

## Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle GmbH

Signatory to the Multilateral Agreements of  
EA, ILAC and IAF for Mutual Recognition

# Accreditation

The Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle GmbH attests that the certification body

**MAYACERT S.A.**  
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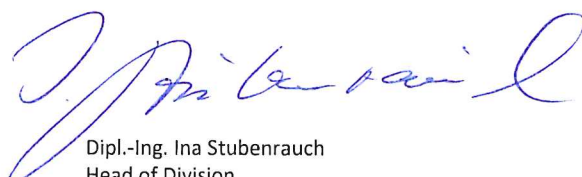
is competent under the terms of ISO/IEC 17065:2012 to carry out certifications of products, processes and services in the following fields:

**Organic production based on the Mayacert Organic Standard (Norma de Producción Ecológica Mayacert S.A. , Version 7, 2020-07-06) equivalent to Regulation (EC) No.834/2007 in conjunction with implementing regulations for the categories unprocessed plant products, live or unprocessed livestock products and processed agricultural products for the use as food**

The accreditation certificate is valid until 09.08.2025. It comprises the cover sheet, the reverse side of the cover sheet and the following annex with a total of 1 page.

Registration number of the certificate: **D-ZE-14225-01-00**

Berlin, 10.08.2020



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10.08.2020

Dear Mr. Rivera,

#### Positive accreditation notice

We are pleased to inform you that due to the results of the assessment from 26<sup>th</sup> May to 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020 as well as of the check of equivalence documents the decision on accreditation is positive. This decision is connected **with the following condition:**

to perform successful witness audits – as soon as possible under the current frame conditions and in dependence from the capacities of the assessors – for the following product categories

1. unprocessed plant products,
2. live or unprocessed livestock products and
3. processed agricultural products for the use as food as well as
4. for a group certification

(it is possible to combine two product categories within a witness audits. The selection of witness audits will consider the international activities of Mayacert)

Explanation: Due to the Corona Pandemic it was not possible for DAkkS and Mayacert to perform the necessary witness audits in combination with the reaccreditation. During the previous surveillance cycle all necessary witness audits were performed and Mayacert demonstrated his competence also on this practical level. As soon as possible the relevant witness audits will be organised together.

File Number:  
ZE-14225-01 R1 2020

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The publication of extracts of the accreditation certificate is subject to the prior written approval by Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle GmbH (DAkkS). Exempted is the unchanged form of separate disseminations of the cover sheet by the conformity assessment body mentioned overleaf.

No impression shall be made that the accreditation also extends to fields beyond the scope of accreditation attested by DAkkS.

DAkkS is a signatory to the Multilateral Agreements for Mutual Recognition of the European co-operation for Accreditation (EA), International Accreditation Forum (IAF) and International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC). The signatories to these agreements recognise each other's accreditations.

The up-to-date state of membership can be retrieved from the following websites:

EA: [www.european-accreditation.org](http://www.european-accreditation.org)

ILAC: [www.ilac.org](http://www.ilac.org)

IAF: [www.iaf.nu](http://www.iaf.nu)

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## Annex to the Accreditation Certificate D-ZE-14225-01-00 according to ISO/IEC 17065:2012

Period of validity: 10.08.2020 to 09.08.2025

Date of issue: 10.08.2020

Holder of certificate:

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Certifications of products, processes and services in the fields:

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Certification precepts of Mayacert S.A.:

- Organic certification procedures manual – MPCO (version 13/April 2020)
- Quality Manual – MC (version 17/July 2020)
- Manual of inspection and evaluation program for inspectors – MPI (version 10/July 2020)
- Organizational structure and organizational description .ORG (version 14/January 2019)

***This accreditation does not replace the recognition or approval procedure of the competent authority according to the requirements of the legislator.***

**Abbreviations used:**

IEC  
ISO

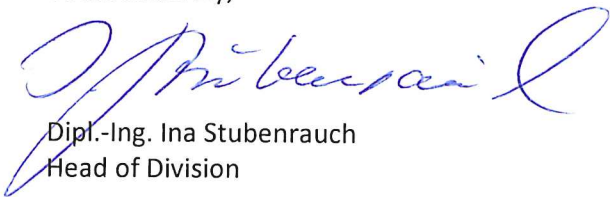
International Electrotechnical Commission  
International Organization for Standardization

The accreditation is valid until 09.08.2025.

We will perform the next assessment for surveillance in May 2021 – with regard to the exact date, we will be contacting you in due time.

We would appreciate if you informed us, according to our contractual provisions, without being asked on all changes relevant to the accreditation.

Yours sincerely,



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