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CARE & MANAGEMENT	Unit 3.2
Care Implementing care and management for an existing orchard	L 4

KNOWLEDGE

He/she is able to

- describe the use of specific tools and machines to care for a traditional orchard
- determine the personal equipment for protection and safety conditions
- explain how to maintain standard trees by regular forming and pruning
- 4. describe the principles of fertilization and irrigation
- explain how to prevent damages by domestic or wild animals
- 6. explain how to maintain grassland
- 7. explain how to protect the wildlife
- explain how to maintain infrastructure (fences, driveways, etc.)

SKILLS

He/she is able to

- 1. implement and conduct a care plan
- choose and use the appropriate equipment and methods for care and management
- prune, form, fertilize, irrigate and protect orchard trees to keep their vitality
- 4. maintain the standard trees, the grassland, the infrastructure
- to reach the production goal (economic and ecological orientation)

COMPETENCES

- 1. He/she manages and cares for an existing orchard on his/her own.
- 2. He/she uses a business plan and does controlling to achieve an economic benefit from the orchard.
- 3. He/she guarantees ecological benefits for all creatures and habitats involved.