

Lima Beans (*Code #142*)

Soil Test Rating	Potassium			
	Low K Coast: 0-70 lbs/A Pied: 0-120 lbs/A	Medium K Coast: 71-170 lbs/A Pied: 121-250 lbs/A	High K Coast: 171-275 lbs/A Pied: 251-400 lbs/A	Very High K Coast: 275+ lbs/A Pied: 400+ lbs/A
Phosphorus	<i>Recommended Pounds N-P₂O₅-K₂O per Acre</i>			
Low P Coast: 0-30 lbs/A Pied: 0-20 lbs/A	*-90-90	*-90-70	*-90-50	*-90-0
Medium P Coast: 31-60 lbs/A Pied: 21-40 lbs/A	*-70-90	*-70-70	*-70-50	*-70-0
High P Coast: 61-100 lbs/A Pied: 41-75 lbs/A	*-50-90	*-50-70	*-50-50	*-50-0
Very High P Coast: 100+ lbs/A Pied: 75+ lbs/A	*-0-90	*-0-70	*-0-50	*-0-0

Coast = Coastal Plain Pied = Piedmont, Mountain, and Limestone Valley

Recommendations:

Recommended pH:	6.0 to 6.5. If the pH is less than 6.0, see Lime Table B.											
Nitrogen:	Coastal Plain 70-100 pounds nitrogen (N) per acre. Piedmont, Mountain, Limestone Valley 60-80 pounds nitrogen (N) per acre.											
Magnesium:	If soil test Mg level is low and lime is recommended, use dolomitic limestone; if soil test Mg is low and lime is not recommended, apply 25 pounds of Mg/Acre.											
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Zinc:	If the Zn soil test level is low, apply 5 pounds of zinc per acre.											
Sulfur:	Apply 10 pounds of sulfur (S) per acre.											
Boron:	Apply 1 pound of boron (B) per acre.											

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Fact Sheet:

Nitrogen (N) rates will vary depending on rainfall, soil type, irrigation, plant population and method and timing of applications.

For early growth stimulation apply a pop-up fertilizer using 100 to 150 pounds of 10-34-0 or similar material per acre. Apply the fertilizer 2 to 3 inches to the side of the seeds or plants and 2 to 3 inches below the seeds or roots.

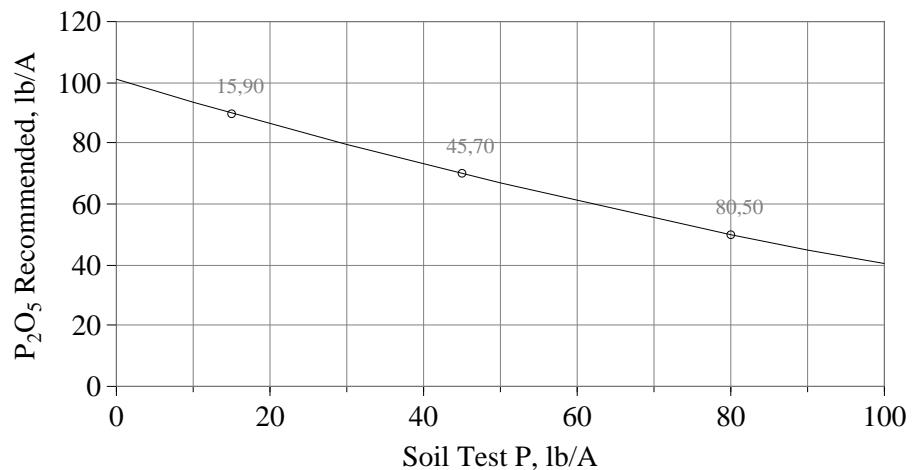
Sulfate of potash magnesia may be used to supply a portion of the recommended potash (K_2O) and to also supply magnesium (Mg) and sulfur (S).

For more efficient use of fertilizer split the applications, applying one-third to one-half down (banded or incorporated in the bed) and the remainder in 1 to 3 applications. If all the fertilizer is broadcast, increase the application rates of phosphate (P_2O_5) and potash (K_2O) 1½ to 2 times.

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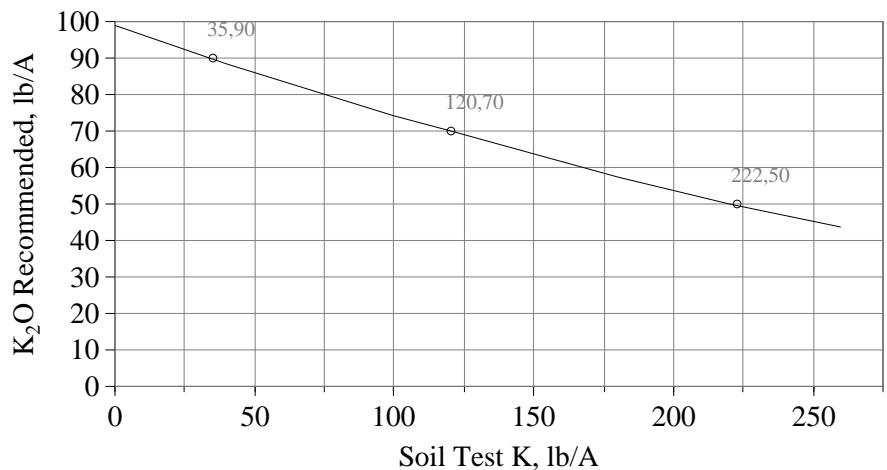
P Recommendations, Coastal Plain

$$P_2O_5 = 101 - 0.755P + 0.00147P^2$$



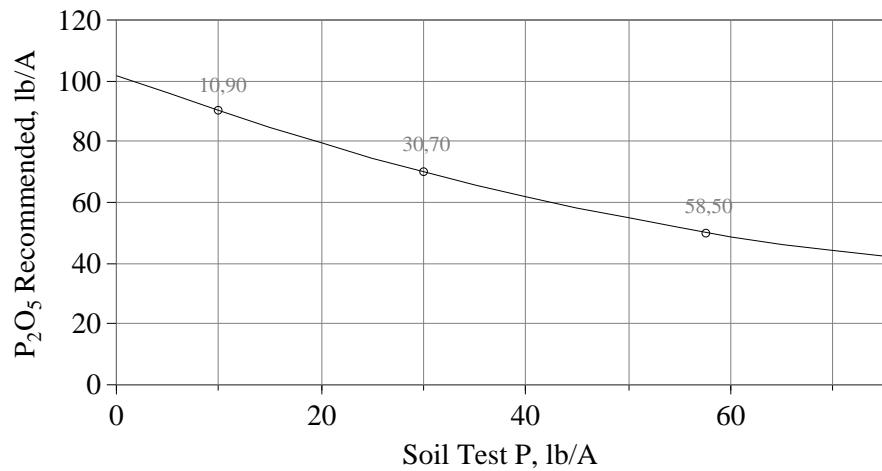
K Recommendations, Coastal Plain

$$K_2O = 99 - 0.268K + 0.00021K^2$$



P Recommendations, Piedmont

$$P_2O_5 = 102 - 1.230P + 0.00574P^2$$



K Recommendations, Piedmont

$$K_2O = 100 - 0.175K + 0.00006K^2$$

