



- Cut, loosen and roll back approx. 1/2 of twine, burlap and wire on rootball.
- All twine and burlap must be bio-degradable.
- Backfill in 150 mm lifts and tamp to prevent air pockets.
- Add sandy loam soil if additional backfill is required. Soil to consist of:
 - 50-60% sand
 - 20-40% silt
 - 6-10% clay
 - 2-5 % organic
 - 7.5 pH or less
- Carefully remove any loose soil around trunk. Top of rootball should not be disturbed or covered with soil.
- Soak backfilled area to ensure full contact between rootball and backfill.

- Prune to remove damaged branches. Do not remove leader.
- Remove wrap from trunk and inspect for damage.
- Stakes not to be installed on Balled and Burlapped trees.
- Tree shall bear same relation to grade as it bore to it's previously existing grade. Plant tree 50 - 100 mm above desired grade to allow for some settling.
- Form a soil saucer 125 mm in depth and fill with water. Soon after water has been absorbed, cover with approx. 100 mm of woodchip mulch tapered to ground level at the trunk.

± 1.0 m

Plastic tree protector

± 45°

Loosen surface soil of planting hole.

Place rootball on undisturbed soil.

Planting Detail for Balled and Burlapped Trees in Turf

