



# PERRIE HALE NURSERY

Apple Variety	Origin	Flavour	Use	Season	Flowering Period	Scab Resistance	Description
Adams Pearmain	Herefordshire pre 1826	Rich & Aromatic	Dessert	Late to V Late	2	4	Hardy and a good bearer.
Ashmeads Kernel	Glos c1700	Sweet & Aromatic	Dessert	Late to V Late	4	4	One of the finest late dessert apples, but a shy cropper.
Beauty of Bath	Somerset pre 1864	Sweet	Dessert	Early	2		A heavy cropper. Moderate scab resistance.
Bell	Somerset	Sweet	Cider/Culinary	Mid		4	Very common in East Devon. Alternatively known as Sweet Sheeps Nose
Bens Red	Cornwall c1830	Sweet	Dessert	Early to mid	2	5	A sturdy, heavy cropping seedling of Devonshire Quarrenden.
Black Dabinett	Somerset	Medium Bittersweet	Cider	Late	Late	4	More vigorous than Dabinett but cider quality similar. Large blue/purple fruits. Vintage quality.
Blenheim Orange	Oxon c1740	Sweet to Subacid	Dessert/Culinary	Mid to Late	3	4	A rich distinctive apple. At its best around Christmas. (C)
Bramleys Seedling	Notts c1810	Sharp	Culinary	Late	3	4	The most popular commercial apple.
Browns	Stavern Devon	Full Sharp	Cider	Early to Mid	Mid	5	Vintage quality.
Captain Broad	Cornwall	Bittersweet	Cider	Mid		5	A sturdy, vigorous tree.
Charles Ross	Berks 1880's	Sweet	Dessert/Culinary	Mid to Late	3	4	
Claygate Pearmain	Surrey pre 1821	Aromatic & Rich	Dessert	Late to V Late	4	4	A very reliable, overlooked, variety.
Colloget Pippin	Landulph Cornwall	Sharp	Culinary/Cider	Mid	Early	5	Produces a dry light cider. One of the many varieties rescued by James Evans.
Colemans Seedling	Devon	Sharp	Cider	Mid	Mid	5	A healthy, heavy cropper. Vintage quality.
Cornish Aromatic	Cornwall pre1813	Aromatic, Spicy	Dessert	Late	4	4	
Cornish Gilliflower	Cornwall pre 1800	Sweet & Aromatic	Dessert	Late to V Late	4	4	
Cornish Mother	Cornwall pre 1884	Sweet	Dessert	Mid	Mid/Late		A very old variety. Possibly the progenitor of American Mother.



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Court of Wick	Somers pre1790	Rich, Subacid	Tripple	Very Late	Very Late	5	A very hardy, high quality apple. Once very popular.
Crimson Victoria	Shute Axminster	Mild Sharp	Cider	Mid	Early to Mid	4	Originally found in only one orchard. A healthy tree.
Dabinett	Somerset	Medium Bittersweet	Cider	Late	Late	4	A small twiggy tree but a heavy cropper of very high quality juice. Vintage quality.
Devonshire Buckland	Devon pre1831	Subacid	Dessert/Culinary	Mid to Late	4	4	Crisp, perfumed, yellow flesh.
Devonshire Quarrenden	Devon pre1678	Sweet/Subacid	Dessert	Second Early	2	4	Juicy, crisp apples, with a distinct strawberry/winey taste. A tree tolerant of the wet and windy South West.
Don's Delight	Devon	Sharp but Rich	Culinary	Late	Mid	5	A worthy seedling, brought to our attention by Don Cockman of Radio Devon fame.
Duke of Cornwall	Restrongu Cornwall	Sharp	Culinary	Late	Mid/Late	5	A quality cooking apple for storing.
English Codlin	England	Sharp & Perfumed	Culinary	Early to Mid	Early/Mid	4	One of the oldest English apples.
Fair Maid of Devon	Devon	Full Sharp	Cider	Mid	Mid	5	A compact tree. Produces a high percentage of juice. Vintage quality.
Farmers Glory	Devon	Sharp turning Sweet	Dessert/Culinary	Early to V Late		5	A large, vigorous, disease resistant tree.
Golden Ball (syn Neverblight)	Dorset	Medium Sharp	Cider	Mid to Late	Late	4	An old variety from the Netherbury area of West Dorset.
Golden Bittersweet	Nhern Devon	Bittersweet	Cider	Late	Mid	5	A large variety, that stores well. Rediscovered by us in an old orchard in East Devon.
Granpa Ailes	KazachstanN Devon	Sweet/Subacid	Dessert	Late		5	A very healthy apple with an interesting history. An example of the true ancestor of the domestic apple.
Harry Masters Jersey	Somerset	Medium Bittersweet	Cider	Mid to Late	Late	5	A compact tree that produces high quality juice. Vintage quality.
Hoary Morning	Somerset pre1819	Rich, Subacid	Dessert/Culinary	Late	3	5	A big, attractive red apple, with a savoury flavour.



