

Postharvest Principles

About Postharvest

Improve the quality of product reaching the market and the consumers by following these 10 simple principles.



1. Harvest at correct maturity



2. Reduce physical handling



3. Protect product from sun



4. Keep packing lines simple and clean; ensure good worker hygiene



5. Select, classify, and pack carefully



6. Align cartons, strap pallet



7. Cool as soon as possible



8. Know market and product requirements



9. Coordinate efficient & rapid handling



10. Train and compensate workers adequately