

PURPOSE

- Offer certified coffees to select roaster clientele interested on traceability and on social and environmental practices in the coffee chain.
- Project will improve living conditions and income of smallholder coffee growers and their workers.

TARGET GROUP

- Seven coffee farm owners; ten medium-size farms, all working with family-related labor.
- Several hundred workers and their families, including fixed coffee pickers, will benefit from the project, as well as Inaginsa's mill and employees in San Marcos de Ocotepeque.

UTZ CERTIFIED PROGRAM FOR INAGINSA

HONDURAS - approved by the Efico Fund on 05/10/2007

Location

Copán and Ocotepeque

Description

Certify smallholder coffee growers supplying Inaginsa; certify dry mill process in the Inaginsa's San Marcos mill.

Project Budget

Efico Fund contribution: € 12 550.82

Project Duration

Starts: 2007

PARTNERS

Inaginsa

- Project applicant
- Private coffee exporting company
- One of EFICO's suppliers
- Underwent a Mayacert audit on UN Global Compact principles in 2006 and obtained an excellent score.

EFICO Central America

- Managing Director, Renaud Cuchet

Former CSN, now part of Solidaridad

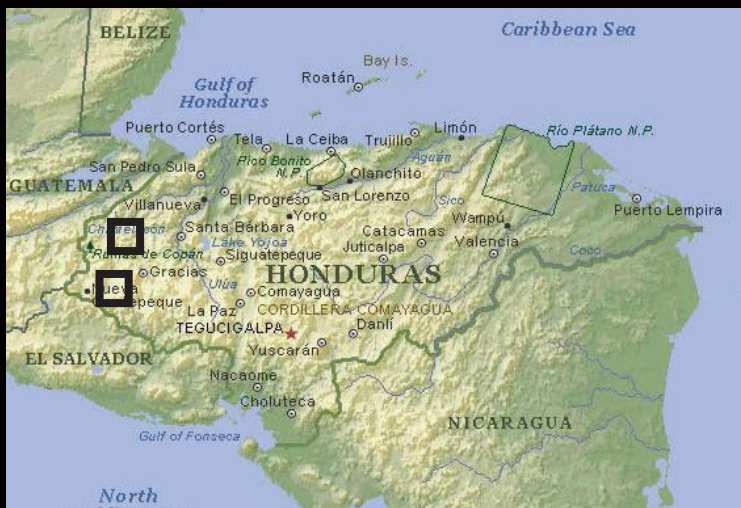
Certification Support Network

- Joint Dutch initiative funded by Doen, Hivos, Oxfam Novib and Solidaridad.
- Supports groups of smallholder coffee growers, seeking to become certified.

Utz Certified

www.utzcertified.org

- Agronomist/Engineer Elmer Nij: former Utz Certified Consultant, now part of the EFICO Central America Sustainability Team.



EXPECTED RESULTS

Short-term: Utz Code of Conduct implementation will improve farm management and generate more professional knowledge on responsible, sustainable coffee-growing practices while addressing local community and environmental needs. Higher income resulting from market opportunities.

Long-term: Develop sustainable infrastructure in the region and empower local community. Project seeks to train smallholder coffee growers to manage their plantation in consistent compliance with future market demands. Coffee production will be more profitable and environmental and socially responsible growing practices will be guaranteed.

SUSTAINABLE UTZ CERTIFICATION IN HONDURAS



INAGINSA
Exportadores de Café

EFICO
CAFÉ VERDE & CACAO

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CERTIFIED
Good inside