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Kingston Black	Somers 19thC	Medium Bittersharp	Cider	Mid to Late	Mid	4	Vintage quality.
Lord Derby	Cheshire 1862	Sharp	Culinary	Mid	4	4	A hardy reliable variety, tolerant of high rainfall.
Lord Lambourne	Bedford 1907	Sweet & Aromatic	Dessert	Mid	2		COMMENTS Cox like flavour
Lucombes Pine	Exer Devon 1800	Rich & Aromatic	Dessert	Mid to Late	4	5	Raised at the nursery of Lucombe & Pince, St Thomas, Exeter.
Lucombes Seedling	Exer Devon 1830	Subacid	Dessert	2nd Early to Mid	2	4	Grown in the 1920's in Cornwall as, Newquay Prizetaker, for market.
Morgan Sweet	Somers 18thC	Sweet	Cider/Dessert	Early	Early	5	Heavy cropper. High juice yield. Makes a light cider before Christmas.
Newton Wonder	Derbyshire c1870	Sharp	Culinary	Late to V Late	5	5	A large, vigorous, disease resistant tree, popular in the Southwest.
Nine Square	West of England pre1824	Sharp	Dessert/Culinary	Mid to Late		5	An old variety, thought extinct, but brought to our attention by R J Maynard, of Somerton.
Northwood	Credin Devon	Sweet	Cider	Late	Mid	5	Produces a soft, fruity cider. Vintage quality.
Oaken Pin	Devon pre1876	Rich & Aromatic	Dessert	Mid to Late	3	4	A good bearer. Once common on Exmoor and in the Exe Valley.
Old Somerset Russet	Somers 19thC	Subacid, Pineapple	Dessert	Late	5	4	
Paignton Marigold	Devon pre1934	Subacid	Cider	Mid	Early/Mid	5	
Pendragon	Cornwall	Sweet	Cider	2nd Early/Mid	Early	4	A Cornish clone of the Sops in Wine type. Red flowers and
Peter Lock	Devon 19thC	Sweet	Dessert/Culinary	Late to V Late	2	5	Cooks to a sweet, smooth puree.
Pitmaston Pine	Herefordshire c1785	Rich, Spicy	Dessert	Mid to Late	4	4	Small, distinct, delicious fruits.
Plympton Pippin	Devon/Corwall		Culinary	Late	Mid	4	A vigorous tree, giving large green apples.
Pomeroy of Somerset	Somers pre 1851	Sweet	Dessert	Mid to Late	3	4	A quality fruit. Once extensively grown.



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Ponsford	Devon 19thC	Sharp	Cider/Culinary	Late to V Late	2	4	An excellent old variety. Vigorous & healthy.
Ribston Pippin	Yorkshire c1707	Rich & Aromatic	Dessert	Late	2	5	A hardy and worthy variety. The mother of Cox's Orange Pippin
Rosemary Russet	England pre1831	Sweet/Sharp	Dessert	Late to V Late	3	5	One of the best flavoured russets, though not heavily russeted.
Royal Somerset	Somers 1818 Juicy	Juicy	Tripple	Mid/Late	Mid/Late	4	
Spotted Dick	Fenit Devon	Mild Bittersweet	Cider	Late	Mid	5	A very healthy tree and prolific fruiting. Will perform in the wettest windiest sites.
St Edmunds Pippin	Suffolk 1870	Sweet & Aromatic	Dessert	Mid	2	4	The earliest of the russets. Semi self fertile.
Sweet Alford	Devon 18thC	Sweet	Cider	Mid	Mid	5	Heavy bearing tree. Vintage quality.
Tidcombe Seedling	Arlingn Devon	Sweet & Rich	Dessert	Mid/V Late	Early/Mid	4	A reliable cropper in the worst of sites. Disease resistant and tolerant of wind and rain. (PM)
Tom Putt	Gittisham Devon 18thC	Sharp	Tripple	Mid	2	4	A justifiably popular old West Country apple. Reliable cropper.
Totnes	Dartingn Devon	Sweet	Dessert	Mid	Early/Mid		Historically sold at Market in Totnes. Hence the name.
Tregonna King	Cornwall	Sweet	Dessert/Culinary	Mid/Late	Mid/Late	4	A vigorous, healthy variety. (C)
Upton Pine	Devon c1900	Subacid, Aromatic	Dessert/Culinary	Mid/Late	2	3	
Veitch's Perfection	Devon 19thC	Spicy, Aromatic	Dessert	Mid/Late	Early/Mid	4	
Warrior	Dors 19thC	Sweet	Dessert/Culinary	Early/2nd Early	Early/Mid	5	An old variety rescued from extinction by John Sale of Cattistock, Dorset.
William Crump	Worcs 1908	Rich & Sweet	Dessert	Late to V Late	5		A high quality dessert apple.
Worcester Pearmain	Worcs c1870	Sweet, Perfumed	Dessert	2nd Early to Mid	3	4	Once very popular market variety. Best eaten ripe off the tree.

Key C = inclined to canker on wet soils

T = Triploid variety, requiring 2 different pollinators

