

ACTIVITY REPORT

2024



**Amigos
da Terra**
Amazônia Brasileira



30 years of Impact

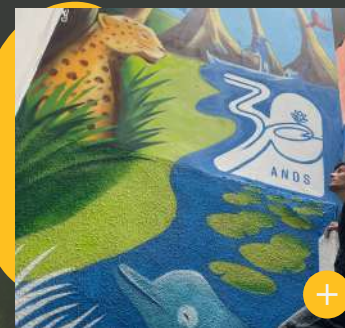
Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira has completed three decades of dedication to the socio-environmental field, with a focus on the conservation of the Amazon and Cerrado. Although the organization's history began long before 1994, that was the year when its mission of proposing and promoting solutions for environmental conservation and for building a sustainable future was officially established.

To celebrate the date, a special logo was developed, stylizing the curves of rivers to form the number 3, alluding to 30 years of history. Along with the commemorative logo, a special painting became part of the Amigos da Terra office, bringing the team closer to the work themes and making the environment more inspiring.

Before environmental issues began making headlines, Amigos da Terra created amazonia.org.br, the first news portal dedicated exclusively to the Amazon region, offering original content, a newsletter and a comprehensive news clipping service. Although the portal has been discontinued, it continues to receive analysis of deforestation and fires in the Amazon and Cerrado.

The organization has been at the forefront of issues such as the approval of the Management Law and strengthening of the FSC label, which promotes responsible forest management. It also took part in the debate on traceability in the beef chain and argued for the inclusion of indirect suppliers. Today, its work for a deforestation-free livestock chain is a benchmark in the sector.

Throughout this year, the organization has dedicated itself to sharing its results and offering even more transparency in its actions. Everyone can be part of the next 30, 60 or 90 years. All of us need to be involved in the fight for a sustainable future.



Special mural painted in the AdT office

[See it on Instagram](#)

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Who we are

Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira is a Brazilian non-governmental, non-profit organization with 30 years of experience in the socio-environmental field. It works to promote sustainable initiatives aimed at zero deforestation in Brazil's natural habitats, with a priority, but not exclusive, focus on the Amazon.

With this mission, the organization works with governments and companies, influencing public and private policies that promote sustainable development and prevent environmental degradation. It also supports local communities and is dedicated to generating and disseminating relevant information about its areas of activity.

Vision

Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira believes in a development model that does not depend on activities that promote deforestation, since it is already possible to increase agricultural productivity without further loss of forest areas. The organization defends the goal of "zero deforestation" and believes in making production compatible with the goal of zero deforestation for the two main agricultural commodities, soy and cattle, by 2030.



Mission

Proposing and promoting solutions for environmental conservation and social well-being.



Values

- Our relationships with governments, companies and other civil society organizations must be transparent and guided by our mission.
- Partners make the difference. Teamwork and collaboration with other organizations, companies and governments are fundamental to fulfilling our mission.
- Focus on results, with respect for the differences between the social actors involved in the discussions and activities developed.
- Our conduct is guided by ethics, integrity, humility and respect
- The organization defends and acts to strengthen democracy, the rule of law and its institutions as tools for sustainable socio-environmental development.

Overview

2024: The year of climate extremes

"When it comes to climate, we're not the dinosaurs. We are the meteorite. We are not just in danger... We are the danger." The words of António Guterres, Secretary General of the UN, made a profound impression in 2024, a year in which the impacts of human actions became impossible to ignore. In Brazil, climatic extremes have exposed the consequences of the environmental crisis, inviting us to reflect: how long will it be possible to deny climate change?

In the southern Brazil, the state of Rio Grande do Sul faced historic rains between April and May, accumulating up to 800 mm of rain in just a few days - six times more than the average. The disaster affected 2.4 million people, leaving 183 dead, dozens missing and thousands homeless. Experts have warned that climate change has intensified these events, but previous reports since 2022 have already pointed to changes in climate behavior. The lack of preventive action has exposed the state's vulnerability to these catastrophes.

In Acre, opposing extremes have challenged the population: record floods at the beginning of the year displaced thousands, affecting Indigenous populations and threatening cultural heritage sites such as the Chico Mendes House. Months later, extreme drought caused the Acre River to reach its second lowest level on record, affecting 21 cities and leading to the declaration of an emergency. Forest fires fueled by rising temperatures and low humidity further aggravated the situation.

In the Amazon region as a whole, the water crisis has reached alarming levels. Large hydroelectric dams, such as Belo Monte, Jirau and Santo Antônio, have been operating below capacity due to low river levels. In Manaus, the Rio Negro recorded its lowest level in 122 years, exposing rock engravings at the Ponta das Lajes Archaeological Site. These changes, once rare, are becoming increasingly frequent, experts warn.



Fires completed the scenario of extremes. From January to October, fire outbreaks increased by 51% in the Amazon, 70% in the Cerrado, and 600% in the Pantanal. The Pantanal, in fact, lost 30% of its area to fire, while smoke from the fires affected air quality in ten states, with São Paulo recording the most polluted air on the planet. Phenomena such as “black rain” highlighted the risks to human health and the contamination of natural resources.

