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DEGREE EXAMINATIONS

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Subject: TEMPERATE FRUIT

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INSTRUCTIONS

Answer any four questions

Question one (25)

Discuss climatic requirements of temperate fruits.

Question two (25)

Rootstocks are very important in fruit trees. Discuss how they influence important aspects of temperate fruit trees.

Question three (25)

Biennial/ Alternate bearing in temperate fruit trees is controlled by a number of factors. Discuss these factors.

Question four (25)

Pruning and training in temperate fruit trees is an art as well as a science. Show how different methods have been used to achieve high yields that are experienced in this industry.

Question five (25)

In research using temperate fruit trees, certain measurements can be taken. Discuss them.