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AVALIAÇÃO PRÉVIA/PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT/ EVALUACIÓN PRELIMINAR		
Originalidade e plágio Originality and plagiarism	Espera-se que o trabalho seja original e não contenha plágio ou outras formas de fraude e má conduta, caso contrário se sugere justificar e rejeitar de imediato. Se o artigo provém de uma publicação em evento, esta versão deve conter melhorias significativas em relação ao original.	The manuscript appears to present original results obtained from a field experiment conducted over three consecutive seasons on 'Fuji Standard' apple trees. No obvious evidence of plagiarism was detected in the content review.

Originalidad y plagio	The work is expected to be original and free from plagiarism or other forms of fraud and misconduct; otherwise, it is suggested that it be justified and rejected immediately. If the article comes from a publication at an event, this version must contain significant improvements over the original. Se espera que el trabajo sea original y esté libre de plagio u otras formas de fraude o mala conducta; de lo contrario, se sugiere justificarlo y rechazarlo de inmediato. Si el artículo proviene de una publicación en un evento, esta versión debe contener mejoras significativas respecto al original.	
Contribuição para a área Contribution to the área Contribución al área	Verificar se o estudo apresenta alguma contribuição para a área? To determine if the study makes any contribution to the field? ¿Para determinar si el estudio hace alguna contribución al campo?	The study addresses a topic relevant to temperate-climate fruit growing: the impact of the timing of summer pruning on fruit quality, vegetative vigor, and economic yields of apple orchards. It also includes an economic analysis that can provide useful information for decision-making in production systems. However, the scientific contribution could be strengthened through a more in-depth discussion of the results in relation to recent literature.
ELEMENTOS PRÉ-TEXTUAIS/ PRELIMINARY ELEMENTS/ ELEMENTOS PRELIMINARES		
Título Title Título	O artigo possui título coerente? É claro e objetivo? É adequado em relação ao tema de pesquisa? Does the article have a coherent title? Is it clear and objective? Is it appropriate in relation to the research topic? ¿Tiene el artículo un título coherente?	The title is clear and consistent with the article's content. It adequately describes the study's objective and the production system analyzed. However, it needs to include the location where the study was conducted to provide context..

	¿Es claro y objetivo? ¿Es adecuado al tema de investigación?	
Resumo Summary Resumen	O resumo está claro e fidedigno à proposta apresentada? Breve introdução ao tema do trabalho de pesquisa, aos objetivos, metodologia, principais resultados esperados e prováveis conclusões. Is the abstract clear and faithful to the proposed work? Brief introduction to the research topic, objectives, methodology, main expected results, and likely conclusions. ¿El resumen es claro y fiel al trabajo propuesto? Breve introducción al tema de investigación, objetivos, metodología, principales resultados esperados y posibles conclusiones.	Avaliador: avaliar a qualidade de síntese dos principais pontos da pesquisa para este campo. Evaluator: to assess the quality of the synthesis of the main points of the research for this field. Evaluador: evaluar la calidad de la síntesis de los principales puntos de la investigación de este campo. The summary presents the objective, general methodology, and main results of the study. However, its clarity and conciseness could be improved. Some sentences could be simplified to emphasize the main results and their practical implications.
Palavras-Chave Keywords Palabras clave	As palavras-chave são representativas? Utilizam um Thesaurus Agrícola Nacional para representar o tema da pesquisa? Are the keywords representative? Do they use a National Agricultural Thesaurus to represent the research topic? ¿Son representativas las palabras clave? ¿Utilizan un Tesauro Agrícola Nacional para representar el tema de investigación?	The keywords are relevant to the study topic. However, it is recommended to avoid repeating terms already present in the title and to consider including more specific terms related to canopy management or fruit quality. For example, winter pruning, economic yield, overcolor or “blush”, background color

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1 – Introdução		Visão de conjunto do trabalho de pesquisa proposto, com o apoio da literatura e do estado-da-arte da área de conhecimento específica, destacando sua relevância no contexto da área inserida e sua importância específica para o avanço do conhecimento. Deve fornecer uma visão geral do tema abordado e da pesquisa proposta.	Avaliador: Neste ponto, a pesquisa deve ser avaliada com relação a sua relevância e originalidade.
Introduction			
Introducción			
		An overview of the proposed research work, supported by the literature and the state-of-the-art in the specific field of knowledge, highlighting its relevance within the context of the field and its specific importance for the advancement of knowledge. It should provide a general overview of the topic addressed and the proposed research.	Evaluator: At this point, the research should be evaluated in terms of its relevance and originality.
		Una visión general del trabajo de investigación propuesto, fundamentada en la literatura y el estado del arte en el campo específico del conocimiento, destacando su relevancia en el contexto del campo y su importancia específica para el avance del conocimiento. Debe proporcionar una visión general del tema abordado y de la investigación propuesta.	Evaluador: En este punto se debe evaluar la investigación en términos de su relevancia y originalidad.
			The introduction presents relevant information on the importance of color in apple marketing and on the role of summer pruning in the physiology and management of the crop. However, it could be strengthened by more clearly highlighting the knowledge gap that the study aims to address and the specific contribution it hopes to make. Furthermore, some ideas need to be supported by bibliographic references.
2 - Escopo da Pesquisa	2.1 - Pergunta de pesquisa	Descreve, com o apoio da literatura, o problema, as hipóteses, o objeto de interesse, apresentando os pontos a serem enfocados no trabalho de pesquisa proposto. Apresentar pergunta de pesquisa, clara, concisa, pertinente ao tema e à área de concentração; relevante e passível de ser respondida pela pesquisa dentro do prazo estipulado.	Avaliador: verificar se o pesquisador destacou a problemática do estudo.
Scope of the Research	Research		