Despite the bleak scenario, 2024 brought some achievements. The approval of the National Policy for Integrated Fire Management (Law 14.944/2024) was a milestone, recognizing the ecological role of fire and promoting its controlled use. Amigos da Terra – Amazônia Brasileira took part in the discussions of this important plan and celebrated the achievement.

In addition, deforestation in the Amazon and Cerrado showed a significant decrease. The Amazon recorded 4,181.81 km² of deforestation – a 30% reduction compared to 2023 – while in the Cerrado, the deforested area dropped by 25%, to 5,893.3 km², demonstrating the importance of government actions for monitoring and enforcement, as well as the need for strong environmental agencies.

On the global stage, the 2024 COPs had important moments but insufficient results. At COP29, held in Baku, the focus was on climate finance. Despite some progress, the commitment of US\$250 billion per year until 2035 fell far short of what developing countries had requested. COP16, held in Cali, Colombia, highlighted biodiversity preservation but failed to establish a global fund to protect nature by 2030.

Still, there were some advances, such as the creation of a fund to share profits from genetic data and the formation of a permanent body focused on Indigenous and traditional communities.

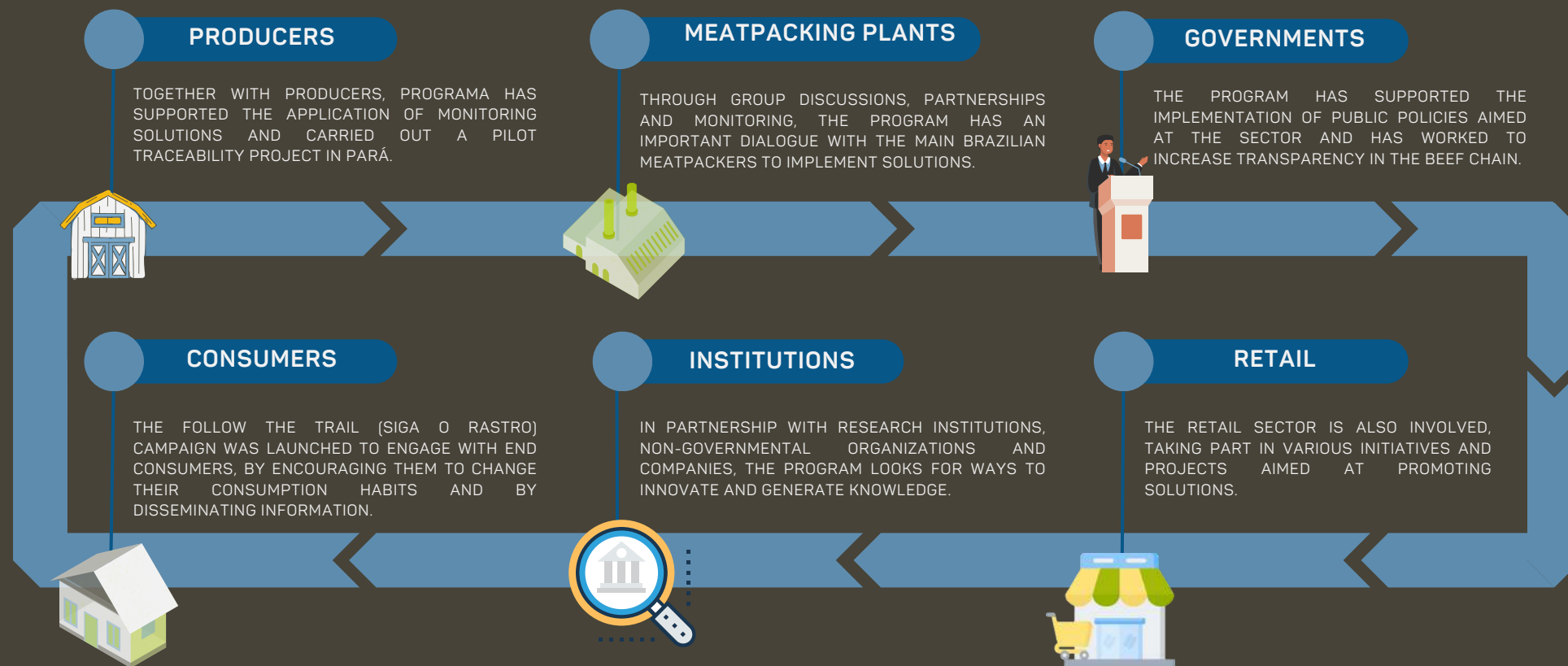
Amid these extremes, Brazil experienced a year of warning and learning in 2024. Tackling climate change requires not only emergency actions, but a firm commitment to transforming livestock practices, land management, environmental protection, and international cooperation.



Agriculture and Livestock Chains Program

The Agriculture and Livestock Chains Program aims to create the conditions for establishing a Brazilian beef chain free of deforestation and with low GHG emissions, through responsible livestock farming and monitoring and verifying compliance with the main socio-environmental commitments made by the sector.

Dialogue with **all sectors** in search of solutions for a deforestation-free supply chain.





