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# Citrus Orchard Foreman Occupational Learning

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## Progressive Activities Assessment Guide

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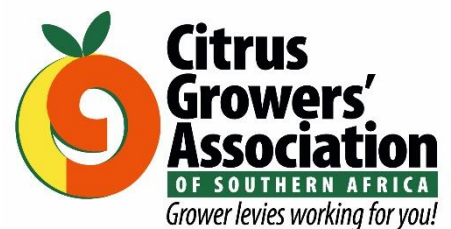
### A2: Ongoing Planning

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## Activity P1

Complete this activity to test your knowledge of the entire chapter:

1. Give an example of an unexpected event that could cause production plans to change.

Weather events, market changes, etc.

2. How should planning be thought of?

'Ongoing', and not something that is done once and left.

3. Give an example of scheduled activities in citrus production.

Irrigation, pest control, harvest, etc.

4. Which types of schedules may require readjustments?

Any.

5. What body is responsible for major citrus research in South Africa?

The CRI.

6. What is involved in labour planning?

Predicting your future labour needs for various production practices.

7. What is involved in financial planning?

Creating and maintaining various financial documents and reports.

8. Why is cashflow management important in farming?

Because farming is a seasonal industry where income is uneven throughout the year.

9. Why do market prices fluctuate?

Changes in supply and demand, currency exchange rates, and global trade policies.

10. Why is adopting new technology important?

You can constantly improve your production, lowering costs and improving quality.