



# BLACK MULCH

Living Earth's Black Mulch is a competitively priced alternative to our other mulch products. It is made from recycled untreated dyed wood chip that provides an excellent carpet around plants. Black Mulch offers an aesthetically appealing finish to any commercial or residential garden, while helping to lock in moisture and keep the weeds out.

## PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS



Particle size	≤100mm
Weeds	Absent
Natural / undyed particle size:	
≤50mm	≥90% pass
≤15mm	40 - 70% pass
≤10mm	20 - 50% pass

## QUALITY STANDARD

We take great care to bring you premium product. Our products are created from recovered green waste and are compliant to the New Zealand Standard NZS: 4454 for Composts, Soil Conditioners and Mulches.

[Click here](#) for more information about NZS4454

## HANDLING & APPLICATION

Coloured mulch may potentially stain. Although we make every effort to ensure that our coloured mulch is dry, we are unable to offer any guarantee that staining will not occur if blown next to sensitive areas i.e. house walls, concrete driveways etc. Ensure you protect these areas with plywood sheets or similar. Living Earth accepts no liability for any damage caused as a result of unprotected areas.

- Use Living Earth Black Mulch around plants to a depth of minimum 50mm.
- Perfect for locking in moisture at the roots of the plants and keeping weeds out.

## INGREDIENTS

- Recycled untreated wood
- Environmentally friendly dye

## HEALTH WARNING

Ordinary garden soil and products like compost and mixes may contain a variety of living micro-organisms, some of which, on rare occasion can cause illness in humans. Serious infection is rare. However, for older people or those with reduced immunity, infection can be life threatening. We recommend the following precautions: avoid opening bags in enclosed areas; avoid inhaling the mix; always wear gloves and wash hands after use. See your doctor if you develop high fever, chill, breathlessness or cough.

## RECYCLED PRODUCT DECLARATION

Living Earth products are made with a compost base produced from Auckland's greenwaste. This is great for the planet but the reality of greenwaste recycling means that small inorganic items can sometimes remain after the composting and screening process. You can be confident Living Earth meets the NZS 4454 (and BioGro) standards and all products go through a pasteurisation process which mean they're safe with lots of long-term benefits for your soil. Your plants will thrive and your veggies will taste delicious. Please just be mindful of what goes in with your greenwaste when it is time for harvesting and pruning all that growth.

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