# **KRUSTY**

If you have compaction in your soil you want to take a look at this product. *Krusty* can be used in-furrow with your starter at planting time or broadcast sprayed for great results in yield and production.

#### **General Information**

Krusty reduces soil compaction, allowing water and air to move deeper into soil profile. Being a biologically fermented extract, Krusty contains multiple polymers and bio-surfactants that will swell and shrink within the soil, reducing the natural binding effects of compacted soil.

## **Krusty**

- Helps to aerate soil, reducing anaerobic conditions, foster pathogens, toxins and plant and root diseases.
- Contains both nonionic and anionic surfactants, preventing it from washing out of the soil and reducing leaching.
- Contains natural chelates to work with soil minerals, allowing Krusty to work more effectively.

#### **Uses**

- Apply at rate of 1 quart to 1 gallon per acre depending on compaction; 1 quart to ½ gallon will loosen general compaction issues; ½ to 1 gallon per acre for more serious and severe compaction levels.
- Very effective at planting in a 4-6" band with seed to reduce compaction for new growth at low rates, 1 quart per acre. *Krusty* can be applied on existing plants without tissue damage to reduce compaction post planting.
- Apply with 5 to 20 gallons of water and then let rain or irrigation water carry it into the soil profile.
- Can be included with a fall crop residue program to allow microbiology an improved opportunity to degrade plant matter.



## **Krusty Trials 2017**

(All tests were run through a starter system on the planter.)

- Control (Compost Tea, Moly and Bio-Release)
  - o Compaction Probe Results
    - Test 1 = 230 psi
    - Test 2 = 215 psi
    - Test 3 = 220 psi
  - o Average Yield
    - 207.42 BU/A
- Krusty Test #1 (Krusty at 16oz/A, Compost Tea, Moly and Bio-Release)
  - o Compaction Probe Results
    - Test 1 = 190 psi
    - Test 2 = 180 psi
    - Test 3 = 185 psi
  - o Average Yield
    - 225.62 BU/A

- Krusty Test #2 (Krusty at 13oz/A, Compost Tea, Moly and Bio-Release)
  - o Compaction Probe Results
    - Test 1 = 200 psi
    - Test 2 = 200 psi
    - Test 3 = 195 psi
  - o Average Yield
    - 215.62 BU/A
- Krusty Test #2 (Krusty at 22.5oz/A, Compost Tea, Moly and Bio-Release)
  - o Compaction Probe Results
    - Test #1 = 190 psi
    - Test #2 =170 psi
    - Test #3 = 185 psi
  - o Average Yield
    - 217.63 BU/A

TEA, BIO-RELEASE AND KRUSTY IN-FURROW VS STARTER W/O KRUSTY

AMOUNT OF KRUSTY	CHECK	TREATED	DIFFERENCE
16oz Krusty	207.42	225.62	18.2
13oz Krusty	207.42	215.62	8.2
22 507 Krusty	207.42	217.63	10.21

