



# GRO-BARK®

## DECORATIVE HARDWOOD MULCH

### Technical Data Sheet

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#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

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Gro-Bark's Decorative Hardwood Mulch is a blend of finely ground woody substrates and hardwood barks such as poplar and maple. Consisting of more than 65% bark fiber and less than 35% wood fiber, this mulch is a natural pale brown colour which turns a warm dark brown colour with age.

The economics of Decorative Hardwood Mulch make it an ideal product for mulching large-scale commercial plantings. As with other mulches, Decorative Hardwood Mulch increases soil moisture retention and root zone cooling, which minimizes frequent irrigation.

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#### TYPICAL ANALYSIS

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<b>pH*:</b>	6.5 - 8.0
<b>Moisture Content:</b>	45 - 55%
<b>Organic Matter Content:</b>	~ 80% by weight (dry)
<b>Size Gradation:</b>	97% ≤ 1", 66% ≤ 5/8"

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#### APPLICATIONS

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Decorative Hardwood Mulch can be used as mulch for a variety of plants including trees, shrubs and perennials. Due to its slow decomposition rate, Decorative Hardwood Mulch is best used in areas of your yard that do not require regular turning or tilling. The slow decomposition rate also provides long lasting weed suppression for garden beds or planters.

For complete product information or questions, please contact your Gro-Bark sales representative.

*NOTE: These values are representative of quality control analysis at the time of manufacturing. This data is for information purposes only and cannot be used as a warranty.*

*\*Determined using the 1:2 dilution method for soilless media*



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