

Saline agriculture and Sustainable Development Goals: A regional perspective¹

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Abstract

Soil salinisation is an emerging problem, often ignored by stakeholders because, in some cases, it is not yet visible. From this perspective, there is an urgent need to find solutions and place these issues even higher on the agenda of national, European and international policy makers. Only with appropriate policies and stakeholders who are aware of the real consequences of soil salinisation will it be possible to deal effectively with the situation associated with this context, especially with the challenges inherent in climate change. From this point of view, this study aims to highlight contributions from the literature on the relationship between soil salinisation and the Sustainable Development Goals, with a special emphasis on the regional dimensions of these topics. Taking these objectives into account, metrics from the literature were analysed and a survey of scientific documents was conducted. The results obtained show the asymmetric impacts of soil salinisation, depending on geographical location, the characteristics of economic activities and soil conditions.

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