# OMEX Foliar Boron

#### **FUNCTION**

Boron is actively involved in the transport of sugars across cell walls and the synthesis of cell wall material. Because of the impact on cell development, Boron deficiencies will retard new growth and development.

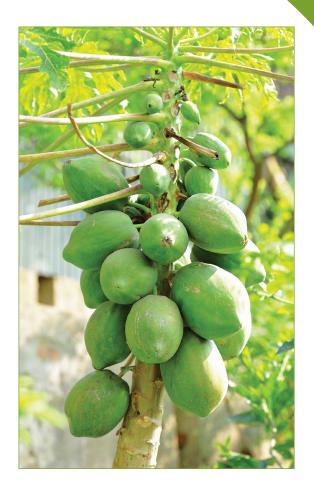
Boron deficiency affects a range of crops including root crops, oil seeds, cotton, vines, field brassicas and other vegetables. The primary factors affecting boron availability are soil pH and soil moisture. Crop production on dry soils with pH >6.5 should be identified as being at greatest risk of boron deficiency.

Boron deficiency will cause brittle leaves in sorghum, brassica and sugar beet crops. Cotton is also very susceptible to boron deficiency causing distorted flowers leading to flower and boll shedding in severe cases.

Pollination is greatly influenced by boron availability. Sufficient boron is required for pollen producing capacity and pollen grain viability. Grapes particularly require adequate boron if impaired fertilisation is to be avoided.



Fully water soluble solution fertiliser containing nitrogen and boron.

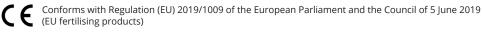


# Analysis of OMEX Foliar Boron

|          |   | Wt/Wt* | Wt/Vol |
|----------|---|--------|--------|
| Nitrogen | N | 4.80%  | 6.50%  |
| Boron    | В | 11.00% | 15.00% |

pH (10% solution) 8.0-9.0 Specific Gravity 1.35-1.39 @ 18°C

\*For registration purposes Wt/Wt concentrations are recommended.



### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

The spray tank should be filled with half of the required amount of water. Measure the required amount of OMEX Foliar Boron and add to the tank whilst maintaining constant agitation.

Add remaining water to correct dilution. Spray.





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**DILUTION:** Recommended water rate is 500-1500 Litres per hectare

Always shake container before opening



## Recommendations for use:

| CROP         | RATE I/ha | RATE ml/100l | APPLICATION DETAILS   |
|--------------|-----------|--------------|---|
| Carrots      | 2.0       | 400          | 1st application at 6-8 leaf stage, 2nd application after 3 weeks                                    |
| Coffee       | 2.0       | 200          | 2 applications, before and after flowering  |
| Cotton       | 1.0-2.0   | 200-400      | Apply at 5-7 leaf stage, early square stage and early boll stage                                    |
| Fruit        | 2.0       | 200          | 3 applications per season, 1st spray after petal fall followed at 2-3 week intervals                |
| Legumes      | 1.0       | 200          | Before flowering  |
| Olives       | 2.0       | 200          | 2 applications, before and after flowering  |
| Other crops  | 1.0-2.0   | 200-400      | Apply up to 3 times per season  |
| Stonefruit   | 1.0       | 100          | After harvest before leaf fall  |
| Strawberries | 2.0       | 200          | 2 applications, before and after flowering  |
| Sugarbeet    | 3.0       | 600          | 1st application at 6-8 leaf stage, 2nd application 2-3 weeks later, before crop meets across row    |
| Vegetables   | 2.0-3.0   | 400          | 1st application at seedling stage when leaf area is sufficient.<br>2nd application before flowering |

#### TANK MIXING COMPATIBILITY

OMEX Foliar Boron is compatible with most, but not all, pesticides, growth regulators and micronutrients with regard to physical tank mixing and biological effects on the crop. However, OMEX cannot accept any liability for any loss or damage as not all pesticides have been tested and because the efficacy of any mix will depend on, among other factors, the pesticide concerned, crop conditions, growth stage, weather and volumes of water used. Do not mix with phosphates or sulphates.



#### **PRECAUTIONS**

OMEX Foliar Boron should be stored in frost free conditions with optimum storage range between 5-40°C. OMEX Foliar Boron is a non-hazardous and non-flammable foliar fertiliser. Gloves and face shield should be worn when handling the concentrate. In situations of prolonged storage there may be slight settling of the nutrient particles. This is reversible on shaking.

**PACKING:** OMEX Foliar Boron is available in HDPE drums of 0.25L, 0.5L, 1L, 3L, 5L, 10L capacity. Drums are fitted with tamper evident closures. 200 and 1000 Litre mini bulk available.

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