

# PLANTING

## HEDGES (BARE ROOT MATERIAL)



**1** The bare roots should not be allowed to dry out during transportation and preparation.



**2** Dig a trench (approx 50 cm wide) along the required length.



**3** Dig in plenty of compost to enrich the soil in the trench.



**4** Immerse the roots in water briefly, then lay out the plants.



**5** Place the 1st plant upright and back fill the soil around the roots.



**6** Plant the subsequent plants at even spacing around 20 to 25 cm apart.



**7** Fill in the soil around the roots more and press it down; thereby keeping the plants upright.



**8** Water well, and continue to do so if the weather remains dry.