Dialogues with Producers

Agriculture and Livestock Chains

Individual Traceability Pilot Project

This pilot project aims to test and establish an individual traceability model for cattle, ensuring efficient implementation and without overburdening farmers. Done in partnership with the Masterboi meatpacking plant and with the support of AI Invest Verde, this initiative aims to benefit at least 150 small and medium-sized farms by promoting a legal and deforestation-free beef and leather chain, in line with international standards and the domestic market.

During the year, the project team took part in events such as #ConexiónVerde, in Guatemala, São Paulo and Belém, and the event Projeto de Integridade da Cadeia de Bovinos do Pará, held at the Masterboi meatpacking plant in São Geraldo do Araguaia.



Cattle games begin in São Geraldo do Araguaia - PA

The games planned as part of the pilot began in September, with the JK farm kicking off the activities.



Agriculture and Livestock Chains

Dialogues with meatpackers and companies



The GTFI brings together the various stakeholders in Brazil's beef production chain to discuss traceability, monitoring and transparency solutions with a focus on controlling deforestation among indirect suppliers. Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira is coordinating the group.

GTFI General Meeting

In 2024, the Livestock Chain Working Group (GTFI) brought together its members for a General Meeting and elected representatives to the GTFI Strategic Council.

In addition, representatives of the different segments that make up the group met in three workshops to build the GTFI's strategic plan. The Subgroup on Transparency and Access to Data was also formed, starting the drafting of a position paper to demand access to the public data needed to monitor indirect suppliers.

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MULTI-SECTOR DIALOGUES

Guide to low carbon beef production

To introduce the general concepts and present the minimum requirements of the Low Carbon Beef Protocol (CBC), Amigos da Terra has produced the Guide to Low Carbon Production: Application of Embrapa's Low Carbon Beef Protocol (CBC), which systematizes and simplifies the 20 essential requirements for producers who are interested in understanding more before entering this certification process.



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Field Day to promote the CBC guide

A Field Day was held in Carceres and a workshop in Várzea Grande, in Mato Grosso, to encourage the adoption of low-carbon practices in livestock production, highlighting the potential of the concept brand to differentiate products with a lower environmental impact.

Agriculture and Livestock Chains

Dialogues with Governments

The Beef TAC (Conduct Adjustment Agreement) in Pará celebrated its 15th anniversary in 2024. To mark the date, the Federal Public Prosecutor's Office (MPF) and partner organizations held an event in Belém (PA). At the event, the main results of the TAC audits were presented, as well as a new text of the agreement for meatpackers to adhere to, updates to the Monitoring Protocol for Cattle Suppliers in the Amazon 2.0 and the first results of the implementation of the Forest Restoration System (Sirflor) in the state.



"De Olho no Tac" (Keeping an Eye on the TAC) systematizes the main results of the last round of audits in the Amazônia Brasileira, highlighting some aspects that should be improved in the next rounds.

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Sustainable Agrocarbon Thematic Committee

AdT has joined the Sustainable Agrocarbon Thematic Committee, which acts as an advisory body to the National Agricultural Policy Council (CNPA), which in turn advises the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (MPA). The main objective of the collegiate body is to develop policies that ensure food security while promoting a productive agricultural sector at a global level.

Council for Strengthening Sustainable Livestock Farming in Pará

Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira is now a member of the Advisory Board of the Program for Integrity and Development of the Cattle Production Chain in Pará. With this, the organization will be able to contribute to the implementation of this state public policy, which aims to coordinate government actions and private initiative efforts to promote the development, transparency and integrity of livestock farming in Pará. The focus includes economic, health, land and socio-environmental aspects.

Proposal for a public traceability policy

The Brazilian Roundtable on Sustainable Livestock and the Brazil Climate, Forests and Agriculture Coalition officially delivered the proposal for a national and individual public policy on bovine traceability to the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (MAPA), together with associates and partners. Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira takes part in the discussions and contributed to the document.



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Dialogues with Consumers

Launch of the Follow the Trail (Siga o Rastro) Campaign

Amigos da Terra launched the Follow the Trail campaign with a talk by executives from meatpackers and hypermarkets, mediated by chef and entrepreneur Paola Carosella. The Follow the Trail campaign has compiled information so that consumers can identify production practices along the beef chain, to know its origin and promote traceability.

According to a survey carried out by the Locomotiva Institute at the request of the Institute for Consumer Defense (Idec), which interviewed 1,000 people in the five regions of Brazil, 86% of consumers who buy beef look for information about the origin of these products and 95% said that the origin of this food would be taken into account when buying beef if it had this information on the label/packaging.

The campaign includes a website with information on the beef production chain, emissions from the sector and an incentive to engage with artwork for social networks that can be downloaded and shared.

An Instagram profile was also created to promote the topic among consumers.



[Visit the campaign website](#)



[Watch the launch of Siga o Rastro on Youtube](#)



[Follow the profile on Instagram](#)



Society and Climate Program

The Society and Climate Program aims to strengthen the link between society and nature, promoting actions for environmental conservation, climate resilience, the protection of forest peoples and the strengthening of their cultures.

