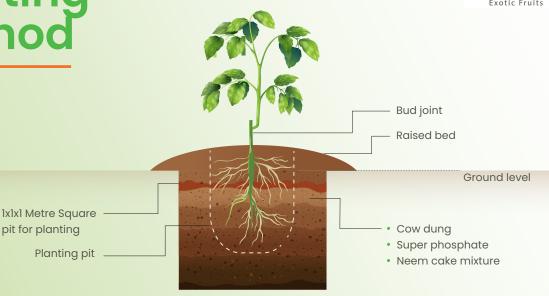
Planting Method

pit for planting





1 PIT SIZE



Take a square pit with length, breadth and depth at 3x3x3 feet. **MANURE MIX**



Thoroughly mix 20 kilograms of dried cow dung or compost with one kilogram each of rock phosphate and neem cake, while filling the pit with the top soil.

RAISED BED



Ensure that the pit is filled in such a way that the top portion of it is maintained like a hemispherical mound above ground level.

4 SMALL PIT IN MOUND



Make a small pit for planting in the middle of this raisedbed (mount) and sprinkle a handful of cow dung-rock phosphate mixture into this pit.

REMOVE GROW BAG



Carefully cut and remove the polybag without disturbing the clod of potting mix with the plant.

PLANTING



Place the plant along with the mass of potting media into the planting pit and carefully tighten the soil surrounding the clod of potting mix by pressing them towards the plant. See to it that the bud-junction of the plant remains above the soil level.

IRRIGATION



Sufficient irrigation is necessary till the onset of monsoon throughout the initial months after planting.

WATERING



No lapse in irrigation should be allowed during summer.

PRUNING



Prune the terminal shoot at 3-4 feet above ground level once the plant attains a height of five feet.