



- 1 Hedge to BS3936-4:2007  
Rootballed: Hessian / Wire wrapping to be left intact.
- 2 Mulch 50mm bark
- 3 Planting Trench:  
- Loosen the base and sides of the trench to allow root penetration.  
- Dig the trench immediately before planting  
- Remove existing soil and backfill with a mix of topsoil and well-rotted manure/mushroom compost or mixed with existing  
- Loosen an additional 10–15cm at the base with a fork to improve drainage
- 4 40mm Loose Gravel to be placed at base of trench
- 5 Blood Fish & Bone spread to base of trench
- 6 Irrigation drip-line pipe (optional).  
Note: only to be used during hotter months.  
**Note** Defects liability period applies

Hornbeam (*Carpinus betulus*) hedges



Native Hedge Mix



- Mix (% by number):**
- Hawthorn (*Crataegus monogyna*) – 50%
  - Wayfaring Tree (*Viburnum lantana*) – 15% (chalk specialist)
  - Field Maple (*Acer campestre*) – 10%
  - Dogwood (*Cornus sanguinea*) – 10%
  - Dog Rose (*Rosa canina*) – 10%
  - Spindle (*Euonymus europaeus*) – 5%
- Specification:**
- Stock size: 40–60 cm whips, bare root
  - Spacing: 5 per metre in double staggered rows
  - Guards: 60 cm spiral guards with bamboo cane or 90 cm cane
  - Mulch strip: Compost, bark or fine woodchip, 750 mm wide

