Project title : COSTRA - Evaluate the costs of bringing all cocoa operators in Côte d'Ivoire into compliance with the European Union Deforestation Regulation

| Project place | Project cost | Role in the project | Technical and financial sponsors | Dates |
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| Côte d'Ivoire | 55 000 € | Traceability expertise | Joint Research Centre JRC - EU Science Hub, EU - European Union | January 2024 - September 2024 |

Project's goals and results

Main goals

Through a methodology of consultation of direct and indirect operators, national or international, of the cocoa value chain, analysis of existing traceability, and required functionalities, the mission must estimate the overall cost of a traceability compliant with the EUDR of the entire sector in Côte d'Ivoire to design appropriate support measures

Specific objectives

SO1. Typology of traceability devices, functionalities required by the regulation, and pre-identification and estimates of a list of quantitative items within each type of traceability system

SO2. Conducting around sixty interviews with sector professionals including those in distribution in Europe, first and secondary processing, international and national trade, cocoa production and traceability software professionals

SO3. Identify the direct and indirect costs that must be incurred by the different professionals

SO4. Summary of interviews, report and validation of results with the competent authorities

Beneficiaries

Results

Activities