

STUDY OF PROFILE CHARACTERISTICS OF CAULIFLOWER GROWERS OF UDAIPUR DISTRICT OF RAJASTHAN

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ABSTRACT

IPM refers to an ecological approach in pest management in which all available necessary techniques are consolidated in a unified programme, so that pest population can be managed in such a manner that economic damage is avoided and adverse side effects are minimized. The goal of IPM is to control population of the pest below level that result in economic damage. Ideally, this is achieved through the integration of all suitable control techniques in a compatible manner. The present study was conducted in Badgaon and Girwa tehsils of Udaipur district of Rajasthan. Four villages from each selected tehsil were taken and 12 respondents were selected randomly from each selected village for the study. Data were collected through prestructured interview schedule. The study revealed that out of total respondents 39.58 per cent respondents were from the middle age group of 35 to 44 years and the study clearly also showed that 46.87 per cent respondents of the total sample were educated up to primary level.

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