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INTERNATIONAL AQUACULTURE FAIR

Neiva - Huila - Colombia
May 5th, 6th and 7th, 2022

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Aquaculture is a relevant productive sector with great potential worldwide. It plays a significant and growing role in food provision, nutrition, and employment generation.

Colombia has great advantages for the sector development and its privileged location between the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans facilitates connection with the main markets of America and other continents.

The commitment of the local Government of Huila in Colombia, the privat sector, national and international entities, **agents of the aquaculture value chain has progressed in accomplishing market requirements by strengthening quality.** Therefore, Huila has positioned itself as the principal fish producer in Colombia for 2020, ranking first in exports of fresh tilapia to markets such as the United States.

The First (o 1st) International Aquaculture Fair will be a space for the meeting of buyers and sellers, marketing, and exchange of technical knowledge and productive methodologies.

Along with, **the gastronomic and cultural exhibition**, visitors can get to know first-hand the unique characteristics of the Department of Huila as a key region for Colombian fish farming.

The Fair activities are:

 Academic conference

 Business roundtable

 Trade show

 Gastronomic and cultural exhibition

1.223
hectares in **water surface**

9-10%
Average annual production growth

1.254
Fish Production Units

88%
of Colombian inland aquaculture export comes from Huila

19 plants
processing plants: 5 of them are enabled to export

The aquaculture value chain present in the department of Huila Colombia

Supplies



Balanced meal



Additives



Packaging



Oxygen



Equipment and machinery

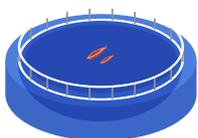


Genetic material



Ice

Production

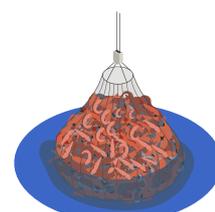


Hatchery

Crops under controlled conditions in tanks, ponds, cages



Nursery



Grow out



Processing plants



Presentation:
Whole and fillet fresh tilapia

Commercialization

National market
Capital cities



Export market



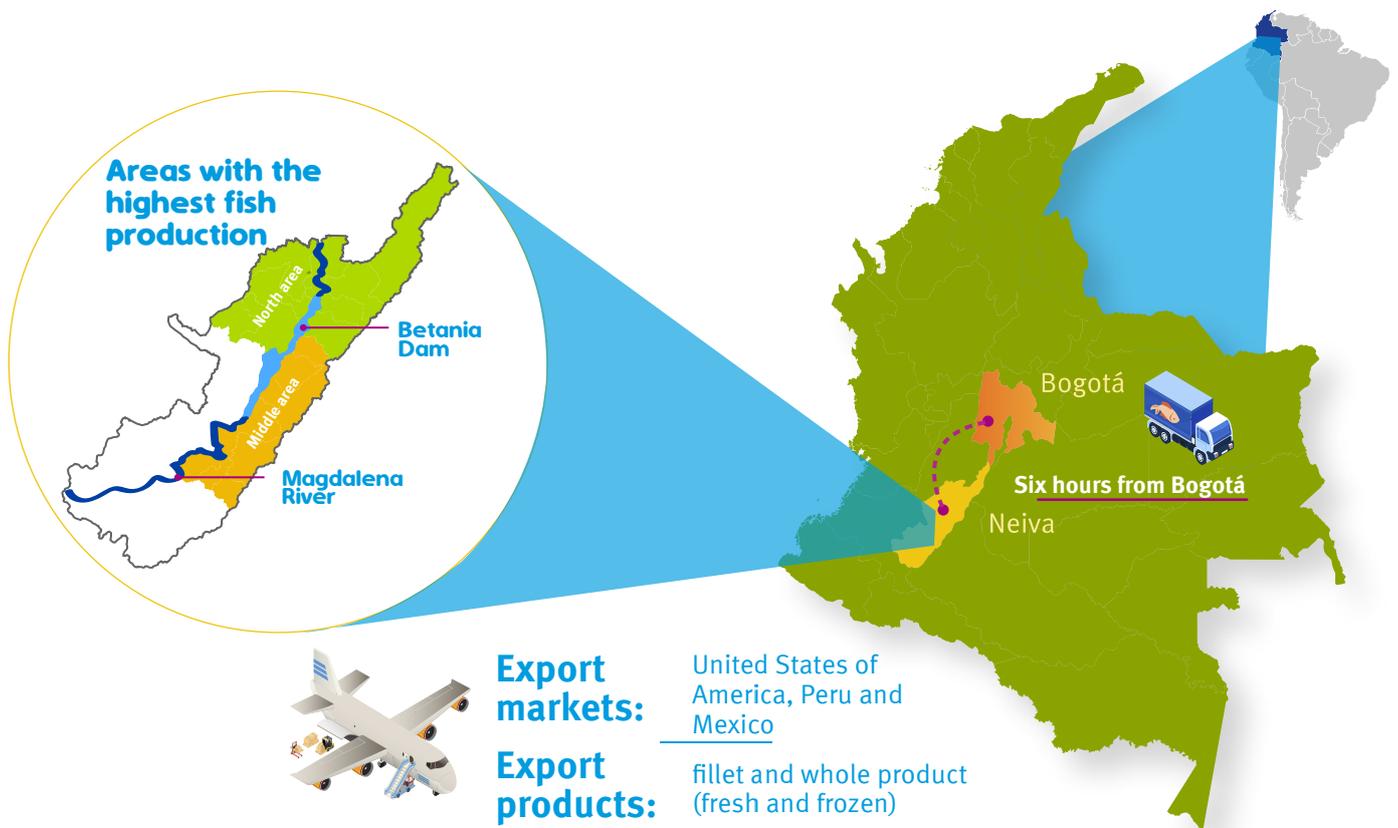
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¿Where are we located?



The department of Huila is in the southwestern part of the country, and its capital is Neiva. Huila has an area of more than 19,000 km² and is located on the upper basin of the Magdalena River, which allows it to have a great wealth of water represented by the reservoirs of Betania and Quimbo, which together have an area of approximately 15,000 hectares.



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