International Symposit on Natural Resins

Objectives

To highlight the current situation in Europe and recognize factors determining the market, the technologies, and the legislation that can influence the future.

To create a forum in which experts, authorities and scientists can convey the social and environmental benefits of this sustainable use. This debate will serve to re-launch the use of this natural and renewable raw material in the South of Europe.

To provide a meeting point for all the players in the sector devoted to its use in each country, so that they can exhibit their progress and propose measures to allow this situation to be maintained.

By being held in Coca, an emblematic district in the pine resin industry, the Symposium will have direct contact with work carried out in the field and in the transformation industry and so make it possible to feel the importance that this forest-based sector has on development in rural areas.

II International Symposium on Natural Resins

SINGLE FEE: € 60.50 (Including VAT) Includes full attendance to the three day Symposium event,

documentation and meals.

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Tuesday

10:00 Reception for participants and welcome coffee.

10:45 OFFICIAL INAUGURATION

Leader of Coca Town Council.

Director of Rural Development and Forestry Policy for MAGRAMA.

Regional Minister for Works and Environment for the Junta de Castilla y Leon, regional government. Portuguese Authority to be confirmed.

11:15/13:45 Current situation and future for natural resin as a forestry product.

Resin processing in the world. Alejandro Cunningham. Brazilian consultant and member of the Pine Chemical Association (PCA).

Resin processing on the Iberian Peninsula.

- Spain: Alvaro Picardo Nieto. Consultant to the General Direction for the Natural Environment of the Junta de Castilla y Leon, regional government.
 Portugal: Portuguese Administration.

Natural resin as a forestry resource in rural development policies and programmes. *Manuel Buendía*. REDER (State Rural Development Network).

Resin use and its inclusion in CAP reform in Portugal. Francisco Avillez.

- 14:00 Lunch.
- 16:00/19:30 Field visit.
- 20:00/21:30 PUBLIC DEBATE What are the future prospects for resin processing? Session open to all those interested, coordinated by the Mesa de la Resina organisation of the region of Castile and Leon.

-/th Wednesday

9:00/10:00 Ecology of resin processing: advances in knowledge.

Forestry for resin and conservation: on countryside which protects areas affected by desertification: new and future lines of funding. *Leopoldo Rojo Serrano*, MAGRAMA.

Effects of resin tapping on the anatomy of the xylem of P. pinaster. Dr. *Luis Gil Sánchez*. UPM.

Evaluation of resin producers and implementation of programmes for genetic enhancement. Dr. *Ricardo Alía Miranda*. Director INIA-CIFOR.

Resin producing pine as a Habitat of Community Interest compatible with sustainable resin use. Dr. *José M. García del Barrio*. INIA-CIFOR.

10:00/11:15 Multifunctionality, innovation and rural employment for resin extractions.

Resin research in Spain. José Luis Zamorano Atienza.

Technological improvements in resin tapping processes and experimental campaigns. *Antonio de Diego y Adoración Sanz.* Fundación Cesefor.

Resin tapping for protection of forest land against fires. Pedro Cortés. Social perception and environmental functions of resin pinewoods and their products. Dr. *Mario Soliño.* INIA-CIFOR.

The pine tapping economy in Spain. *Inés Villar de la Villa.* Asociación Tierras Sorianas del Cid and Dr. *Sigredo Ortuño* Pérez, UPM.

11:45/13:45 Visit to a resin industry.

13:45 Lunch.

- 16:00/16:30 Maritime pine woods in France: current state and prospects. *Didier* Canteloup. National expert in maritime pine. ONF.
- 16:30/18:00 The view of players in Spain. The Remasa cooperation project. Encouragement for the resin sector in rural areas: "Project for resin and biomass cooperation". *Pedro Camacho.* PRODESE Local Action Group.

The return of the resin extraction industry to country areas at the beginning of the 21st century, as the painstaking result of the conclusions from the l European Symposium on Natural Resins, 1998: reflections on the current state, and proposals for the future for a sensitive sector in the national economy. *Juan Carlos Alvarez Cabrero*. Representative of the public forestry landowners. FEMP.

Interest in resin use for private forestry landowners. *Juan García Aparicio.* Vice President of ASFOSE.

How current use affects resin workers. Alejandro Rogero del Río. Rincón de la Vega SAL.

Viability and potential for future inter-professional organisation for resin. *Miguel A. Cebolla Abanades*. Head of Inter-professional Relations Area. MAGRAMA

18:00/19:30 Sector structure in Portugal.

Portuguese Forestry Administration. Private landowners (Aflorodounorte Association). Public sector landowners (Cámara de Ourem). Resineros Antonio Salgueiro, resin extraction company. Industry.

Thursday

9:00/11:00 Situation and prospects for the resin industry in Europe.

The world market for resin products with special reference to China. *Alessandro Visconti.*

The situation in Brazil.

The rosin and turpentine industry in Europe. Natural resins working group from HARRPÁ.

Differential features of European Miera. José Alcorta. **RESCOLL/ADERA.**

The derived products industry.

11:30/13:30 The future of natural resins: new products and health norms.

Plastics from natural resins in the face of hazards from other plastics, current and future norms: bisphenol, endocrine disruptors and oestrogens. Nuria García Tejedor.

Hazards of certain plastics, specific norms both current and future for food packaging. *Rafael Bolivar*. General Sub-Direction for Food Industries and Innovation.

REACH regulation. Identification of substances of verv high concern. Links to other Community norms and future prospects. Ana Fresno Ruiz. MAGRAMA.

Plastics manufactured from natural resins and biodegradable plastics. Research, patents, compared production costs. Demand. Future markets. Demand for new products. Juan López Martínez. UPVa.

13:30/14:00 Conclusions.

14:00 OFFICAL CLOSING.