A highlight was the **"Hunger is urgent"** campaign, which supported the Tapayuna Indigenous people after a major forest fire.



"Since September 1st, a huge fire that came from far away, like we've never seen before, has been burning the forest around our Kawêrêtxikô village, in the Capoto Jarina Indigenous Land. With no rain, no humidity, the fire gives no rest, destroying our trees, our animals, our medicinal herbs. It burned all our crops - our cassava, sweet potatoes, yams, watermelons and pumpkins. We are indigenous and we live off the forest. The nearest supermarket is eight hours away. We no longer have any food."

Testimony from the Tapayuna Indigenous Association

Tapayuna Emergency: Hunger is urgent!

With the support of Operação Amazônia Nativa (OPAN) and Observatório dos Povos Indígenas Isolados e de Recente Contato (OPI), the organization has mobilized an online crowdfunding campaign to guarantee the food security of the Tapayuna people, following the destruction of their crops due to a major fire, which burned much of the forest around the Kawêrêtxikô village of the Tapayuna people, located in the Capoto Jarina Indigenous Land.

2 tons of food were purchased through donations

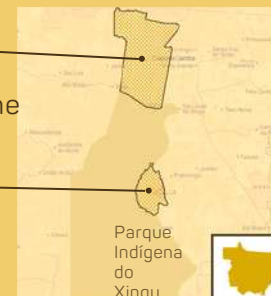


1T 383 KG

of food distributed to the Kajkwakhrattxi-Tapayuna living in the Capoto Jarina Indigenous Land.

855 kg

of food distributed to the Kajkwakhrattxi-Tapayuna living in the Wawi Indigenous Land.



Faced with the situation, the Indigenous people discussed and approved the creation of the Tapayuna Fund to invest in improvements in the communities. To support, go to www.ait.org.br





Distribution: TI Capoto Jarina – Aldeia Kawêrêtxikô

Society and Climate

ATL 2024

The motto of the 20th Free Land Camp (ATL) was "Our Heritage is Ancestral: We've Always Been Here!." During the event, the team followed important agendas to strengthen the indigenous struggle and fight the Temporal Framework, including a meeting with the president of the Supreme Court, Luís Roberto Barroso, on the progress of the law.

During the ATL, the Tapayuna met with the president of FUNAI, Joênia Wapichana, to tell the story of their people, marked by the near extinction of the ethnic group. They also called for creation of a Technical Group to study the identification and demarcation of their territory. The demand was well received, especially due to the progress made in working with partners, such as the Agrosatélite study presented at the meeting, made possible in partnership with Amigos da Terra.



Monkey Festival: A Historic Revival for the Tapayuna People

In order to value their culture and recover their history, the Tapayuna held a ceremony called the "Monkey Festival," which had not taken place for 50 years. The event was organized by the Indigenous people with the support of strategic partners, including Amigos da Terra.



IV General Assembly of the Tapayuna People

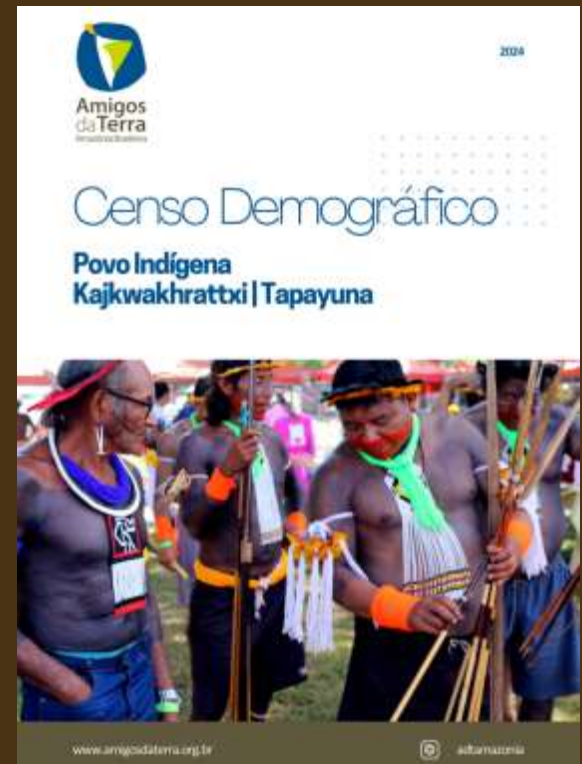
Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira was present at the IV General Assembly of the Tapayuna People, held in the Wawi Indigenous Land, in the state of Mato Grosso. Represented by Letícia Daidone, the organization took on the role of offering institutional support to strengthen the Tapayuna Indigenous Association.

Amigos da Terra also organized the participation of a representative from the Funai General Coordination for Identification and Delimitation (CGID) and a representative from Finatéc, so that both could take a stand before the Tapayuna community on the publication of the Funai decree setting up the Technical Group responsible for the identification and delimitation studies of the Tapayuna traditional territory.

Demographic Census

The program produced and published the Population Demographic Census of the Tapayuna/Kajkwakhrattxi Indigenous People, the aim of which was to update the number of individuals of the ethnic group.

