after planting.

**Individual Plants, Potted or Containerized Plants:** Apply topically and water-in or mix into the planting media at time of planting. See below for pot size application guidelines. Additional pot size guidelines are available online at [www.hydretain.com/applicationguides](http://www.hydretain.com/applicationguides)

Small Pots and Hanging Baskets - see table.

Large Planters and Urns (16”-22”): 1 – 1.5 Cups  
Window and Patio Planter Boxes: ½ cup per sq. ft.

3"	4"	5"	6"	8"	10"	12"	14"
1/2 tbsp	1 tbsp	1.5 tbsp	2 tbsp	4 tbsp	6 tbsp	8 tbsp	12tbsp

**Shrubs & Trees:** Apply 1.5 to 2 lbs. per caliper inch. Apply evenly from the base of the tree just past the drip line for existing trees. May be mixed with the planting media for transplanting trees or applied topically after planting and then watered in.

Hydretain es un exclusivo producto para controlar la humedad del área de la raíz que reduce significativamente la necesidad de riego de las plantas. Hydretain está enriquecido con un surfactante del suelo de origen natural para penetrar en los suelos secos o difíciles de humedecer. Para instrucciones de aplicación en Español, visite: [www.hydretain.com/spanish](http://www.hydretain.com/spanish)

This product features safe hygroscopic and humectant components on an organic carrier: this product is not classified as hazardous under the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals and does not require any wait period before your family and pets can enter the application area.

**Limited Warranty:** Ecologel Solutions, LLC warrants that when used in accordance with label directions this product is reasonably fit for its intended purpose. Since method of application, weather, plant and soil conditions, mixture with other chemicals, etc. are beyond our control, there are no warranties or representations of any kind, express or implied, concerning this product.

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