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Bright and Beautiful

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Many fruits change color when they become **ripe**.

The fruits of some palm trees turn from green to orange.





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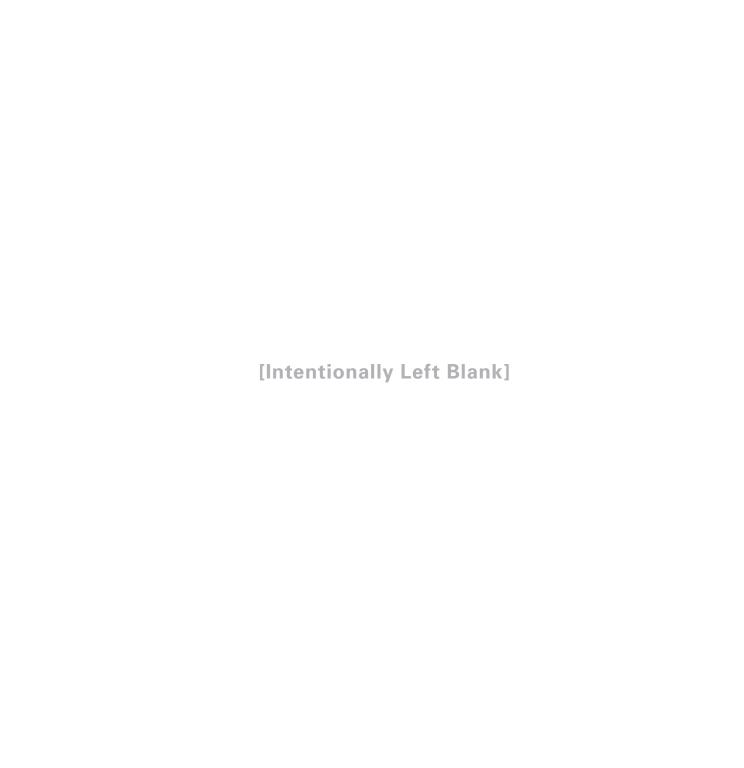
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Answers for Page 22:

A. hide; B. stand out; C. stand out; D. hide







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A snake's green, scaly skin blends in with rain forest plants. A rat doesn't see the snake when it attacks! The fruits of a palm tree start out green. When they are ripe, they change to bright orange. Now monkeys know the fruit is ready to eat. Look inside to learn all about the special meanings that colors in a rain forest have.

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