Objective 8 Quiz

Structure	Advantage	Disadvantage
A-Frame	environmental control	Expensive to build and heat
	strong structure	wastes land between houses
	maximum light allowance	
Ridge and Furrow	less expensive to build	environmental control is difficult
	good environmental control	if different crops are grown
	less expensive to heat	structurally weak under snow
	wastes no land between houses	buildup
Quonset	less expensive to build	requires new covering frequently
	ideal for production of seasonal	
	crops	
	may be free-standing or grouped	
Lath/Shade House	Provide a shaded area for heat	little environmental control
	sensitive plants	
	Provide a cool holding area	

How can greenhouse ventilation be accomplished?

Roof and side ventilators, exhaust fans, fan and convection tube systems, a retractable roof

How can shading be accomplished in a greenhouse? Spray compound, Shade cloth

<u>Fan and pad cooling</u> uses exhaust fans and continuously wet pads of excelsior, cross-fluted cellulose, aluminum fiber, or glass fibers.

Fog evaporative cooling uses a high-pressure pump to create a fine mist.

What are the positive and negative effects of using a double layered plastic covering? Positive – aid in heat retention Negative – reduction in light intensity

What are the desirable characteristics of a greenhouse bench? They must drain quickly; they must be of a width that allows workers to reach into their center, they must maximize the crop's exposure to light.

Ground bed preparation includes: approximately six inches of crushed stone beneath six to eight inches of porous soil, and properly installed drainage tile system to provide for subsoil drainage.

Give six materials commonly used for greenhouse benches. Wood, aluminum, welded wire fabric, wooden slats, snow fencing, concrete What three types of bench arrangements are commonly used in a greenhouse? Peninsular, longitudinal, moveable

What are the three main reasons for soil tests among greenhouse growers?

- 1. To check the pH
- 2. To check for nutrient deficiencies
- 3. To measure the soluble salt content

а	pots	a. resemble ice-cube trays and are available in different sizes
е	pans	b. porous, thus gas and air can permeate containers, and soil dries more rapidly
b	clay	c. shallow, rectangular containers that may be used to start seedlings, root
	containers	cuttings, or hold less sturdy peat pots and strips
g	plastic	d. great convenience for transplanting because there is no need to remove the pot
	containers	
d	peat pots	e. containers where the height is one-half the diameter
а	molded	f. specialized production containers made of wire or plastic
	plastic packs	
f	hanging	g. cannot be heat pasteurized, lighter than clay
	baskets	
С	flats	a. round containers whose height and diameter are equal
а	spray systems	a. deliver the water through nozzles, spaced at intervals along the pipes, which
		run around the perimeter of the greenhouse bench
d	trickle systems	b. small rings of plastic that are placed around the base of each plant within its container
е	ooze tubes	c. water pumped from a storage tank into a water tight bench where it flows across the surface, flooding the entire bench
b	water loops	d. deliver water through holes in inflatable plastic tubes stretched down the
		bench
f	capillary mats	e. plastic tubes that are tolled out in rows between plants growing as bench crops
С	ebb and flood	f. made of fibrous material and is placed on a bench that is first lined with plastic
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Systemic: remain in the plant and ills the pest when it arrives Sprays: material is mixed with water in a hydraulic sprayer and applied to foliage Dusts: dry formulation of pesticide that must provide a thorough coverage Smoke Fumigants: packaged with a flammable, smoke-producing material Fogger: pesticide is mixed with an oil solvent and filled in a fogger