

Importance of Beekeepers Organization and Joint Public-Private Articulation in the Sustainability and Beekeeping Development



Case of the Dominican Beekeeping Network (REDAPI)

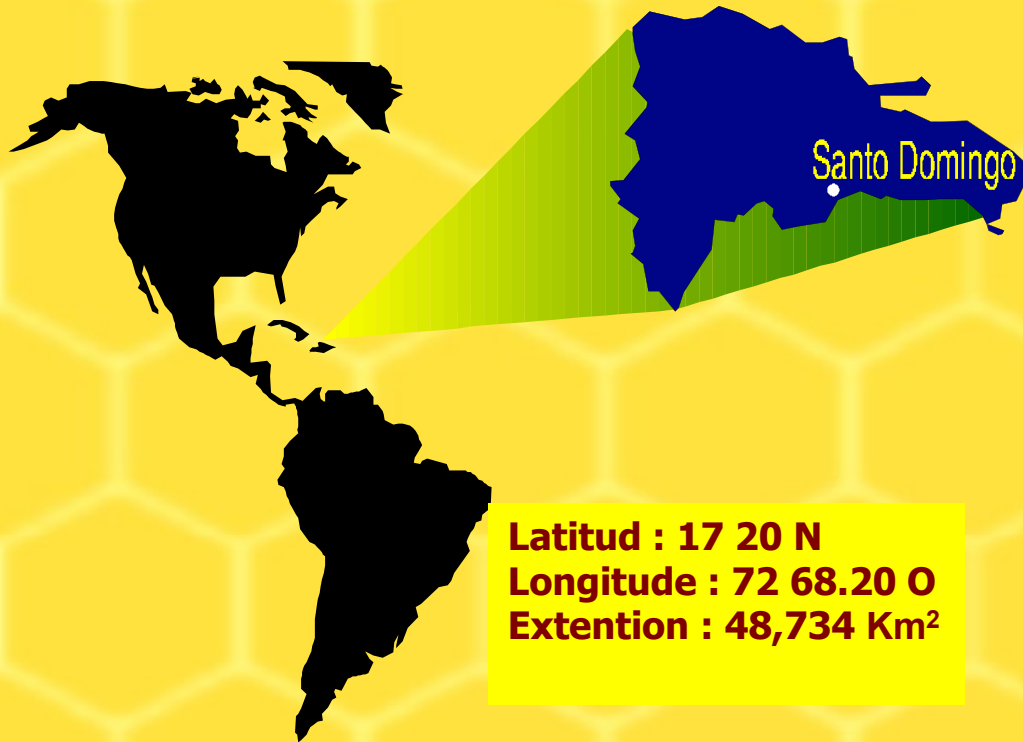


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Dominican Republic:



Latitud : 17 20 N
Longitude : 72 68.20 O
Extention : 48,734 Km²

Location:

Center of the Caribbean Sea.

Limits:

- North: Atlantic Ocean.
- South: Caribbean Sea.
- East: La Mona Passage.
- West: Haiti.

Provinces: 32.

Language: Spanish.

Population: 9.3 millions.

Ecology: Rainforests, semi-desert areas, and mountainous vegetation.



Low capital requirements



Not use of big land



Depends of technologies of easy acces and local implementation

Beekeeping as an alternative for the development of sustainables family and associative enterprises in D.R



Generates products with assured local and international market



Favors agriculture, biodiversity and conservation of natural resources throught polination



Is feasible to develop in every Region due the biodiversity and ecological conditions.

