

A REVIEW ON SEAWEED EXTRACTS

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ABSTRACT

In the last decades, environmental pollution, chemical treatment and upgrading food using additive substances has created a new dimension of problem to rational nutrition, with direct implications on human health. It has become vital and necessary to promote seaweed extract as fertilizer in order to mitigate the trending implications. Use of seaweed extract is one of the safest ways to conserve environmental resources, avoid pollution and obtain food for agricultural crops. Seaweeds are organic and biodegradable in nature. Thus seaweed extracts have the potential to substitute the chemical fertilizer and improve the health and growth of plants.

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