

CILUS® PLUS

Increase the speed and evenness of growth in your plantations

Cilus® Plus is a microbial preparation containing a very high concentration of *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* strain IT45 isolated through Lallemand Research.

Benefits

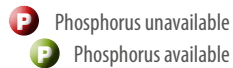
- **Activating root growth: starter effect.**
- **Accelerating plant development.**
- **Increasing even growth of crops in field.**
- **Increasing the level of reserves in the crop.**

Modes of action

The *Bacillus* IT45 bacteria contained in Cilus® Plus multiply and quickly colonise the rhizosphere (zone near the roots) by feeding on root exudates.

In return, this bacterial population brings several benefits to the plant:

- ✓ **Solubilises phosphorus:**
+28 % of Phosphorus available in the rhizosphere*

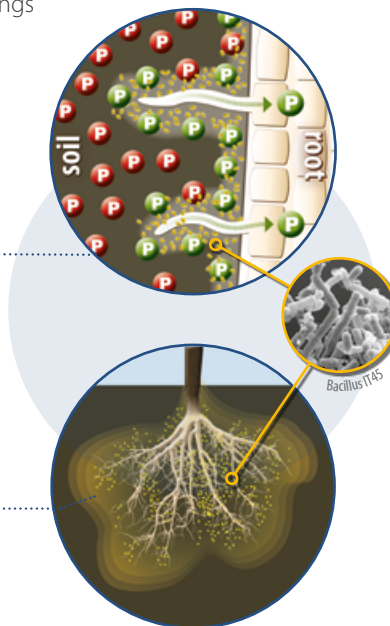


- ✓ **Stimulates growth of efficient roots (root hairs):**
+20 % of root biomass *

Increase in the area for interception of nutrients

- ✓ **Probiotic effect:**
Rhizosphere occupation by beneficial microbes.

*Results obtained from a series of tests over 10 years



Bacillus amyloliquefaciens strain IT45

Active substance:

2.10¹⁰ CFU/g of
Bacillus amyloliquefaciens strain IT45

Formulation:

Wettable powder

Packaging:

200 g bag

Usable in organic farming



Application

Crop	Dose	Period	Methods of application
Fruit trees	200 g/ha	1 application per month (August to October)	Localised in the rows by spraying onto the ground. Mixing with herbicides or in the irrigation system is possible (drip irrigation or micro-jets)
Vines	200 g/ha	1 application per month (August to October)	

Compatibility: for any mixing with chemical products, ask your distributor.

Conditions at application: – optimal temperature between 10 °C and 30 °C.
– apply preferably in humid conditions.
– do not apply on dry and in high temperature periods.

Results

■ Shoot and trunk development from increasing root biomass.

Evaluation of a starter programme on an orchard of young apple trees.
France, 2015 and 2016.

Bacillus IT45 significantly increases trunk growth and annual shoot length.

Applications

Stage	T1	T2	T3	T4
	Planting	Stage BBCH 53-54	T2+1 month	T3+1 month
M1	MYC 12 : 0.05 kg/tree	Bacillus IT45 : 3 applications at 1 kg/ha		
M2	—	18-46 : 3 applications at 60 g/tree		

Annual shoot length

Observation year 2015	Annual shoot length (cm)	Observation year 2016	Annual shoot length (cm)
M1	341*	M1	1330
M2	283	M2	1336

Circumference of the trunk

Observation year 2015	26/03/15 (cm)	27/10/15 (cm)	Growth (cm)	Observation year 2016	23/11/16 (cm)
M1	5.6	7.6*	2.0*	M1	11.5*
M2	5.6	7.3	1.6	M2	11.2

*Significant difference at 5 %

■ Development and homogenous growth of shoots.

Evaluation of a starter programme on an orchard of young apple trees.
Finland, 2016.



Bacillus IT45 increases the development and the vigour of young trees.

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