



live life...

...on the lawn

## 4 easy steps to a green and healthy lawn

### 1 preparation

- Prepare soil by digging to a depth of 10-15cm. Water well to allow weeds to germinate.
- After 2 weeks spray weeds with Yates Zero Glyphosate weed spray, or for faster results, Yates Zero Rapid Weedkiller.
- Once weeds have died off, lightly rake area to remove and clear any debris.

*TIP: If you have heavy clay soils loosen them by mixing in some Yates Gypsum Clay Breaker*



### 2 sow or lay

- First apply Yates Dynamic Lifter Organic Lawn Food to encourage beneficial microbes in the soil and gently feed new grass.
- Then scatter Yates LawnSmart Lawn Seed. Apply first half of seed in North-South direction and second half East-West to ensure an even result, then lightly rake over.
- Keep newly sown lawn damp at all times throughout germination.
- If you are laying turf, prepare soil by adding Yates Dynamic Lifter Turf Starter, specifically designed to feed new grass and hold moisture in the root area.



### 3 feeding

- New lawns should be fertilised with a lawn starter fertiliser or Yates Dynamic Lifter Lawn Food, which provides gentle feeding and conditions the soil.
- Once lawns are at least 12 weeks old, feed with Yates Lawn Master. This slow release lawn food feeds and greens for up to 12 weeks.

*TIP: Early morning is the best time to water your lawn. Deep watering twice a week will encourage stronger root growth, and will carry nutrients to the roots.*



### 4 maintain

- Control lawn weeds by using Yates Weed n Feed. Apply product when weeds are actively growing. If you have a buffalo lawn use NEW Yates Buffalo Pro Hose-On weed killer, specifically formulated to be safe on this lawn type.
- Protect your lawn from damaging pests such as white curl grub and billbug larvae by spraying with Confidor Hose-on Lawn Insecticide.

*TIP: Regular feeding will encourage a thicker and stronger lawn that is less likely to be invaded by weeds.*



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...pest & weed free



## spot sprayers: non-selective weedkillers



### onion weed

Yates Zero Rapid Weedkiller & Yates Zero Weeding Brush

Hint: Attempting to dig out onion weed will simply help to spread the bulbs. Follow up herbicide treatment will be necessary. Yates Zero Weeding Brush can be brushed on onion weed. Best results at flowering time.



### dandelion

Yates Zero Rapid Weedkiller

Hint: Like all weeds, dandelion is best treated in its early stages. Apply when weeds are actively growing.



### capeweed

Yates Zero Rapid Weedkiller

Hint: Spot spray carefully, avoiding contact with lawn grasses.



### paspalum

Yates Zero Glyphosate Concentrate Weedspray

Hint: Spot spray with Zero or remove by cutting off the clump at ground level with a sharp knife or hoe.



## selective weedkillers



### broadleaf weeds

Yates Buffalo Pro Hose-On

Hint: Buffalo Pro and granular Weed 'n' Feed can be applied to safely remove weeds from buffalo lawns.



### bindii

Yates Bindii & Clover Weeder

Yates Buffalo Pro Hose-On

Hint: Treat this ferny-leaved weed when it first appears, well before it has the chance to develop its spiny seeds.



### clover

Yates Bindii & Clover Weeder

Yates Weed 'n' Feed Hose-On

Hint: Feed lawns well during their growing season to develop a weed-resistant, thick cover of grass.



## pest control



### black beetle

Yates Baythroid

Hint: Black beetles are attracted to light, so avoid leaving outdoor lights on at night in the warmer months when the beetles are active.



### curl grubs

Bayer Confidor Hose-on Lawn Insecticide

Bayer Confidor Lawn and Garden Insecticide

Hint: Root-eating curl grubs are very damaging to lawns. Birds pecking at the lawn often indicate their presence.

