

Summary of Activities and Accomplishments, Brazil

1. Capacity building				
<i>a) Technical assistance provided by experts to Brazil</i>				
Expert	Dates	Purpose		
H de Franqueville	Apr 1999	Pest risk assessment of International Coconut Genebank		
<i>b) In-country training courses conducted with Brazil research participants</i>				
Schedule	Course/Training Activities	Venue/Host	No. Trainees/Countries	Funding Agency
None	-	-	-	-
<i>c) Local researchers trained in other countries</i>				
Name	Dates, Country	Training Course		
Evandro Almeida Tupinamba	14 – 25 July 1997, Jamaica	Regional STANTECH Trainers' Course for LAC		
Evandro Almeida Tupinamba	15 – 24 April 2002, France	Workshop on Coconut Genetic Resources Management Using Microsatellite Kit and Dedicated Statistical Software		
Marcio Moretzsohn	Ditto	Ditto		
Ana da Silva Ledo	13 – 17 October, 2003	Coconut Cryopreservation Training Course		
Evandro Almeida Tupinamba	6 – 8 November, 2003, Mexico	Training Course on Technical Writing, Seminar Presentation, Public Awareness and Proposal preparation		
Evandro Almeida Tupinamba	25 – 27 November 2004	Statistical Design and Germplasm x Environment Interaction Analysis Training Course		
Semíramis Rabelo Ramalho Ramos	11- 15 December 2008	Training and research workshop: Coconut embryo culture to		

		improve collecting and safe movement of germplasm	
Ana da Silva Ledo	Ditto	Ditto	
<i>d) BIOVERSITY-COGENT meetings/workshops held in Brazil</i>			
Date	Activity	Location	
None	-	-	
2. BIOVERSITY-COGENT projects in Brazil			
Project Title	Host Institute	Budget/ Funding Agency (US\$)	Budget/ National Funding (US\$)
a) Multilocation hybrid/variety trial (1998)	CPATC/ EMBRAPA	4,500/CFC	8,333
b) Multilocation hybrid/variety trial (2000)	Ditto	11,533/CFC	8,333
c) Multilocation hybrid/variety trial (2001)	Ditto	10,550/CFC	8,334
d) Multilocation hybrid/variety trial (2002)	Ditto	8,250/CFC	8,333
e) Molecular marker-based characterization of conserved coconut germplasm in Brazil	Ditto	2,000/DFID	1,000
f) Multilocation hybrid/variety trial (2004)	Ditto	13,500/CFC	8,333
g) Molecular marker-based characterization of conserved coconut germplasm in Brazil	Ditto	3,000/DFID	1,500
h) International Coconut Genebank for Latin America and the Caribbean	Ditto	40,000/ BRAZIL	20,000
i) International Coconut Genebank for Latin America and the Caribbean (Jan – Dec 2008)		40,000/ BRAZIL	20,000
TOTAL		133,333	84,166

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