

QUARTERLY REPORTS

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Mainstreaming biodiversity in the coffee sector in Colombia

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Result 1. Incentives

For Environmental Services Payment (PSA), a multi-temporary interpretation of forest covers (years 89.99 and 2009) was carried out, determining the intervention sites for the implementation of the PSA, under the *Voluntary Carbon Standard* scheme. Eight micro basins were preselected for water PSA from water demand and use.

Result 2. Increase in income-certification

Regarding certification, 2494 coffee-growers were trained; the certification /verification process of 10081 hectares was started, of which 6742 are 4C, 1452 Nespresso, 1202 UTZ and 685 Rainforest. The first technical certification and verification table was carried out, with the participation of special coffees coordinators from the FNC.

Five value chains were prioritized: banana, bamboo (guadua), fruit trees, medicinal plants and flowers and foliages; four market surveys were carried out and four commercialization strategies were formulated.

Nurseries started the construction phase and additionally, the instrument to measure income indicator was elaborated, determining a sample of 536 surveys.

Result 3. Capacity-conservation corridors Invigoration

Flora characterization was completed and ants and birds characterization began, in the biodiversity monitoring sites. The flora identified is represented in 355 species, of 82 families; with a report of 35 threatened and 9 endemic species. 86 surveys were carried out to identify conservation opportunities among the beneficiaries.

Two municipalities were selected to replicate the land tax exoneration incentive for conservation.

70% progress has been achieved, in general, for 2010 goals.

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| | US \$ 220,737 |
| Budgetary expenditures to date | |
| Disbursement rate (Delivery rate): (budgetary expenditures/ annual budget) | 53% US \$ 220,737/ 417,804 |