



Ultrasol®ine K Plus is SQM's brand of potassium nitrate that contains the newly discovered plant nutrient iodine.



Improved root growth



Optimal nitrogen metabolism



Improved canopy development and branching



**Optimal photosynthesis** 



Improved tolerance to oxidative stress



Improved flowering and fruit quality



Improved calcium concentration in the fruit and better shelf life





# **Potassium**An essential nutrient for yield and quality

- Promotes the production of proteins
- Promotes photosynthesis
- · Intensifies the transport and storage of carbohydrates
- · Improves uptake efficiency of N fertilizers
- · Improves water use efficiency
- · Promotes lycopene synthesis

# **Nitrate**The preferred nitrogen source

- Non-volatile
- Promotes the uptake of cations (K+, Ca++, Mg++)
- Nitrate is readily absorbed by the plant
- · Nitrate limits the uptake of chloride
- Efficient conversion to amino acids in the leaves

### Benefits of Ultrasol®ine K Plus:

Root growth	More and better developed primary and secondary roots     Improved active uptake of water and nutrients
Nitrogen conversion	<ul> <li>Optimized conversion of nitrate to proteins</li> <li>Reduced cell damage by reactive oxidized nitrogen forms</li> </ul>
Plant growth (above ground)	<ul> <li>Increased growth rate of above ground biomass</li> <li>Increased yield</li> <li>Earlier harvest</li> <li>Improved stem branching for a better interception of light</li> </ul>
Photosynthesis	<ul> <li>Higher concentration of chlorophyll</li> <li>Better conversion of solar energy to chemical energy</li> <li>Increased conversion of CO₂ to sugars</li> </ul>
Tolerance to abiotic stress	<ul> <li>Higher level of antioxidants like vitamin C and polyphenols</li> <li>Mitigating loss of production from adverse environmental conditions</li> </ul>
Flowering and fruit quality	<ul> <li>Better fruit set, leading to more uniform fruit size</li> <li>Better colour and earlier ripening of fruits with a higher sugar content</li> </ul>
Fruit rot and shelf life	<ul> <li>Less fruit rot and enhanced shelf life by increased Ca concentration in the fruits</li> <li>Improved water transport by better photosynthesis and root function, increases translocation of calcium to the fruits</li> </ul>

### Properties of **Ultrasol®ine K Plus**



Ultrasol®ine K Plus makes it easy for farmers to ensure the right amount of iodine in the nutrient solution, and prevents excess uptake of iodine in leaves or fruits.

Nutrient content (%)		
Nitric nitrogen (N-NO <sub>3</sub> -)	13.7% min	
Potassium oxide (K <sub>2</sub> O)	46% min	
Solubility (g/l at 20°C)	316	
Insolubles	<0.02%	
EC (1 g/l at 25°C, in mS/cm)	1.35	
Color	White	

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