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Lab #	2484902	Report of Analysis		Report Number: 16-038-4071
Account: 25295	MATT BIEGLER COMPOST USA PO BOX 297 OAKLAND FL 34760	 Robert Ferris Account Manager 402-829-9871		
Date Sampled:	2016-01-19			
Date Received: Sample ID:	2016-01-20 SAMPLE			
		NUTRIENT ANALYSIS		
		Analysis (as rec'd)	Analysis (dry weight)	Total content, lbs per ton (as rec'd)
NUTRIENTS				
Nitrogen				
Total Nitrogen	%	0.98	1.93	19.6
Organic Nitrogen	%	0.92	1.82	18.5
Ammonium Nitrogen	%	0.006	0.012	0.1
Nitrate Nitrogen	%	0.05	0.10	1.0
Major and Secondary Nutrients				
Phosphorus	%	0.45	0.88	9.0
Phosphorus as P2O5	%	1.03	2.03	20.6
Potassium	%	0.29	0.57	5.8
Potassium as K2O	%	0.35	0.69	7.0
Sulfur	%	0.17	0.33	3.4
Calcium	%	3.03	5.96	60.6
Magnesium	%	0.17	0.33	3.4
Sodium	%	0.040	0.079	0.8
Micronutrients				
Iron	ppm	1390	2733	2.8
Manganese	ppm	54.1	106	0.1
Boron	ppm	< 20	---	---
OTHER PROPERTIES				
Moisture	%	49.14		
Total Solids	%	50.86		1017.2
Organic Matter	%	29.00	57.02	580.0
Ash	%	21.90	43.06	438.0
Total Carbon	%	14.40	28.31	
Chloride	%	0.08	0.16	
pH		6.8		
Conductivity 1:5 (Soluble Salts)	mS/cm	3.28		

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Biological Properties											
Germination	100		%	1	TMECC 05.05A						
Germination Vigor	100		%	1	TMECC 05.05A						
CO ₂ OM Evolution	0.02		mgCO ₂ -C/gOM/day	0.01	TMECC 05.08B						
CO ₂ Solids Evolution	0.04		mgCO ₂ -C/gTS/day	0.01	TMECC 05.08B						
Fecal Coliform		< 2	mpn/g	2	EPA 1681						
Salmonella		< 0.01	mpn/4g	0.01	EPA 1682						
Stability Rating	Stable		N/A	N/A	TMECC 05.08B						
Physical Properties											
Bulk Density (Loose)	944		lbs/cu yard	1	WT/VOL						
Bulk Density (Packed)	1230		lbs/cu yard	1	WT/VOL						
Film Plastics	n.d.		%	0.25	Microscopic						
Glass Fragments	n.d.		%	0.25	Microscopic						
Hard Plastics	n.d.		%	0.25	Microscopic						
Metal Fragment	n.d.		%	0.25	Microscopic						
Sharps	absent		---	---	Microscopic						
Max. Particle Length		1.1	inches	N/A	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 3"		100	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 2"		100	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 1.5"		100	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 1"		100	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 3/4"		100	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 5/8"		100	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 3/8"		100	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						
Sieve % Passing 1/4"		99	%	0.01	TMECC Sieve						

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Organic Matter %		Greater than 20% indicates a desirable range for compost on a dry weight basis.
29.00	As Received	
57.02	Dry Weight	

Compost is a significant source of Organic Matter, which is an important supplier of carbon. Organic Matter improves soil and plant efficiency by improving soil physical properties, providing a source of energy to beneficial organisms, and enhancing the reservoir of soil nutrients.

C/N Ratio		20-30 indicates an ideal range for the initial compost process. 10-20 indicates an ideal range for a finished compost.
14.7:1		

All organic matter is made up of substantial amounts of carbon with lesser amounts of nitrogen. The balance of these two elements is called the Carbon/Nitrogen Ratio. For the best performance, the compost pile requires the correct proportion of carbon for energy and nitrogen for protein production. If the C:N ratio is too high (excess carbon) decomposition slows down. If the C:N ratio is too low (excess Nitrogen) the compost pile could be difficult to manage.

