

Project title : ORGANA - Audit of a cashew processing plant

Project place	Project cost	Role in the project	Technical and financial sponsors	Dates
Côte d'Ivoire	3 500 €	Cashew Value Chain Expertise	Tradin Organic	June 2016 - June 2016

Project's goals and results

Main goals

Perform the technical audit and the overall evaluation of the plant's process in particular with respect to the specifications of organic farming and the quality

Specific objectives

- Evaluation of the RCN stock of a Tradin Organic partner plant
- Evaluation of the processing plant and the critical points of the process

Beneficiaries

Results

R1. RCN quality control results for three main stocks (RCN stock destined for local processing, Organic stock destined for export to Vietnam, conventional stock destined for export to Vietnam). These results will include: sampling method, foreign matter content, KOR result, nut-count and empirical moisture assessment

R2. An assessment of the quality of the traceability procedures and compliance with the Organic specifications (verification of stocks records, separation of physical stocks, clear identification, labeling, batching, risk analysis and relationship to surfaces and number of certified producers ...)

R3. A report on the process evaluation of the RCN process line to Africa Négoce. This assessment of the process, buildings, personnel and inputs used will focus on the critical points

Activities

A1. Site visit and consultation of internal documents (quality procedures, tracking files, traceability files, organic process)

A2. Interviews with factory managers

A3. Quality control of RCN by sampling and measurement of KOR (kernel output ratio)