Pounds per ton

**Type of manure Water content N P K**

Cow, horse 60-80% 12-14 5-9 9-12

Sheep, pig, goat 65-75% 10-21 7 13-19

Chicken

Wet, sticky, and caked 75% 30 20 10

Moist, crumbly to sticky 50% 40 40 20

Crumbly 30% 60 55 30

Dry 15% 90 70 40

Ashed none none 135 100

**Type of Garden Best Manure Best Time**

Flowers Cow, horse Early spring

Vegetables Chicken, cow, horse Fall, spring

Potatoes and root crops Cow, horse Fall

Acid-loving plants Cow, horse Early fall or not at all