A Book Of Trees

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The Giving Tree is an American children's picture book written and illustrated by Shel Silverstein. First published in 1964 by Harper & Row, it has become one of Silverstein's best-known titles, and has been translated into numerous languages. This book has been described as "one of the most divisive books in children's literature"; the controversy stems from whether the relationship between the main characters (a boy and the titular tree) should be interpreted as positive Book Trees are trees which grow in the kingdom of Oogaboo. Jo Files has nine book-trees in his orchard. These book trees grow a choice selection of story-books, encased in broad green husks which, when fully ripe, turn to a deep red color. When the books are picked and husked they are ready to read. If they are picked too soon, the stories are found to be confused and uninteresting and the spelling bad. If allowed to ripen perfectly, the stories are fine reading and the spelling and grammar excellent.
"The Book of Trees explores the many possibilities presented by treelike diagrams in expressing ideas and discoveries, with a strong emphasis on the effectiveness of representational strategies." - Nature magazine. Read more. About the Author. Lima was named one of the "fifty most creative and influential minds of 2009" by Creativity magazine. He is a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts and the New York-based design lead for Codeacademy.com. Read more. Product details. The book features leaves from 600 trees, one to a page. Each page presents a full-sized photograph of the leaf, a smaller photograph in the case of compound leaves, a short description of the tree and leaf, a world-map showing the origin of the tree, a sketch of the tree with an estimate of its size, a chart with relevant facts on the tree and a short paragraph describing the distinction between the subject leaf and similar leaves. This is a lot of information on one page but the pages are well designed and never look crowded or busy. The book includes a glossary of botanic terms, and a chapte