

**DARK GREEN or**  
**WINTERGREEN ARBORVITAE** *Thuja occidentalis 'Nigra'*

Zones 3 4 5 6 7  
and north in zone 10

Broadly conical fast-growing tree. Height 15-20' (4.5-6m) in 15 years if unpruned.

Foliage rich green. Color holds all year.

**Soil:** almost any, moist and well-drained.

**Light:** full sun or shade.

**Pruning:** shear annually for formal appearance. Clip out individual branches to obtain desired height; foliage grows quickly to cover cut ends.

To prevent main stems becoming parted by wind and snow, tie in lightly with plastic-covered wire or other permanent support attached inside tree framework. Supports will soon be hidden by the dense foliage.

**Uses:** specimen or accent. Hedge or screen, space plants 18-36" (45.2-90cm).