The population, which in 2020 was 167 people according to Sesai, now numbers 432, living in two areas within the Xingu Indigenous Park, outside their ancestral territory.



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Society and Climate

Delivery of Starlink antennas to Yanomamis



Amigos da Terra, in partnership with Conexões Povos da Floresta, has delivered two internet antennas to the Yanomami Indigenous Land in Roraima. The first was installed at the Apolinário Gimenes State School, in the Fuduuwadunha Community. The Indigenous people themselves selected the installation points themselves to meet the specific needs of each community.

150 flashlights donated to Indigenous people in Xingu Park



One hundred and fifty flashlights equipped with batteries that can be recharged using solar energy were gifted to the Kayapó Indigenous people of the Capoto-Jarina Territory, in Mato Grosso. Donated by Schneider Electric, a leader in electrical energy management and automation, in partnership with Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira, this equipment delivered to the Raoni Institute, aims to meet the essential needs of the communities, especially during rainy periods, when power outages can last for days.

Screening of the film "The Chief's Call: Heritage, Land and Future"

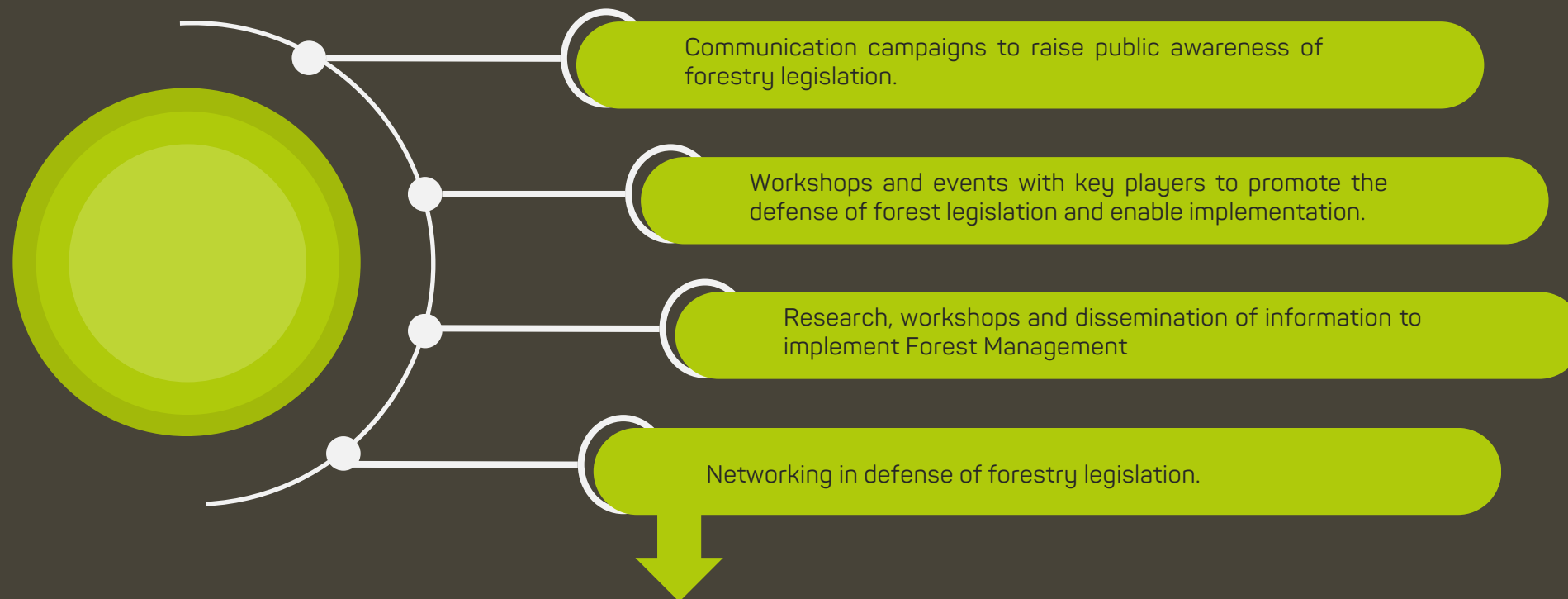


Amigos da Terra, in partnership with the Raoni Institute and the Amazon Environmental Research Institute (IPAM), showed partners and donors the film "The Chief's Call: Heritage, Land and Future," recorded during the event "Chief Raoni's Call."

After the screening there was a round table discussion among the participants to discuss the importance of the indigenous struggle in the context of combating climate change.

Forest Program

The Forest Program aims to defend robust forest legislation that protects forests and to build dialogues and tools for compliance with the Forest Code. It will promote sustainable forest management initiatives and socio-environmental certification that guarantees the life of forests and the origin of forest products at all stages of production.



