Title Production and marketing problems of date palm in the region of Biskra, Algeria

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Abstract

This study attempted to identify production and marketing problems facing date producers in the Biskra region of Algeria, with emphasis on the role that could be played by agricultural extension to solve these problems. Particular consideration was given to the differences and interaction between these problems and agricultural policy and their effect on achieving the objectives of the study. A sample of 64 date growers was selected randomly from three major areas in the Biskra region. The research findings are presented and discussed with recommendations on how to improve date production in the region.