



# Apple /Pear Color Advancement

## For increased late season fruit size, color advancement and post-harvest quality:

In many apple varieties, fruit color is the last step before beginning crop harvest. Employ is proven to enhance color advancement, by activating the plants own self-defense response. Employ increases photosynthetic activity and nutrient movement to hasten color without reducing fruit quality.

### Use Recommendations: Pear / Apple

**Application Objective:** Color Advancement - Apples

**Use & Timing:** Apply Employ at 2 ounces per acre  
1<sup>st</sup>) 30 days before harvest  
2<sup>nd</sup>) 15 days before harvest

**Application Objective:** Post Harvest Quality - Apples & Pears

**Use & Timing:** Apply Employ at 2 ounces per acre within 10 days of harvest.

**Application Objective:** Late Season Sizing – Pears & Apples

**Use & Timing:** Apply Employ at 2 ounces per acre within 30 days of harvest.

**Mixing** Employ is compatible with most pesticides, and fertilizers, maintain tank pH between 5 – 10. Do not mix with pyrophosphates, phosphoric acid, or other strong oxidizers.

**Rain Fast** Employ is rain fast after 30 minutes or when spray residues dry.

**Regulatory** Excellent safety profile, easy to use, and not a restricted use material  
REI is 4 hours, PHI is 0 days.

**Zero Residue** Employ is EPA exempt from food tolerance  
Employ has no export tolerance restrictions