

Eastern University, Sri Lanka
External Degree programme in Agriculture
Second Year First Examination in Agriculture 2005/2006
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CSC 2201: Fruit Crop Production



Answer all questions

Time : 2 hours

1. Briefly explain,
 - a. Constraints affecting cashew (*Anacardium occidentale* L.) production in Sri Lanka and how would you overcome them.
 - b. Training system adapted in viticulture.

2. Discuss the agronomic practices adopted in the cultivation of banana (*Musa spp*) with the view of obtaining high yield and good quality fruits.

3.
 - a. Assume you are an Agriculture officer, how would you advise a farmer to control fruit drops in citrus cultivation?
 - b. Briefly explain the way to raise mango (*Mangifera indica* L.) seedlings for budding purposes?

4. Write short notes on the following;
 - a. Sex variation in papaw.
 - b. Improving quality of grapes.
 - c. Vegetative propagation in pineapple.
