



Title: AM-44-1 to B-R6: Transitioning to sustainable and resilient farming systems in Europe

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Draft text

From line 43 to 48:

the decline in biodiversity. Yet binding targets to reduce the use and risk of synthetic pesticides at Member State level are still absent. ~~Extensive investment, including funding and advisory services, in the uptake of already existing alternatives to synthetic pesticides is necessary for the future of European food production, as well as investment in further research into integrated pest management.~~ Integrated pest management (IPM) should be at the heart of crop protection. Further research and measures to drive the uptake of IPM in all agricultural sectors is essential. Extensive investments and the funding of advisory services will enhance the uptake of existing alternatives. To make sure that enough alternatives are present, market approval of sustainable biopesticides should be fast tracked.

Explanation / Comment

Improves readability and makes our demands more precise