

Cultivating Cocoa Communities, Changing Lives



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TRIAS

TURNING DREAMS INTO
OPPORTUNITIES



COINDELO

is a cocoa cooperative, formed in 2010 in Isongo, DR Congo, and comprises 549 members, focusing on cocoa production, processing, and marketing. They've diversified into beekeeping and adhere to zero-deforestation policies.

COINDELO counts 549 members, among which 168 women and 132 youth.

COINDELO operates 14 small post-harvest cocoa processing sites & has an export license

Production capacity of around 35 tons of sundried cocoa per year



TRIAS strengthens entrepreneurial organisations around the world, that in turn support local entrepreneurs and farmers.

Through tailored support for each partner, members get access to advice, small loans or training. This enables them to start a business or grow further.

- **Over 50 years supporting Member Based Organisations (MBOs) around the world**
- **Reaching 5.5 million people worldwide**
- **Strengthening 118 entrepreneurial organisations**

"Training by Trias supported me to lead our local cocoa association as a woman, challenging gender norms and advocating for members' interests now confidently." - Madeleine, member of COINDELO

OUR PARTNERSHIP

Trias collaborates closely with COINDELO since 2010. That way, its members are supported in implementing sustainable practices and can join trainings to enhance for example their leadership skills. Together, we also strengthen cooperative governance, improve negotiation abilities, and promote gender inclusion, empowering women and youth to actively participate in cocoa farming and decision-making processes within the cooperative. Since 2023, COINDELO has also developed a resilience plan to adapt to contingencies.

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