Moisture %		<35% = Indicates overly dry compost >55% = Indicates overly wet compost
49.14		

Moisture Percent is the measure of water present in the compost and expressed as a percentage of total weight. Moisture present affects handling and transport. Overly dry will be light and dusty while overly wet will be heavy and clumpy. A desirable moisture content of finished compost will range between 40 to 50%.

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Conductivity or Soluble Salts measures the conductance of electrical current in a liquid compost slurry. Excessive soluble salt content in a compost can prevent or delay seed germination and proper root growth. Conductivity analysis is done on a 1:5 basis.

Conductivity 1:5	
3.3	
Conductivity Level	Interpretation
Greater than 10	Very High nutrient content. Use for Ag Applications
5 - 10	High nutrient content. Use for Ag Applications
3 - 5	Higher than desirable for salt sensitive plants, some loss of vigor
0.6 - 3	Desirable range for most plants
0.3 - 0.6	Ideal range for greenhouse growth media
0.0 - 0.3	Very Low: Indicates very low nutrient status: plants may show deficiencies.

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pH Value

6.8

0 to 14 scale with 6 to 8 as normal pH levels for compost

A pH in the 6 to 8 pH range indicates a more mature compost

pH measures the acidity or alkalinity of the compost, and is a measurement of the hydrogen ion activity of a soil or compost on a logarithmic scale. The pH scale ranges from 0 to 14 and 7 indicates a neutral pH. Growing media with a higher pH or pH greater than 7 can benefit from a compost that has a more acidic pH or pH below 7. This type of application will possibly lower the soil pH making the soil more conducive to plants that thrive in a more acidic soil condition.

Nutrient Index (Ag Index)

>10

The Nutrient Index normally runs between 1 and 10.

The Nutrient Index is obtained by dividing the total nutrients (N,P,K) by the amount of salt (Sodium and Chloride). The higher the Nutrient Index the less chance of having a toxic buildup of Sodium (salt) in the soil.

AG INDEX CHART										
<i>salt injury possible</i>	<i>use on soils with excellent drainage characteristics, good water quality and low salts</i>				<i>you may use on soils with poor drainage, poor water quality, or high salts</i>					<i>for all soils</i>
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	> 10

Nutrients (N+P205+K20)

4.64

Average Nutrient Content Dry Weight

<2 = Low, >5 = High

1-1-0.5

Rating As Received

The most commonly used compost data is the amount of Nitrogen, Phosphate, and Potash (abbreviated as N,P,K) present and the information is similar to that found in common fertilizers. If a compost result has the rating 1-2-2 it means that the compost has 1% Nitrogen, 2% Phosphate and 2% Potash. Most compost tests will have a average nutrient level (N+P+K) of < 5%.

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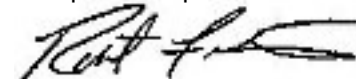
REPORT OF ANALYSIS

For: (25295) COMPOST USA
NUTRIENT ANALYSIS

Analysis	Level Found		Units	Reporting		Analyst- Date	Verified- Date
	As Received	Dry Weight		Limit	Method		
Sample ID: SAMPLE	Lab Number: 2484902		Date Sampled: 2016-01-19 1310				
Cadmium (total)	< 0.50	< 0.50	mg/kg	0.50	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Chromium (total)	5.17	10.2	mg/kg	1.00	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Mercury (total)	0.07	0.14	mg/kg	0.05	EPA 7471 *	ccm2-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Lead (total)	< 5.0	< 5.0	mg/kg	5.0	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Molybdenum (total)	< 1.0	< 1.0	mg/kg	1.0	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Nickel (total)	2.6	5.1	mg/kg	1.0	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Selenium (total)	< 10.0	< 10.0	mg/kg	10.0	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Zinc (total)	111.9	220.0	mg/kg	2.0	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Copper (total)	62.5	123	mg/kg	1	EPA 6010 *	ras7-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27
Arsenic (total)	1.58	3.11	mg/kg	0.5	EPA 6020	cjm4-2016/01/22	kkh9-2016/01/27

ppm = parts per million, ppm = mg/kg

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The result(s) issued on this report only reflect the analysis of the sample(s) submitted.