**OBSERVATÓRIO
DO CÓDIGO
FLORESTAL**

Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira is one of the hosts of the Forest Observatory, a network that seeks to monitor the successful implementation of the Forest Law and strengthen the role of civil society in defending Brazil's native vegetation. The goal is to protect biomes and cultural values, sustainable production and the recovery of natural environments

Project to promote forest management

The management project promotes sustainable timber production on private lands in Paragominas (PA). After surveying 2.8 million hectares of forest in 29 clusters spread across 19 municipalities in Pará, Paragominas was selected for its environmental record, productive aptitude and favorable political arrangement. In the municipality, 300,000 hectares have been identified with potential for management, and a local productive arrangement is under construction to boost the sustainable forestry market. With a view to strengthening local engagement, the project has drawn up a communication plan that includes distributing pamphlets throughout in the region, meetings with strategic players, preparation of educational materials and actions with social networks.

Forest Management Workshops

The awareness-raising workshops with producers and industries to encourage forest management in Legal Reserve areas, held in Paragominas, Pará, brought together a wide range of participants, including producers, businesspeople, forestry technicians, SEMAS representatives and students from the Federal Rural University of the Amazon - UFRA.

During the workshops, the potential of Paragominas for forest management was discussed, as well as the validation of a design for the local productive arrangement and a proposal for the project's next steps.



Construction of
23 recommendations
on what, how and who can
promote the arrangement.



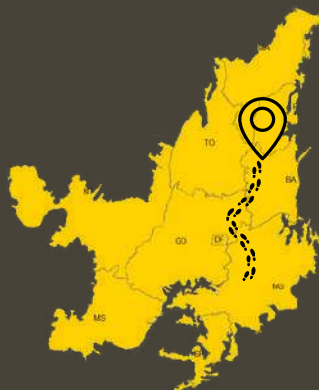
Sensitization workshop
with key players
to discuss the city's potential
for Forest Management



Building a
productive arrangement
in Paragominas to boost the
local forest management
market

Cerrado Expedition

In September, the Observatório do Código Florestal (OCF) team undertook the "Cerrado Expedition" to learn about and contribute to the protection of one of Brazil's most important and devastated biomes. The route included the Federal District and the states of Goiás, Bahia and Minas Gerais.



In Mambai (GO), residents, producers and technicians took part in the "Forest Code Breakfast." In Barreiras (BA), the expedition was at the City Hall for the event "The Cerrado We Want." In Montes Claros (MG), the team held a workshop on CAR for Traditional Peoples and Communities (PCTs) at the VII International Colloquium. In Arinos (MG), there was a meeting with representatives of the Environment Secretariat. Finally, the team returned to Brasília, concluding the journey.



[Watch the documentary](#)

The documentary had its first screening during COP29 in Baku

Campaigns

The Observatório do Código Florestal campaign, called "Tragedy Foretold," used striking images of the damage caused by the floods in Rio Grande do Sul to raise awareness among the population and the authorities about the importance of preservation, whose role is essential in combating the effects of the climate crisis.



The campaign highlights the importance of implementing the Forest Code, using visual references to rural life to reinforce the relationship between environmental conservation and quality of life. It also seeks to show that, despite recent degradation, Brazil has robust legislation, built with broad participation, which needs to be effectively applied.



Events held

Environmental transparency and the Forest Code: what are the possible ways forward?

This debate explored how openness with environmental information can support the implementation of the Law and what the prospects are for increasing the transparency of environmental data in Brazil. The discussion also addressed the relationship between public transparency and the General Data Protection Law (LGPD).

Climate litigation workshop as a strategy for implementing the Forest Code

The workshop was held in Belém, Pará, and aimed to discuss how to hold rural properties accountable for climate damage caused by deforestation. Experts and references on the subject shared their experiences and knowledge to achieve the effectiveness of climate litigation actions promoted by public, private and civil society actors.

 [Watch the workshop on Youtube](#)

Webinar: Erasing evidence of deforestation in the Amazon

The webinar detailed Climate Crisis Analysis' investigation into farms in the Amazônia Brasileira that "disappeared" from the Rural Environmental Registry between 2014 and 2019, allowing owners to circumvent funding restrictions. The event also discussed measures to prevent further fraud and ensure the effectiveness of the Forest Code in protecting biomes.

 [Watch on Youtube](#)

It's on fire! What does fire do to us and what can we do with it?

Renowned experts shared their analyses and discussed the importance of coordinated actions to tackle the fire situation in Brazil, understanding its impacts on public health and the role of Integrated Fire Management (IFM) as a strategy for combating and preventing fires.

 [Watch the debate on Youtube](#)

"Implementation of the Forest Code by the States: Advances in analyzing and validating the CAR"

The event discussed innovations in CAR analysis, highlighting new tools and strategies for state environmental agencies. Representatives from Pará, Amapá, Mato Grosso and Maranhão shared experiences to optimize registration and monitoring, seeking greater efficiency and precision in complying with the Forest Code.

 [Watch on Youtube](#)

Communication workshop: Forest Code in environmental coverage

The workshop covered the history of the Native Vegetation Protection Law, advocacy strategies to engage the population in the environmental cause, accessible ways of communicating about the Forest Code in the press and the use of tools to monitor Brazil's forest cover.