Alcance de la investigación	question Pregunta de investigación	Describe, with the support of the literature, the problem, the hypotheses, the object of interest, presenting the points to be focused on in the proposed research work. Present a research question that is clear, concise, pertinent to the theme and the area of concentration; relevant and capable of being answered by the research within the stipulated timeframe. Describa, con base en la bibliografía, el problema, las hipótesis y el objeto de interés, presentando los puntos en los que se centrará la investigación propuesta. Presente una pregunta de investigación clara, concisa, pertinente al tema y al área de concentración; relevante y susceptible de respuesta en el plazo establecido.	Evaluator: verify if the researcher highlighted the problem addressed in the study. Evaluador: verificar si el investigador destacó la problemática abordada en el estudio. The research problem relates to the lack of consensus on the optimal timing for summer pruning in ‘Fuji’ apple orchards. This problem is relevant from both a production and economic perspective. However, the research question is not explicitly stated in the text and could be formulated more clearly.
	2.2 - Objetivos Objectives Objetivos	Objetivos são claros, concisos, pertinente ao tema e a área de concentração; passível de ser atingido na pesquisa dentro do prazo estipulado. The objectives are clear, concise, relevant to the topic and area of concentration; and achievable in the research within the stipulated timeframe. Los objetivos son claros, concisos, relevantes al tema y área de concentración; y alcanzables en la investigación dentro del plazo estipulado.	Avaliador: observar se os objetivos foram contemplados no planejamento metodológico, do estudo. Evaluator: observe whether the objectives were addressed in the methodological planning of the study. Evaluador: observar si se abordaron los objetivos en la planificación metodológica del estudio. The general objective of the study is clearly stated: to evaluate the effect of summer pruning timing on crop productivity, fruit quality, and economic yield. The objectives are relevant and consistent with the experimental design presented.

	2.3 - Justificativa Justification Justificación	Realça a importância da pesquisa dentro do contexto estudado? Does it highlight the importance of research within the studied context? ¿Destaca la importancia de la investigación dentro del contexto estudiado?	The study's justification is based primarily on the importance of fruit color in apple marketing and the high labor costs in fruit production. This justification is adequate, although it could be expanded with more references to recent studies.
3 - Revisão Bibliográfica Literature Review Revisión de literatura		Apresentação dos principais conceitos. Panorâmica sobre a situação atual do objeto de estudo / principais resultados alcançados em outras pesquisas (estado da arte), descrição dos mecanismos e métodos utilizados na pesquisa. Presentation of the main concepts. Overview of the current situation of the object of study / main results achieved in other research (state of the art), description of the mechanisms and methods used in the research. Presentación de los conceptos principales. Panorama general de la situación actual del objeto de estudio/principales resultados obtenidos en otras investigaciones (estado del arte), descripción de los mecanismos y métodos empleados en la investigación.	Avaliador: Neste ponto o estudo deve ser avaliado quanto ao conhecimento geral na área, coerência e atuação. Evaluator: At this point, the study should be evaluated in terms of general knowledge in the area, coherence, and performance. Evaluador: En este punto se debe evaluar el estudio en términos de conocimiento general en el área, coherencia y desempeño. The literature review includes studies on anthocyanin synthesis, canopy management, and pruning in fruit trees. However, the discussion of the literature could be more critical and comparative. In some cases, the references are presented descriptively without directly linking them to the results obtained in the study. It is also recommended to review the consistency of the citation and reference formats.
		Materiais e equipamentos: descrição dos materiais e equipamentos a serem utilizados na pesquisa. Método de Procedimentos: descrição dos procedimentos e técnicas a	Avaliador: Neste ponto o estudo deve ser avaliado considerando a adequação da metodologia à pergunta científica que se pretende responder.

