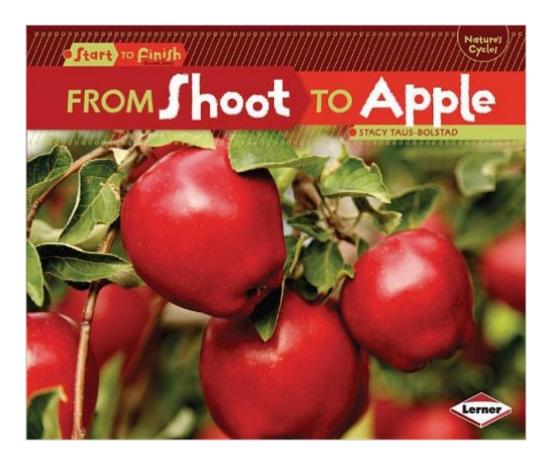
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# From Shoot To Apple (Start To Finish, Second (Paperback))





## Synopsis

How do apples grow? Starting as tiny shoots, commercial apple trees bloom and grow until they are big enough to produce apples. Then, the apples are picked and sent to stores for people to buy and eat.

## **Book Information**

Series: Start to Finish, Second (Paperback) Paperback: 24 pages Publisher: Lerner Classroom (January 1, 2012) Language: English ISBN-10: 0761385762 ISBN-13: 978-0761385769 Product Dimensions: 7.1 x 0.1 x 8.6 inches Shipping Weight: 4 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.0 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (1 customer review) Best Sellers Rank: #71,410 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #15 in Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Science Studies > Farming & Agriculture #37 in Books > Children's Books > Science, Nature & How It Works > How Things Work #41 in Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Science Studies > Nature > Flowers & Plants Age Range: 4 - 7 years Grade Level: Preschool - 2

#### **Customer Reviews**

This is a nice book for children that uses bright photographs to explain how apples make it from the fields into our homes. It begins by saying "Yum! An Apple!" How does it grow?". And then the author gets down to the nitty gritty of the matter and explains to us that farmers use parts from two apple trees to start a new apple tree. This is when the book discusses "shoots" and we get to see how the grafting is done. After that, book describes, in simple terms, how a 3-year old tree will flower, and how after the petals fall that the nascent apples are left behind. It quickly shows how apples grow, are picked, and then make their way to markets, where finally they reach us. Talking Points :::I have to say that I learned some things from this book. Not so much from the text but from the photos. To that end, I thought the pictures were well chosen. Including macro and more close up shots when appropriate. The age range for this book would is fairly wide. Children as young as 4 and perhaps as old as 8 or 9 might get something out of it, even though it it is written at a First Grade level (see AR

info below). The font is large, and there isn't a great deal of text per page. As minimal as it is there is still enough to adequate explain to children what they are seeing. From Shoot to Apple would be good for the classroom or for homeschoolers. It's a quick read that covers material nicely. Accelerated Reading Level: 1.7Pam T~mom and reviewer at BooksForKids-reviews

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