

AEPSIMS Villa Serrano

technical sheet:

Name: AEPSIMS Villa Serrano

Year of establishment: 2018

Number of families: 20 beekeepers

Value chain: Production and marketing of honey, propolis extract, honey and propolis candies, and honey sachets

Location of the producer organization: Pampas del Tigre, communities of PN and ANMI Serranía del Iñao

Supporting Social Center: Fundación ACLO Regional Chuquisaca

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67 hectares

Territorial extension

1,250 kg of honey/year
100 kg of propolis
300 liters of propolis extract
5,000 honey candies
12,000 honey sachets

Production quantities

4329 US\$

Annual revenue

Our products:

The purity of the honey from the Serranía del Iñao contributes to the conservation of the communities' melliferous flora. Its purity is guaranteed by agroecological production near the apiaries. The ecological certification through the SPG (Participatory Guarantee System) ensures organic production of honey and propolis, free of agrochemicals.

Beekeeping in the communities of the National Park and ANMI Serranía del Iñao guarantees natural regeneration of flora, conservation of water and vegetation, and income generation without harming common resources.

A great project behind this product

The development of beekeeping maintains biodiversity, conserves common resources, provides income for local youth, and prevents migration from rural areas to cities.

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***“We contribute to the territory because raising bees helps conserve trees in the countryside. We are more resistant to colds during winter by consuming pure, multifloral honey from AEPSIMS in the Serranía del Iñao.”*

“We came together as an organization to strengthen our knowledge, generate income from honey sales, and conserve our natural forests.”

“Our initiative is an economic alternative because honey is one of the few products that doesn't expire. We can consume and sell it at any time, and it can be stored as long as necessary. Selling honey generates additional income, and beekeeping doesn't require much labor.”

“We hope the benefits of this product can be widely shared through Comparte.”

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