



Fundo Vale: a contribution to stop Amazon deforestation

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About us



MISSION: To promote sustainable development, combining the preservation and the conservation of the environment with the improvement of the socioeconomic conditions of the regions where we operate.



It is a non-profit organization, qualified as an Oscip (Brazilian acronym for Civil Public Interest Organization). It was created in 2009 through an initiative by Vale S.A.

Private social investment associated with goals, results and performance management.

Work strategy



We support projects with potential for **replication** and that promote solutions in scale

We operate in **network** and through partnerships with different sectors, encouraging collective actions to produce and disseminate knowledge, practices and new institutional models



Thematic areas



Fundo Vale was designed to operate in Brazilian biomes, as well as in other developing countries.

Thematic Areas

- Strategic Monitoring
- Protected Areas and Biodiversity
- Green Municipalities

Initial focus:

Amazon biome



Green municipalities



OBJECTIVE

Support for a new pact on sustainable development in municipalities through the implementation of a new model for efficient environmental management.

Green municipalities



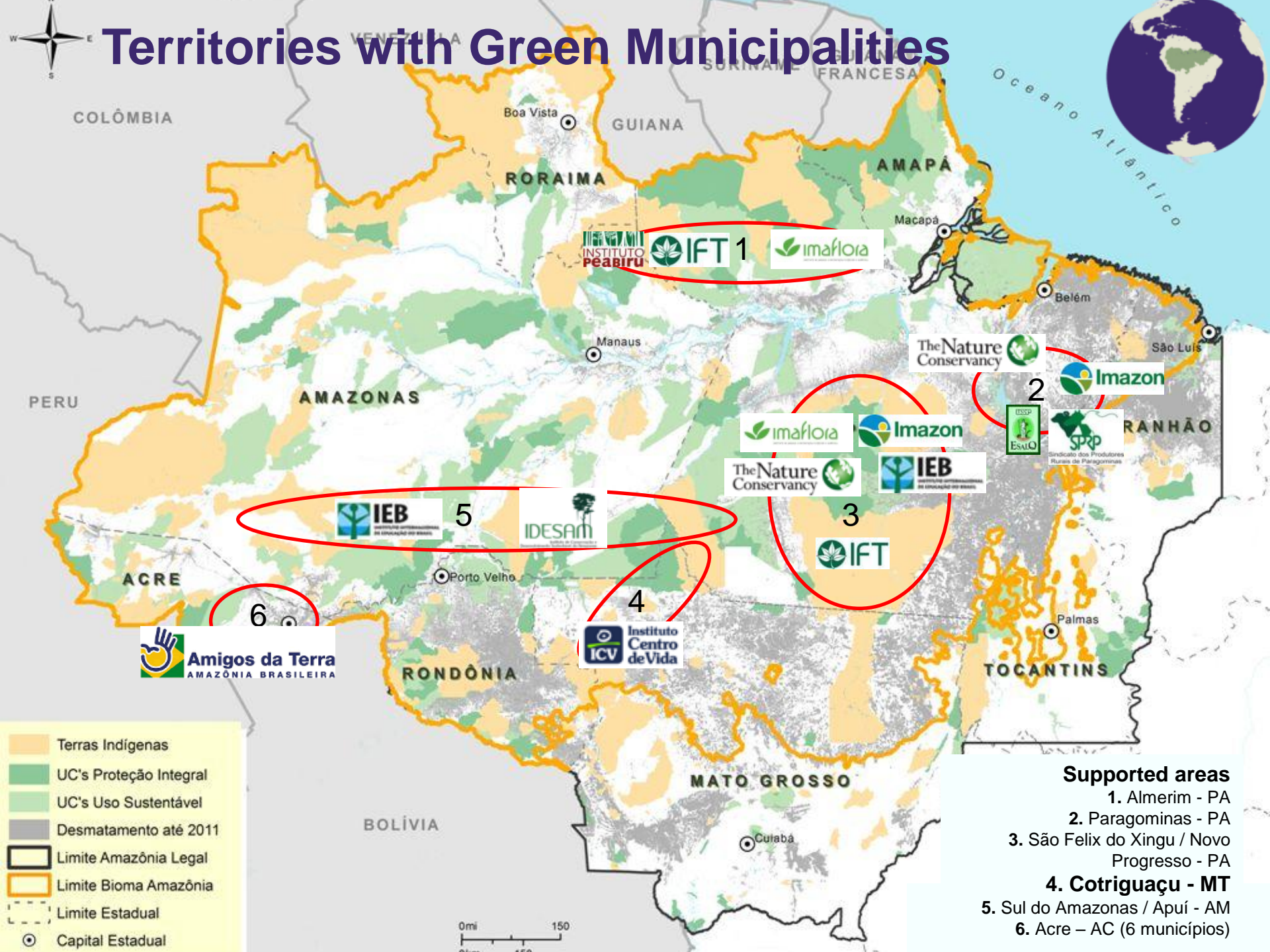
ACTIONS DEVELOPED

- Stakeholders engagement - strengthening social capital.
- Strengthening the municipal environmental management.
- Implementation of programs for the adoption of good practices in forest management and livestock.
- Actions to strengthen environmental governance in land reform settlements and protected areas (indigenous and extractive reserves, especially).

Projects like these represent an initial step to implement the structural mechanism for Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and Degradation, with social benefits (REDD +), and increase forest carbon stocks.

And it's so important that other financiers support experiences like these.

Territories with Green Municipalities



Supported areas

1. Almerim - PA
2. Paragominas - PA
3. São Felix do Xingu / Novo Progresso - PA
4. Cotriguaçu - MT
5. Sul do Amazonas / Apuí - AM
6. Acre – AC (6 municípios)

Our partners



Civil society institutions chosen based on reputation and integrity, expertise and a track record of successful implementation of projects.

22 projects already supported!

US\$ 17 million by 2011



Further information



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