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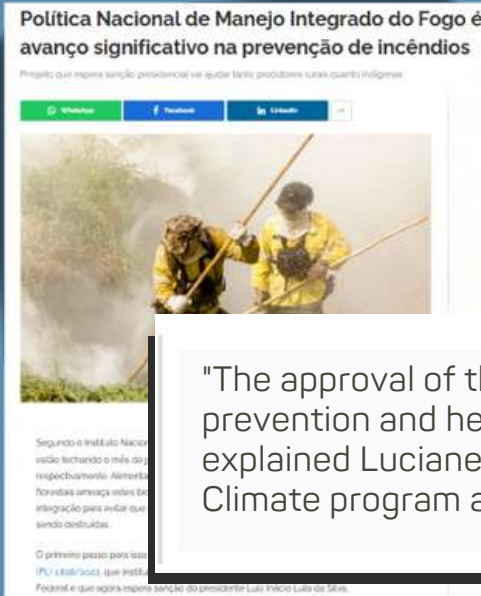
ADT IN THE MEDIA

Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira was featured in the press, highlighting different focal points of the organization's work. With an interview on the approval of the National Integrated Fire Management Policy, reinforcing the importance of preventing forest fires and emphasizing volunteer brigades as an effective and low-cost strategy for fighting fire.

In the area of production chains, international action was also on the agenda. Director of the Agricultural Chains Program Pedro Burnier represented AdT at COP16 on Biodiversity, in Colombia, and COP29, in Azerbaijan, sharing the lessons and challenges of the individual traceability project in Pará and highlighting the importance of traceability technologies, good practices in livestock farming and the growing demand for low-carbon beef from consumers.

In addition, the Follow the Trace campaign was the subject of a special report that presented the proposal to make information on the origin of beef more accessible to the end consumer. Natália Grossi, a program analyst, stressed that the initiative seeks to ensure that consumers have the elements to make informed decisions, identifying whether the product is associated with illegal practices or harmful to the environment and human rights.

Website: Pará Terra Boa
Date: 06/08



"The approval of the PL will bring significant progress in prevention and help both producers and communities," explained Luciane Simões, leader of the Society and Climate program at Amigos da Terra (AdT), to the reporter.

Luciane Simões, head of the Society and Climate program, gave an interview on the importance of the National Integrated Fire Management Policy, approved by the Senate in July. She highlighted the advances in fire prevention and the role of indigenous volunteer brigades in fighting fires in the Amazon. ADT fought together with many partners to consolidate this National Policy.

Website: Mesa Brasileira da Pecuária Sustentável
Date: 16/12



Website: Montanhas Capixabas
Date: 22/12



Biodiversity COP



Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira took part in the 16th Conference of the Parties (COP16) to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD). The organization was represented by executive director Mauro Armelin, the director of the Agricultural Chains Program Pedro Burnier and the executive secretary of the Forest Code Observatory, Marcelo Elvira.

During the event, Amigos da Terra took part in the panel "Multisectoral Initiatives to Promote Livestock Sustainability in High Biodiversity Areas in Latin America," which discussed the environmental impacts of livestock farming in the region and presented collaborative initiatives aimed at promoting sustainable practices in the sector.

AdT also was part of the event "Feeding the Debate: Biodiversity and the Challenges of Livestock Farming in South America," organized by Engajamundo. The goal here was to raise awareness of the challenges and paths towards more sustainable livestock farming.

At the Youth Space, the organization took part in a round table discussion and the pre-launch of the documentary Expedição Cerrado, produced by the Forest Code Observatory.



COP29



COP29
Baku
Azerbaijan

During the 29th Climate Conference, held in Baku, Azerbaijan, Amigos da Terra presented initiatives it has been following, such as the Beef Conduct Adjustment Agreement (TAC), the Low Carbon Beef Protocol, Carbon Neutral Beef and the new European legislation, the EUDR. The event was also an opportunity to promote international debates, share experiences and collaborate in building joint paths for Brazil to achieve its emission reduction targets.

As an OCF Network, the organization took part in the panel discussions "Reforesting Minds: The Challenges of Promoting a Mentality in Favor of the Forest and the Environment" and "Adapting to Fire: Opportunities for Convergence and Good Practices in Integrated Fire Management."



Manifesto in defense of the Soy Moratorium

Amigos da Terra – Amazônia Brasileira and 65 other organizations signed the Manifesto in Defense of the Soy Moratorium, recognized as the most effective market agreement against deforestation. Legislative proposals in states such as MT, RO, GO, PA, and in the National Congress have threatened this milestone by proposing sanctions against producers who follow its guidelines.

##RatifyEscazú

Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira, together with 156 other national and international organizations, signed a letter delivered to the Minister of Institutional Relations, Alexandre Padilha, requesting urgent ratification of the Escazú Agreement by Brazil. The treaty reinforces access to information, justice and public participation in environmental decisions, as well as providing for measures to protect human rights defenders in the environmental area.

Re-election of Executive Director

During the General Assembly of Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira, Mauro Armelin was re-elected by consensus as executive director for a new two-year term, reflecting the organization's confidence in his leadership.



Monthly Deforestation Analysis

Throughout the year, the Amigos da Terra team carried out monthly analyses of deforestation in the Amazon and Cerrado. The aim was to organize the data, reinforce the organization's position and produce visual materials - such as infographics - that make the information easier to understand.

