

Bean cultivation promotion through innovative canned products from “Ganxet” bean POD.

Summary

The aim of this project is to develop a pilot project to determine the main factors that affect the quality differences between cooked and tinned “Ganxet” beans. We aim to create a multidisciplinary group consisting of one of the biggest canning industries of Catalonia, an agricultural cooperative and “Fundació Miquel Agustí” research group. At the same time we aim to modify these factors in order to develop an added value canned product keeping the exceptional taste and nutritional values of “Ganxet” beans.

Objectives

1. To create a multidisciplinary group integrated by the Ferrer’s conserves company, the agricultural cooperative Progrés-Garbí and Fundació Miquel Agustí research group (FMA).
2. To determine the problems in the production system of the two companies.
3. To design a pilot project to develop high value new canned beans that keep the exceptional taste of “Ganxet” beans in order to create a new market.

Conclusions

The multidisciplinary group has been created and the project has been written as it was planned. This project includes the identification of the main problems that can affect (in different grades) the quality of the canned beans, both in raw material and in the production system. Finally we designed a project to solve those specific problems and it will be presented at the next aid call for “Funcionament de grups operatius” (innovative pilot projects).

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Tipologia d'entitat:

Keyword-category

Biodiversity and nature management
Food quality / processing and nutrition
Plant production and horticulture

Territorial scope

Province	County
Barcelona	Maresme
	Bages

Project dissemination *(publications, seminars, multimedia...)*

Project website

www.fundaciomiquelagusti.cat

Other project information

Project period

Approved budget

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