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NOTIFICATION

The following submission, dated 12 May 2021, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of **Colombia**. The notification concerns domestic support commitments (**Table DS:1** and the relevant supporting tables) for the **calendar year 2019**.

Table DS:1

DOMESTIC SUPPORT: COLOMBIA

REPORTING PERIOD: CALENDAR YEAR 2019

Current Total Aggregate Measurement of Support

Total AMS commitment level	Currency	Current Total AMS
(from Section I of Part IV of the Schedule)	(from Section I of Part IV of the Schedule)	(from attached Supporting Tables)
1	2	3
344,733	USD thousand	0

Supporting Table DS:1

DOMESTIC SUPPORT: COLOMBIA

REPORTING PERIOD: CALENDAR YEAR 2019

Measures exempt from the reduction commitment – "Green Box"

Measure Type	Name and description of measure with reference to criteria in Annex 2	Monetary value USD thousand	Data Sources	Note
1	2	3	4	
2. General services				
2 (a) Research	Support for the development of research and technology transfer with a view to improving and increasing the productivity, competitiveness and modernization of agricultural activities.	104,840	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	104,840		
2 (b) Pest and disease control	Strengthening of measures to prevent and control animal and plant diseases that could affect agricultural production, and strengthening of the National Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures System.	47,963	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	47,963		
2 (c) Training services	Support with a view to stimulating and strengthening the management skills of agricultural sector entities and contributing to the development of the agricultural sector, in line with the economic and social changes in the country.	21,221	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	(1)
	Subtotal	21,221		
2 (d) Extension and advisory services	Support to facilitate the transfer of information and research results to producers and consumers through the implementation of the information systems required for agricultural decision-making.	6,384	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	6,384		
2 (e) Inspection services	Support for diagnostic centres and health laboratories with a view to prevention, monitoring and safety at national level in relation to agricultural products.	0	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	0		
2 (f) Marketing and promotion services	Support for the promotion and consolidation of agricultural business organization activities with a view to improving the competitiveness of the regions, and support for agricultural produce marketing services.	16,318	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	16,318		
2 (g) Infrastructural services	Support for the analysis, design, construction, rehabilitation and modernization of irrigation and drainage infrastructure at national level.	29,958	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	29,958		
	General services Subtotal	226,684		

Measure Type	Name and description of measure with reference to criteria in Annex 2	Monetary value USD thousand	Data Sources	Note
1	2	3	4	
13. Regional assistance programmes	Purchase and award of land. Support to assist rural populations displaced by violence; to guarantee property rights and legal regularization for indigenous communities as a means of protecting their culture and respecting their identity; to legalize the ownership of land occupied by settler communities of small-scale producers to enable them to own their own production resources; and to contribute to the sustainability of rural areas through the development of efficient methods that allow rural land to be used appropriately in keeping with its agricultural potential.	42,336	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	42,336		
Total Green Box		269,020		

Note:

- (1) Corresponds to the total allotted budget for projects, which covers support for further production projects, technical assistance and training services. A breakdown of the data to indicate training services alone is therefore unavailable.

Supporting Table DS:2

DOMESTIC SUPPORT: COLOMBIA

REPORTING PERIOD: CALENDAR YEAR 2019

Measures exempt from the reduction commitment – Special and Differential Treatment – "Development Programmes"

Measure Type	Name and description of measure with reference to criteria in Article 6.2	Monetary value USD thousand	Data Sources	Note
1	2	3	4	
(a) Investment subsidies generally available to agriculture	Incentives for producers who undertake investment projects geared towards improving the competitiveness of agriculture and facilitating adjustment processes in the various sectors or who develop new production projects that revive agricultural activities.	323,665	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Production loans for small-scale producers to finance investments enabling them to improve the productivity of their farming activities.	63,239	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
	Subtotal	386,904		
(c) Support for diversification from growing illicit narcotic crops	Support for communities affected by illicit crops, through investment in production projects, technology, environmental regeneration and rural development.	91,728	Office of the President of the Republic, Regional Revitalization Agency	
	Subtotal	91,728		
Grand Total Development Programmes		478,632		

General note:

Following the signing on 24 November 2016 of the peace agreement with the FARC, Colombia increased budgets to implement programmes for the substitution of illicit crops.

Supporting Table DS:4

DOMESTIC SUPPORT: COLOMBIA

REPORTING PERIOD: CALENDAR YEAR 2019

Calculation of the Current Total Aggregate Measurement of Support

Description of basic products (including non-product specific AMS)	Product-specific AMS (from ST DS:5 to DS:7) USD thousand	Product-specific EMS (from ST DS:8) USD thousand	Total (2 + 3) USD thousand	Value of production USD thousand	Support as a % of value of production	Current Total AMS USD thousand	Note
1	2	3				4	
Cotton	141		141	31,697	0.45%	0 (<i>de minimis</i>)	
Rice	6,174		6,174	1,000,887	0.62%	0 (<i>de minimis</i>)	
Milk	19		19	2,009,088	0%	0 (<i>de minimis</i>)	
Total non-product-specific AMS (from ST/DS:9)							
TOTAL						0	

Source: National Administrative Department of Statistics (DANE).

General note:

The calculation of value of production (2019, provisional) corresponds to the revised methodology from base year 2015 and Central Product Classification (CPC).

Supporting Table DS:6

DOMESTIC SUPPORT: COLOMBIA

REPORTING PERIOD: CALENDAR YEAR 2019

Product-Specific Aggregate Measurements of Support: Non-Exempt Direct Payments

Description of basic products	Reporting Year			Measure Types	Applied administered price	External reference price (generally from AGST)	Eligible production	Total price-related direct payments ((4-5)*6)	Other non-exempt direct payments	Associated fees/levies	Total direct payment (7+8-9)	Data sources	Note
	Type	From	To		USD	USD		USD thousand	USD thousand	USD thousand	USD thousand		
1	2			3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
Cotton	CY	01-01-19	31-12-19	Direct support for producers					141		141	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
Total Cotton											141		
Rice	CY	01-01-19	31-12-19	Direct support for producers					6,174		6,174	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
Total Rice											6,174		
Milk	CY	01-01-19	31-12-19	Direct support for producers					19		19	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	
Total Milk											19		