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OFFICIAL Seal of Testing Assurance
Compost Sample Chain of Custody Form

STA Laboratory: *M. Dewest Laboratory* Tel: *(402) 334-7770*
 Address: *13611 B Street* FAX: _____
Omaha, Nebraska Email: _____
 City, State Zip code: *68144-3693*

Client/Reporting Company: *Compost USA of Sumner* Tel: *(402) 496-2872*
 Contact Name: *Matt Biegler* FAX: _____
 Billing Address: *PB Box 297* Email: *CompostUSA@gmail.com*
DAKINND FL 34760
 City, State Zip code: _____

Send Results to: _____
 City, State Zip code: *Same as Above*

Name or Source of Sample(s): _____
 Name of Person(s), Sample Collector(s): _____

LABORATORY USE ONLY Storage Locations

Freezer _____ Cold Room _____ Storage Shelf _____

Sample Condition: _____

Temperature: _____ Malodor: _____ Moisture: _____

Sample Type: POINT COMPOSITE STRATIFIED INTERVAL

P.O. Number: _____

USCC Member: YES NO

SELECTION OF ANALYSIS. Refer to <http://www.tmecc.org/cap/methods.html> for details.
 STA Suite; State DOT Tests (indicate State); A, B, C - Specify other tests in fields A through C, (e.g., tests required for regulated samples, etc.). **NOTE 1** STA analytical results via the STA Compost Technical Data Sheet and this Chain of Custody form are submitted to STA program management.

A *STA* B C

Client Sample ID and Special Instructions	1. List Feedstocks 2. Check all that apply 3. List % by volume. (Optional)	Collection Date/Time	Sample Matrix	Composting Operation Type	Shipping Temperature	Indicate Compost Analysis Requirements (*identify state)	LAB USE ONLY Job Number & Sample Status
902	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Green waste <input type="checkbox"/> Carcass <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Manure <input type="checkbox"/> Fish Waste <input type="checkbox"/> Food <input type="checkbox"/> Grease, Fats <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Biosolids <input type="checkbox"/> MSW <input type="checkbox"/> Wood	Date: <i>1/19/16</i> Time: <i>13:30</i> Initials: <i>MB</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Compost <input type="radio"/> Feedstock <input type="radio"/> Mulch <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Windrow <input type="radio"/> Static pile <input type="radio"/> In-Vessel <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<input type="radio"/> Ambient <input checked="" type="radio"/> Wet Ice <input type="radio"/> Dry Ice	STA Suite State DOT Identify State A B C	

INFORM THE STA LABORATORY AND SPECIFY THE REQUIRED LABORATORY TESTS WHEN SUBMITTING REGULATED COMPOST SAMPLES (please use spaces A, B and C provided above).

PLEASE PROVIDE SPECIFIC FEEDSTOCK AND OPERATIONAL DETAIL IN THE SPACE PROVIDED.
 YOUR VOLUNTEERED INFORMATION PROVIDES USCC STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMITTEE WITH CRUTIAL DATA NEEDED TO BETTER UNDERSTAND THE COMPOSTING PROCESS AND COMPOST END USES.

Co Composting of Biosolids, Yardwaste and spent Horse bedding in Windrows utilizing innoculant (MSAP Method) Finish compost used in Potting Soil blends, Turf Grass and Agriculture Applications

Releasing Signature 1 <i>MB</i>	Date <i>1/19/16</i>	Time <i>13:30</i>	Receiving Signature 1 <i>GB</i>	Date <i>1-19-16</i>	Time <i>1:30</i>
Releasing Signature 2	Date	Time	Receiving Signature 2	Date	Time
Releasing Signature 3	Date	Time	Receiving Signature 3	Date	Time
Releasing Signature 4	Date	Time	Receiving Signature 4	Date	Time

Compost Count: *1*

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5.6g