BACKGROUNDS

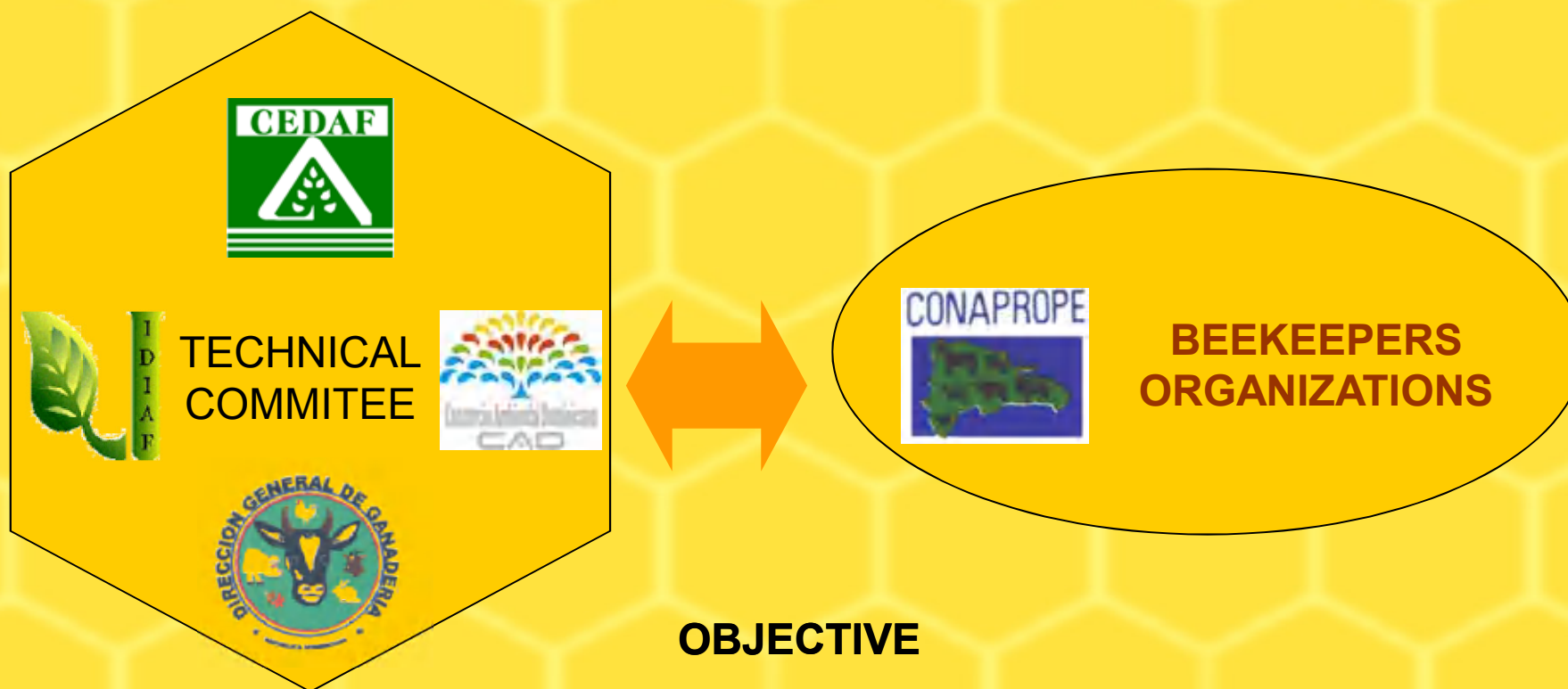


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To promote beekeeping like a competitive farming business activity by encouraging its conservationist and environmentally friendly production.

Strengthening Beekeepers Organizations



SALVADOR FERRER BEEKEEPING COOPERATIVE



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PMR-2



COOPERATIVE STRENGTHENING



Training



Bee Products Processing Plant



Bee Flora Production and Reforestation



Improvement of Apiaries/
Promotion of Organic Production

Beekeeping as an Alternative for the Socio-economic Development of Rural Youth in the Northwest Region of the Dominican Republic



Promotion and Strengthening of Beekeeping in Haiti



Other Activities





Network Strengthening



New Partners

Operative Structure
(Cluster)



Annual Planification

Strategic Plan



A close-up photograph of a honeybee on a cluster of small white flowers. The bee is positioned in the center-right of the frame, facing left. The flowers are small and white, arranged in a dense cluster. The background is a soft-focus green and yellow, suggesting a natural outdoor setting. The text "Thank your for your attention" is overlaid in the bottom right corner.

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