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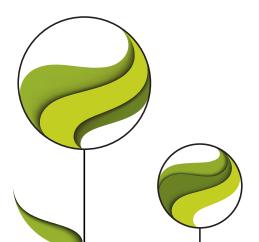


## Sustainable strategies for the improvement of seriously degraded agricultural areas The example of *Pistachia vera* L.

## **OBJECTIVES**

- Soil protection from degradation and desertification
- Development of sustainable fertilization and irrigation practices
- Land management system
- Maps for land suitability for agricultural wastes disposal/use
- Sustainable use of water
- Composting and recycling of pistachio's by-products
- Improved yield
- Strategies for intensively cultivated areas in Mediterranean region
- Development of an Operational Center for efficient and continuous communication and cooperation between farmers, scientists and authorities





## **Responsible Institutions**

Soil Science Institute of Athens-ELGO DEMETER Institute of Mediterranean Studies-IMS FORTH Technical University of Crete

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