

# Apples: An Origin Story



Apples may seem basic, but that's where you're wrong. This superstar fruit is more exotic than it appears!



Where in the world are **apples** grown?



People's Republic of China



European Union



Islamic Republic of Iran



United States of America

Wherever **apples** are grown, tools like pesticides are needed to fight disease, fungus and pests.



Powdery Mildew



Fire Blight



Pseudomonas Bacterial Canker

Regardless of where they're grown, **apples** are delicious, nutritious and, dare we say, interesting!

Did you know...

- It takes about 36 apples to create one gallon of apple cider.
- It takes the energy from 50 leaves to produce one apple.
- Archeologists found evidence that humans have been enjoying apples since 6500 BC.
- Twenty-five percent of an apple's volume is air; that's why they float.

