

594. **Abrol, I.P. and Dhruva Narayana, V.V. 1990.** Technologies for Wasteland Development. Technical Book, Publications and Information Division, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi, 403 p.

The book deals with the relevant technologies generated at several research centres of the

more knowledge on the nature of degradation processes and their management is being gained. The problems of arid and semi-arid regions are discussed in sections II and III and salt-affected soils and their management including problems of waterlogging have been presented in section V. The problem of water erosion which is perhaps the most serious land degradation phenomenon, is discussed in section IV. Apart from specific technologies, the social and economic issues involved in adopting these technologies on a field scale have been discussed in separate articles.