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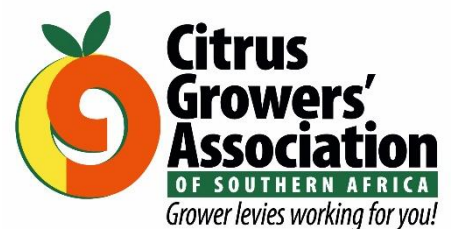
Formative Activities Assessment Guide

A5: Fruit Quality Monitoring and Improvement

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While completing your practical work, answer the following questions based on the farm you are working at:

1. How is the quality of your fruit measured on your farm?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Quality measurement methods (visual inspections, laboratory tests)	3

2. Who is responsible for this quality monitoring?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Personnel responsible for fruit quality monitoring.	2

3. How often are visual quality tests performed?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Frequency of visual quality tests.	2

4. Who performs maturity indexing on your farm?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Personnel responsible for maturity indexing.	2

5. How often is maturity indexing performed?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Frequency of maturity indexing.	2

6. Do you perform laboratory testing on-farm or with an outside laboratory?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Laboratory testing done on-farm / off-farm	1

7. How could lab results help to improve your fruit quality?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Value of laboratory testing (e.g. Predicting harvest times, fixing nutritional issues, pest and disease management, etc.)	4