

## MINING? NO THANKS! ONE MONTH IN TAMBOGRANDE

### DURATION

52:00

### YEAR

2004

### ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

French  
Spanish

### CATEGORY

Documentary



### DESCRIPTION

The agricultural region of Tambogrande, located in northern Peru, is threatened by a mining project. For the past 4 years, a Canadian mining company has been trying to build three huge open-pit mines in Tambogrande. The local population is against the project, which would dislocate some 8,000 people and divert a river. In this heartwarming documentary, two families tell the story of Tambogrande. Like most of their fellow citizens, they fear the project will bring irreversible degradation of the environment in a region where agriculture has been the main source of income for a vast majority of the population for over 40 years. These families and the people of Tambogrande are determined to defend the land that feeds them.

### SOUND

Stereo

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### KEYWORDS

Exploitation, Tradition, Wealth, South America, Village, Community,

### THEMES

Socio-politics  
Environment  
Health  
Family  
Society