

EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA  
FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE  
FINAL YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN AGRICULTURE – 2003/2004



ADVANCED POST HARVEST TECHNOLOGY FOR AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES (AEN 4109)

Answer all questions

Time: 01 hour

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1. a. Write short notes on the following,
    - i. Suitability of mechanical harvesting of fruits for fresh consumption.
    - ii. Processing of cassava chips.
    - iii. Determination of harvest maturity of five selected crops.
  - b. Briefly explain the principles of the applicability of controlled atmosphere storage under local conditions.
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2. a. Briefly describe different coconut oil expelling techniques and their suitability.
  - b. Write a brief account on the steps involved in cashew nut processing for roasted nuts.