Calculate the Percentage of Slow Release Nitrogen

Nitrogen in fertilizers may come from a single source or a combination of sources. Some nitrogen sources are "quick release" and other sources are "slow release." A product with 65% slow release nitrogen (SRN) means that 35% of the nitrogen is available immediately and 65% will be slowly released over a period of time. To calculate the percentage of SRN, divide the percentage of SRN available by the Total Nitrogen (found on the Guaranteed Analysis of the bag) and multiply by 100 (see below).

You can check the contents of fertilizer that you purchase by using the graphic shown below. Seminole County does not regulate the sales of fertilizer containing Nitrogen and Phosphorus during the restricted season nor does the County ensure that the contents of all fertilizers sold in local retailers meet the requirements of the County's fertilizer ordinance. Be aware that it is the consumer's responsibility to comply with the fertilizer ordinance requirements.

