



The fifth meeting of BEFARMEX Project was celebrated in Castellón de la Plana in the West of Spain. The meeting was held from 4th to 7th of March 2012.

The participants in this 5th meeting were twenty three (23) in total:

The participant's names were: Janos Palotás (HU), Peter BARNA (HU), Lajos MILE (HU), Gonell FINA (ES), García SANDRA (ES) García ELISABET(ES), Buzatu CAMELIA (RO), Moanta MIHAELA (RO), Nastase ALEXANDRINA MARIA (RO), Ionita LUMINITA (RO), Stanculeasa DIANA RELI (RO), Nuta ELENA (RO), Giurca LUMINITA (RO), Simona SDOGATI (IT), Sciamanna ANTONIO (IT), Calcabrini MONICA (IT), Poggetti ALARICO (IT), Montresor ANDREA (IT), Urbinati CARLO (IT), Molinari LODOVICO (IT), Santini EMIDIA (IT), Ünal Kocak (TR), Şükrü Köksal (TR).

The **first day**, March 4th was the date of arrival of all participants in Castellón.

During the **second day**, March 5th, the meeting started in the morning in INTERCOOP GROUP Headquarter where the Director of Intercoop Foundation, Mr. Juan José Damiá, welcomed the Befarmex Group. After a short presentation of participants of each country, the Turkish coordinator described the activities already completed by each partner and the activities to be done during next months.



After lunch, the group visited Artusa almond nougat plant in Cabanes where the San Luis turrón is produced since 1978.

During the **third day**, March 6th, the group made two study visits:

- In the morning went to **Benicarló** to visit Benihort Cooperative founded in 1946 and specialized in fruits, vegetables and citrus production. Benihort has 2000 partners. Quality and prevention department of Benicarló explained that they work together to Intercoop to make the plan training each year. They explained the production and the history of the Cooperative.



- After the visit to Benicarló, in the way to go to the lunch we stopped to see **Millenarian Olive Trees** are in the small town called Chert.



- Before lunch in Clot d'en Simó Cooperative, the Befarmex Group could experience a local oil tasting with Fina Gonell, an Intercoop Oil technician.



- In the afternoon the participants visited Peñíscola, an impressive medieval coastal town, and its castle erected by the knights Templar.

The **fourth day**, March 7th, the participants left from Castellón.

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