4 - Metodologia de Pesquisa Research Methodology Metodología de la investigación	serem utilizados na pesquisa. Materials and equipment: description of the materials and equipment to be used in the research. Method of Procedures: description of the procedures and techniques to be used in the research. Materiales y equipo: descripción de los materiales y equipos que se utilizarán en la investigación. Métodos y procedimientos: descripción de los procedimientos y técnicas que se utilizarán en la investigación.	Evaluator: At this point, the study should be evaluated considering the suitability of the methodology to the scientific question it intends to answer. Evaluador: En este punto se debe evaluar el estudio considerando la idoneidad de la metodología a la pregunta científica que pretende responder. The methodology is described relatively clearly. The study was conducted in an experimental orchard over three consecutive seasons using a randomized block design with five replications. Productive, fruit quality, and economic variables were evaluated.
	Restrições e limitações que podem ser aplicadas a esta pesquisa. Restrictions and limitations that may apply to this research. Restricciones y limitaciones que pueden aplicar a esta investigación.	Avaliador: O estudo deve ser avaliado a abrangência metodológica da proposta. Evaluator: The study should be evaluated based on the methodological scope of the proposal. Evaluador: El estudio deberá ser evaluado con base en el alcance metodológico de la propuesta. The experimental design is adequate to address the stated objective. However, some improvements are suggested: • Clarify some aspects of the statistical analysis.

			• Improve the description of certain evaluation procedures. • Review the consistency in the presentation of the units of measurement.
FORMA E USO DA LINGUAGEM/ FORM AND USE OF LANGUAGE/FORMA Y USO DEL LENGUAJE			
5 - Análise textual Textual analysis Análisis textual	Texto claro, bem estruturado e coerente, apresentando organização de ideias. Frases e parágrafos bem construídos. The text is clear, well-structured, and coherent, presenting an organized flow of ideas. Sentences and paragraphs are well-constructed. El texto es claro, bien estructurado y coherente, presentando un flujo organizado de ideas. Las oraciones y los párrafos están bien contruidos.		Avaliador: Observar se a redação do texto atende às normas formais de ortografia e gramática, se a linguagem é clara, objetiva e impessoal. Evaluator: Observe whether the text adheres to formal spelling and grammar rules, and whether the language is clear, objective, and impersonal. Evaluador: Observe si el texto se adhiere a las reglas formales de ortografía y gramática, y si el lenguaje es claro, objetivo e impersonal. The manuscript presents significant writing and editing problems. These include: • duplicate sentences • grammatical errors These issues affect the clarity and flow of the text and must be corrected before publication.
6 – Referências	Citações Citation	Texto fundamentado (informações, afirmações etc.) e corretamente citado.	Some paragraphs in the introduction lack citations and require supporting evidence or further

References Referencias	Citas	A text that is well-founded (information, statements, etc.) and correctly cited. Un texto bien fundamentado (información, afirmaciones, etc.) y correctamente citado.	justification. In others, only one work is cited, despite the existence of other research that could strengthen the text.
	Relevância Relevance Pertinencia	Uso de referências (artigos científicos) recentes e relevantes. Use of recent and relevant references (scientific articles). Utilización de referencias recientes y relevantes (artículos científicos).	The references include relevant articles in the areas of fruit growing and apple physiology. However, it is recommended to update citations and strengthen the bibliographic information. Review the format and consistency of some citations.
7 – Formatação Formatting Formato		Utilização das normas ABNT para formatação do trabalho (tabelas, figuras, letras, espaçamento etc.). Use of ABNT standards for formatting the work (tables, figures, fonts, spacing etc.). Utilización de normas ABNT para el formato del trabajo (tablas, figuras, fuentes, espaciado etc.).	

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Introdução:**Introduction:**

Reorganize some paragraphs and improve the writing to avoid repetition. It is also recommended to clarify the research question and the knowledge gap that the study aims to address.

Some paragraphs in the introduction lack citations and require supporting evidence or further justification. In others, only one work is cited, despite the existence of other research that could strengthen the text. It is necessary to incorporate updated works or studies that support the problem raised.

In addition, the location of the study must be included in the title.

Incorporate the harvest index for Fuji apples to better discuss the percentage values presented in the results.

Introducción**Objetivos:**

Objectives: No comments

Objetivos

Problema de pesquisa:

Research problem: No comments

Problema de investigación:

Metodologia:**Research Methodology:**

The harvest date at that location must be indicated to determine how many months in advance the pruning is done in December, January, or February.

Indicate whether all fruits on the plant were weighed individually or if a subsample was taken for productivity assessments.

Improve the clarity in the description of some experimental procedures and review the presentation of units and variables evaluated.

Metodología de la investigación

Fundamentação teórica:

Theoretical basis:

It is suggested that the discussion be strengthened by comparing the results with previous studies, especially those related to green pruning and fruit quality. It is necessary to substantiate the topics of apple color, position in the canopy, and fruit ripening.

Base teórica

Considerações gerais:

General considerations: The study presents interesting and potentially useful results for apple orchard management. However, the manuscript requires significant revision in terms of writing, structure, and clarity before being considered for publication.

Consideraciones generales

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