Sources of Food Loss and Waste

Activity 3

For each step, list reasons why food may be rejected, wasted or lost.

Steps	**Reasons for waste or loss**
Production	
Handling & Storage	
Processing	
Distribution & Market	
Consumption	

1. What trade-offs might food producers have to make to reduce food loss before it reaches retailers (grocery stores and restaurants) and consumers?

2. What trade-offs might consumers and retailers have to make to reduce food waste?