

of course. Tree stations, or pits, should be 24 in. wider and 10 in. deeper than the rootball.

Unless one has the right type of implements (some firms will loan and hire charges are reasonable), the moving of semi-mature trees should be left to experienced operators.

Semi-mature deciduous species include acacia, alder, beech, birch, elm, maple, hornbeam, lime, poplar, sycamore, thorn and willow.

Semi-mature coniferous and evergreen species include cedar, cupressus, holly, Scots pine, Douglas fir. For a single delivery a 35 ft. high tree 14 ft. spread, 9 in. trunk, 5 ft. diameter rootball, 36 in. rootball depth, will cost in the region of £100-£160 within a radius of 30 miles from place of origin. This price range applies to any deciduous tree. Conifers are dearer.

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New Literature

A new catalogue has been published by The Mommersteeg Seed Company. This gives details of mixtures for golf tees, roughs, greens and fairways. Several articles are included, written by turf experts. Golf Greenkeepers may obtain a copy free of charge by writing to Mommersteeg Seed Company Ltd., Station Road, Finedon, Wellingborough, Northants.

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