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Remote Measurement Method for Three-dimensional Especially Volumes, of Attached Fruits Using Stereo

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The remote measurement of the three-dimensional shapes and volus was examined using software for stereo photogrammetry. It read th coordinates of many surface points on viewing fruit from two sides, those of fruit boundary lines, and, if necessary, those of the cavity su surrounding the fruit cavities. The volume of each square pole, com surface points, was calculated by a computer program within area o totaled as the fruit volume. If necessary, a similar volume was calculated, and totaled as the cavity volume. The latter was used to deduc

from the former. The relations between the measured volumes and 1 volumes of detached fruits were satisfactory. A field photography d which consisted of a tripod, a ground control-point set and a board slid from left to right. Remote measurements of the volume of attach out successfully using this device. Other fruit shapes excluding the v measured easily using the software.

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