

# OIL PALM IN COLOMBIA

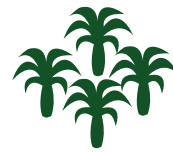
It is the most productive oilseed on earth; one planted hectare produces between 6 and 10 times more oil than the other oilseeds. Colombia is the **fourth largest producer of palm oil in the world and the first in the Americas.**

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**6,900** PRODUCERS\*

75% small-scale  
23% medium-scale  
31% women

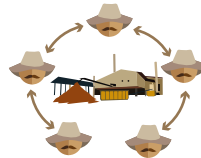


**155** MUNICIPALITIES IN DEPARTMENTS  
**20**



**191,000** direct and indirect jobs

**70** ACTIVE PALM OIL MILLS



**125** STRATEGIC PRODUCTIVE ALLIANCES



**1.3 million tons** of palm oil sold in the domestic market

74% of national production



Estimated production value  
**USD 2.2 billion**

**466 thousand tons** of palm oil exported

26 % of national production

**PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION**



**28 KG** CRUDE PALM OIL

**33 thousand tons** of palm kernel oil sold in the domestic market

**86 thousand tons** of palm kernel oil exported

**17.6% of the agricultural GDP in Colombia**  
4<sup>th</sup> place in agricultural exports  
96% of the local oils and fats production



Oil palm is the most productive oilseed in the world: with only 8% of the planted area, it contributes to 35% of world's production.

**580 thousand** PLANTED HECTARES

**85%** in production  
**15%** immature area

**8 million tons** FRESH FRUIT BUNCHES

**1.77 million tons** CRUDE PALM OIL

**323 thousand tons** PALM KERNEL

## A DAY OF YOUR LIFE WITH PALM OIL

A.M.



Shampoo, conditioners, soaps



Toothpastes



PET CARE  
Animal feed



BREAKFAST  
Cereals, breakfast bars, donuts



PERSONAL CARE  
Body lotions, deodorants, cosmetics

P.M.



CLEANING  
Household cleaning products



WASHING  
Dishwashing, detergents



DINNER  
Sauces, rolls, frozen meals



TRANSPORTATION  
Biofuels such as biodiesel



DESSERTS  
Candy bars, cookies, ice cream and desserts



LUNCH  
Toppings, on the crispiness of french fries

The versatility of palm oil allows multiple industrial uses in: food, oleochemistry, renewable energy and biomass-derived products, which are environmentally friendly.