

AMAZONIAN NUT

(OTHER NAMES: BRAZILIAN NUT, NUT FROM PARÁ)

FSC® CERTIFICATION OF FOREST MANAGEMENT FOCUS ON A KEY RESOURCE FOR THE AMAZONIA CONSERVATION

Forest organization or enterprise:

Cooperativa de Producción y Extractivismo Sostenible de Bosque Indígena **GARAH-ITXA** del pueblo **PAITER SURÍ** (que significa **Juntos por los bosques**).

Place:

Tierra Indígena Sete de Setembro, Cacoal, (State of Rondonia - RO) Brazil, South America.

Type of producers:

Indigenous people who inhabit public lands in the Amazon, and are part of the Corridor



NON-TIMBER FOREST PRODUCTION



Specie Tree
Bertholletia excelsa
Humb. & Bonpl.



Fruit harvesting through Responsible Forest Management



Sale to processors chestnut peeling



Other actors process and sell to the consumer

Direct and tangible benefits of Forest Management



Income and employment for more than 50 harvester



Ancient food for families



It enhances the way of life of the Paiter Suruí people.



Adaptation of new technologies to traditional knowledge



Agroforestry compatibility

Biodiversity conservation



Carbon sequestration and storage



Soil conservation



Hydrological services



Benefits by maintain or enhance Services of the Ecosystem

Cultural practices and knowledge for sustaining livelihoods



Images 1 to 3 extracted from FaceBook by Garah Itxa (Dec. 2023); Image 4: FSC photo library.



Links to the website and social networks

The following links are in Portuguese with Spanish subtitles:

[Brazilian nut is the best we have](#)
Sep. 10, 2021



[Brazilian nut](#) Sep. 21, 2021



[Brazilian Nut – Paiter Suruí Indigenous People \(short version\)](#)
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