

Pequi

Caryocar brasiliense



Biome: Cerrado





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The pequi tree reaches 8-12m height. It is perennial and its blooming occurs from August to November, with fruit ripeness in mid-November, and found through the month of February. Its trunk has medium circumference of 2.5 m. The pequi oil is considered of excellent quality because the most part of it is constituted by insaturated fatty acids. The main fatty acids in pequi pulp oil are oleic and palmitic, 60% and 34% respectively.



Botanical family: Caryocaraceae



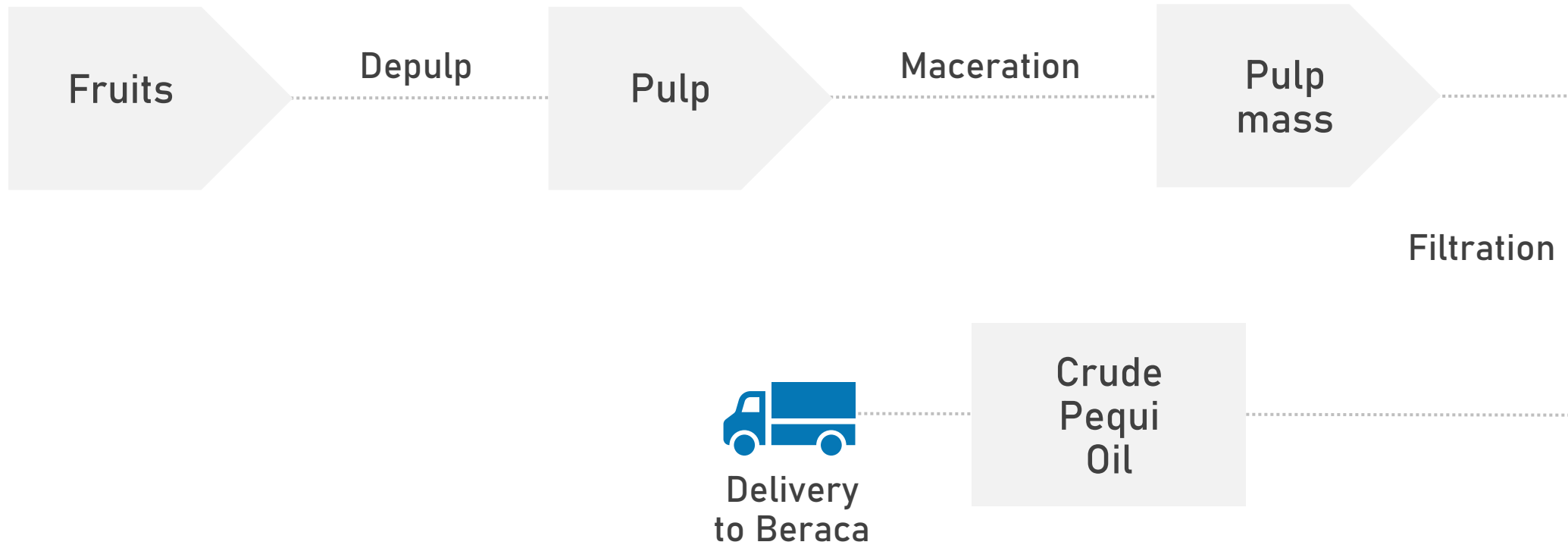
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Area: 4000 hectares





Pequi



Oil/Year



Crude oil/Year



Economic Profitability



Collectors



Beneficiaries



Income per Family

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Kg	Kg	R\$	400	2000	R\$
100 Kg	117.65 Kg	R\$ 4,941.18	400	2000	R\$ 12.35
500 Kg	588.24 Kg	R\$ 24,705.88	400	2000	R\$ 61.76
1000 Kg	1,176.47 Kg	R\$ 49,411.76	400	2000	R\$ 123.53