From January to December, this continuous monitoring made it possible to identify trends, understand the main challenges facing the biomes and point out possible ways to achieve the goal of zero deforestation.

[+ Access the website](#)



Complaints channel



Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira has provided a space on its institutional website to receive complaints. This channel was created to be used by employees, partners and other stakeholders who have information that can help in the fight against corruption, fraud, irregularities and/or violations of the Code of Ethical Conduct, the entity's Policies and Standards, as well as any information about possible non-compliance with regulatory and legal provisions applicable to Amigos da Terra - Amazônia Brasileira. To date, there has been no formalization of complaints through our official channels or evidence of irregularities pointed out by independent audits.

Every year the institution undergoes independent institutional audits. In 2023, in addition to this recurring process, the BRA-2055 BRA-21/0002 Project with funds from the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation and the NDCI LA/2022/440-527 Project with funds from the European Union, underwent specific project audits. All the opinions are available for consultation and are published on the institutional website.

These instruments reinforce the institution's commitment to transparency of information and fighting financial irregularities, as well as continuous improvement in management processes and accountability.

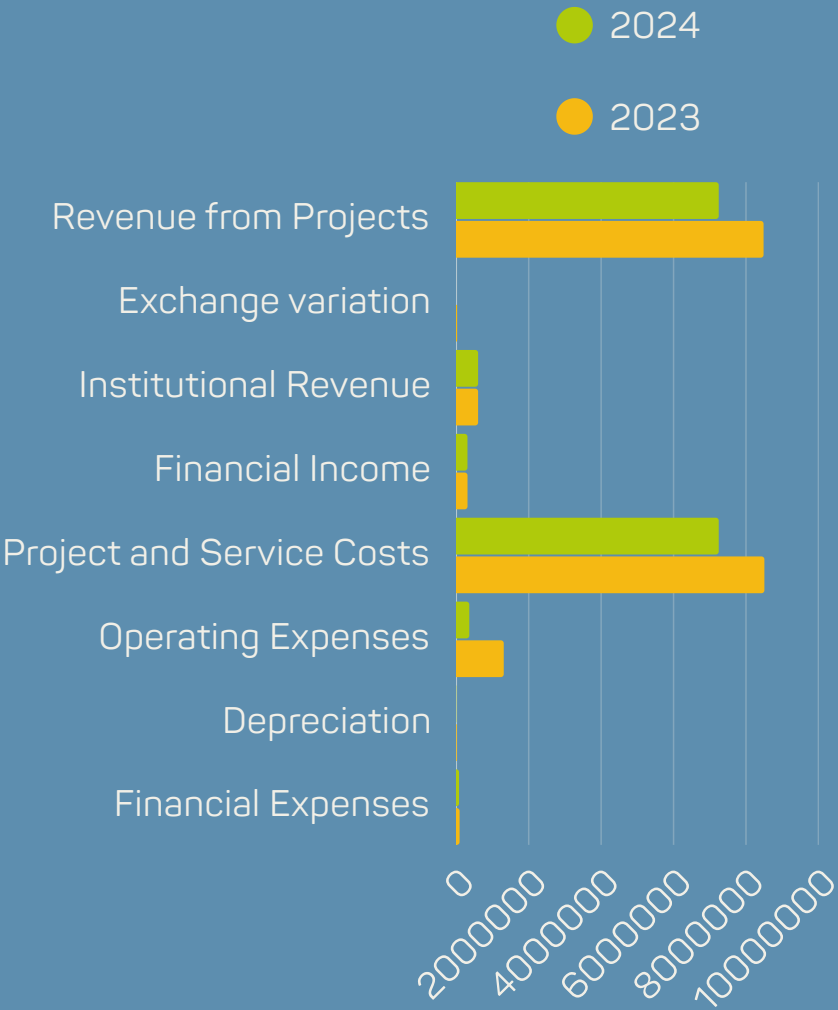
Financial Summary (2024 X 2023)

Below is the financial statement and annual comparison of financial resources for the fiscal years 2023 and 2024. Through the following chart and table, it is possible to visualize the evolution of the financial data, allowing for an analysis of the variations between the two periods. This comparison aims to provide greater transparency in the management of resources.

It is noticeable that the most significant variations are related to the decrease in operational costs, due to the allocation of these expenses directly to projects, and to institutional revenues, which saw a lower level of fundraising. Additionally, exchange rate fluctuations did not result in significant gains compared to the contractual provisions of ongoing projects.

Resumo Financeiro (2023 X 2024)				
	Descrição	2024	Variação %	2023
(+)	Receita em Projetos	7.247.351	-15%	8.485.586
(+)	Variação Cambial	-	-100%	22.505
(+)	Receita Institucional	602.710	-25%	802.059
(+)	Receita Financeira	308.894	0%	310.181
(-)	Custos de Projetos	7.247.351	-15%	8.508.091
(-)	Despesas Operacionais	359.205	-73%	1.310.621
(-)	Depreciação	3.908	-71%	13.249
(-)	Despesas Financeiras	76.128	0%	91.286
(=)	Déficit/Superávit do Exercício	472.363	-	302.916

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