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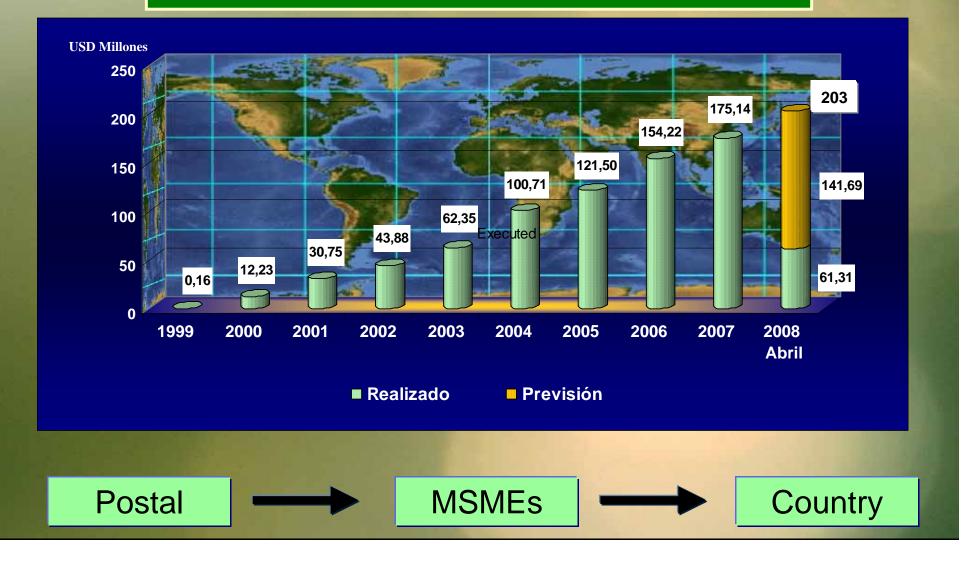
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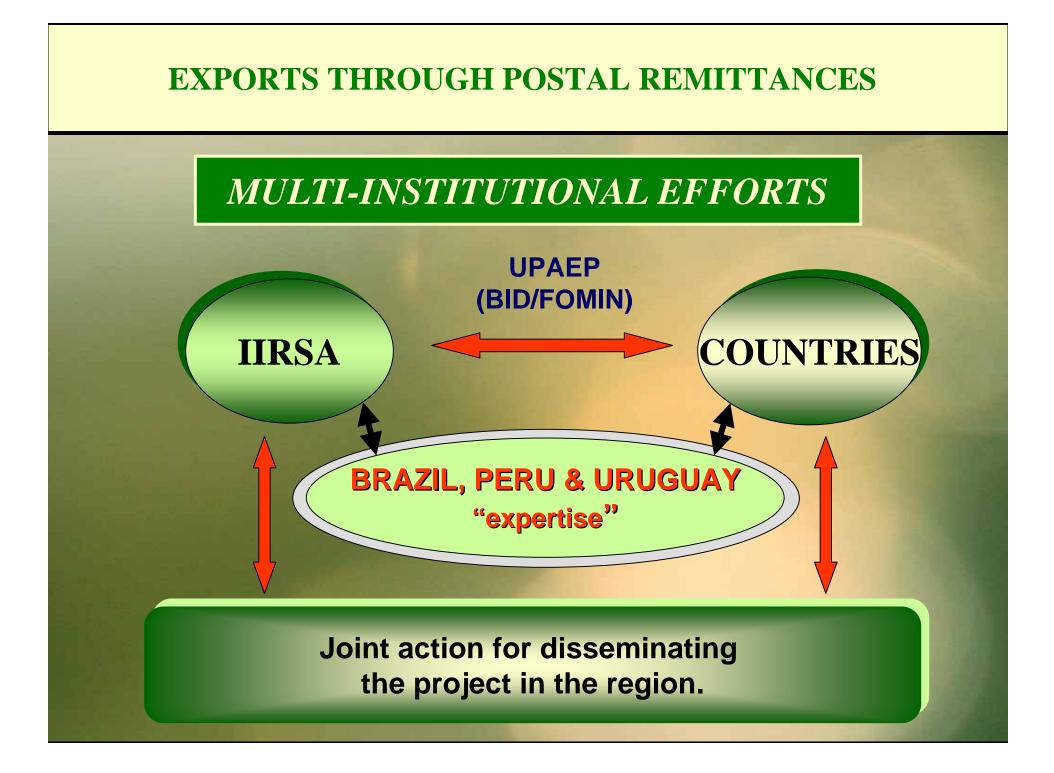
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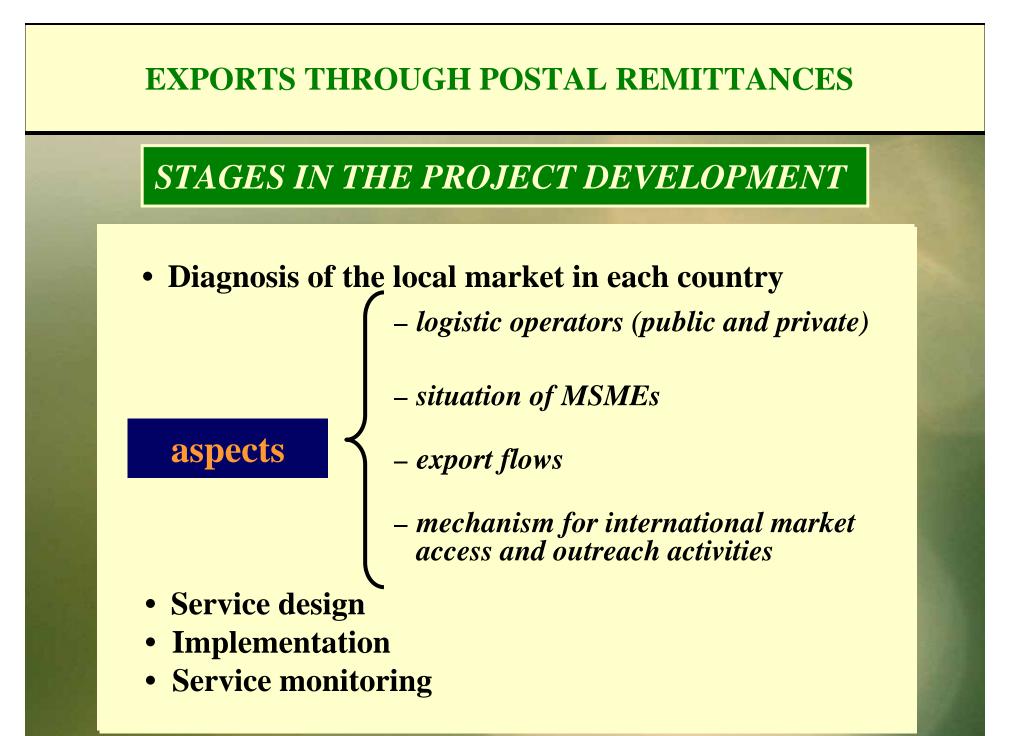
# **EXPORTS THROUGH POSTAL REMITTANCES Increase** in **Strengthening of MSMEs** export rates Infrastructure **Postal Logistics Product diversification Insertion of MSMEs Multiplication of destination** in the international market markets • Competitiveness for MSMEs **Employment & revenue generation** •

Economic and social development

#### **RESULTS IN BRAZIL**







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COUNTRY	SURVEY ANSWERED	PREDIAGNOSIS	COOPERATION AGREEMENT	IMPLEMENTATION
ARGENTINA			Next stage	
BOLIVIA				
BRAZIL				
CHILE				
COLOMBIA		Next stage		
ECUADOR			Current stage	
GUIANA				
PARAGUAY				
PERU				
SURINAME				
URUGUAY				Current stage
VENEZUELA				
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## **NEXT ACTIONS IN 2008**

1. Cooperation agreement signed and implementation in Ecuador started (August) 2. Prediagnosis in Colombia **3. Meeting of Project GTE (September) 4. Exporta Fácil – development of new** functionalities: Associated projects – ICTs **5.** Collection of funds to support the second stage in the countries (IDB)

#### **STATUS SCHEDULED FOR THE END OF 2008**

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