

# Approaches and frameworks for balancing land use for multiple goals: mitigation, food, biodiversity, water

A scenic view of a river flowing through a dense green forested area, with a small settlement visible along the bank.

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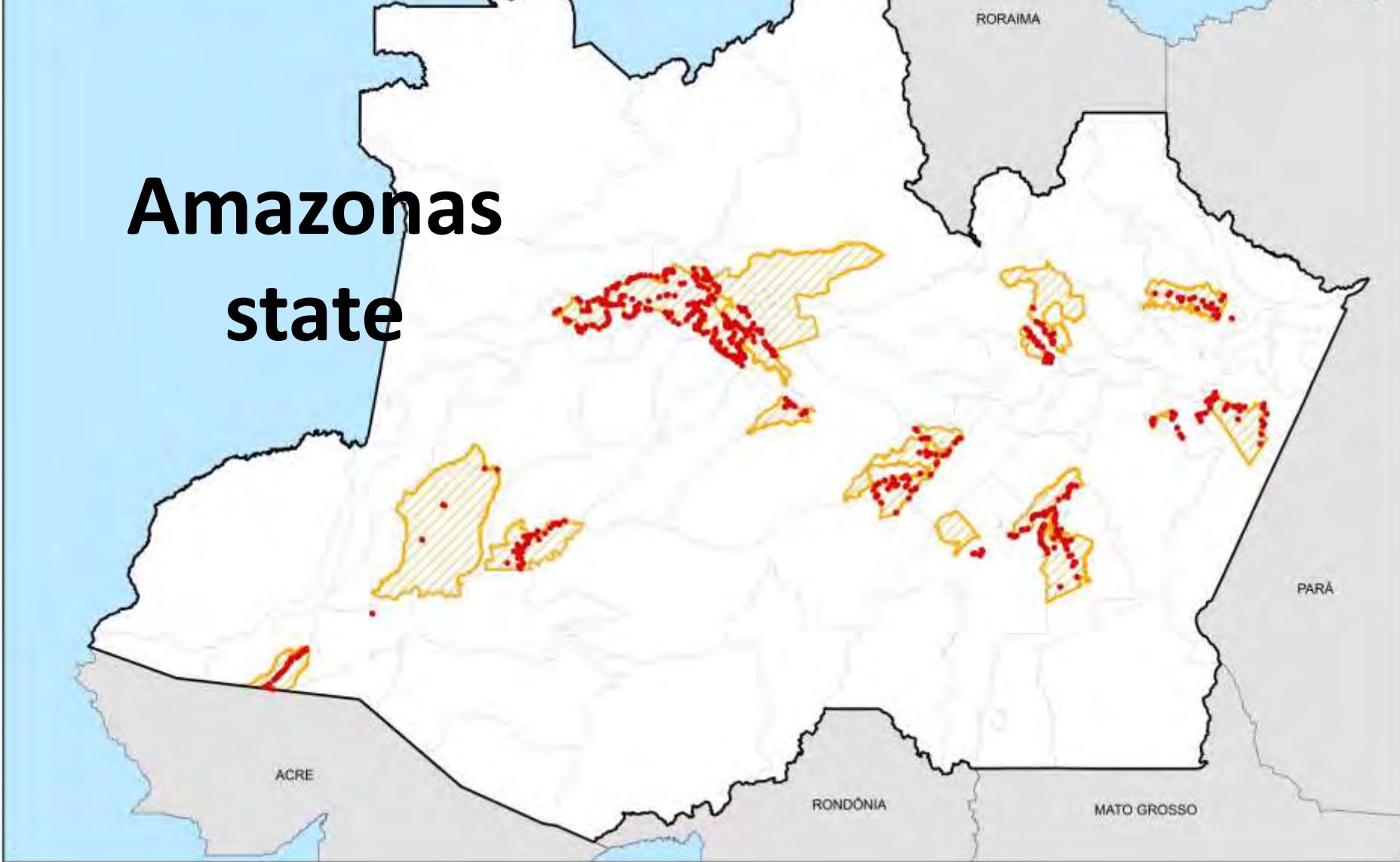


# Amazon State (Brasil)

- **1.57 milion km<sup>2</sup>**  
= **3,7 times California**
- **Protected areas**  
**53,84 %**
- **66 Etnic groups**  
**(20 non contacted)**
- **97% forest cover**
- **4 million inhabitants**



# Amazonas state



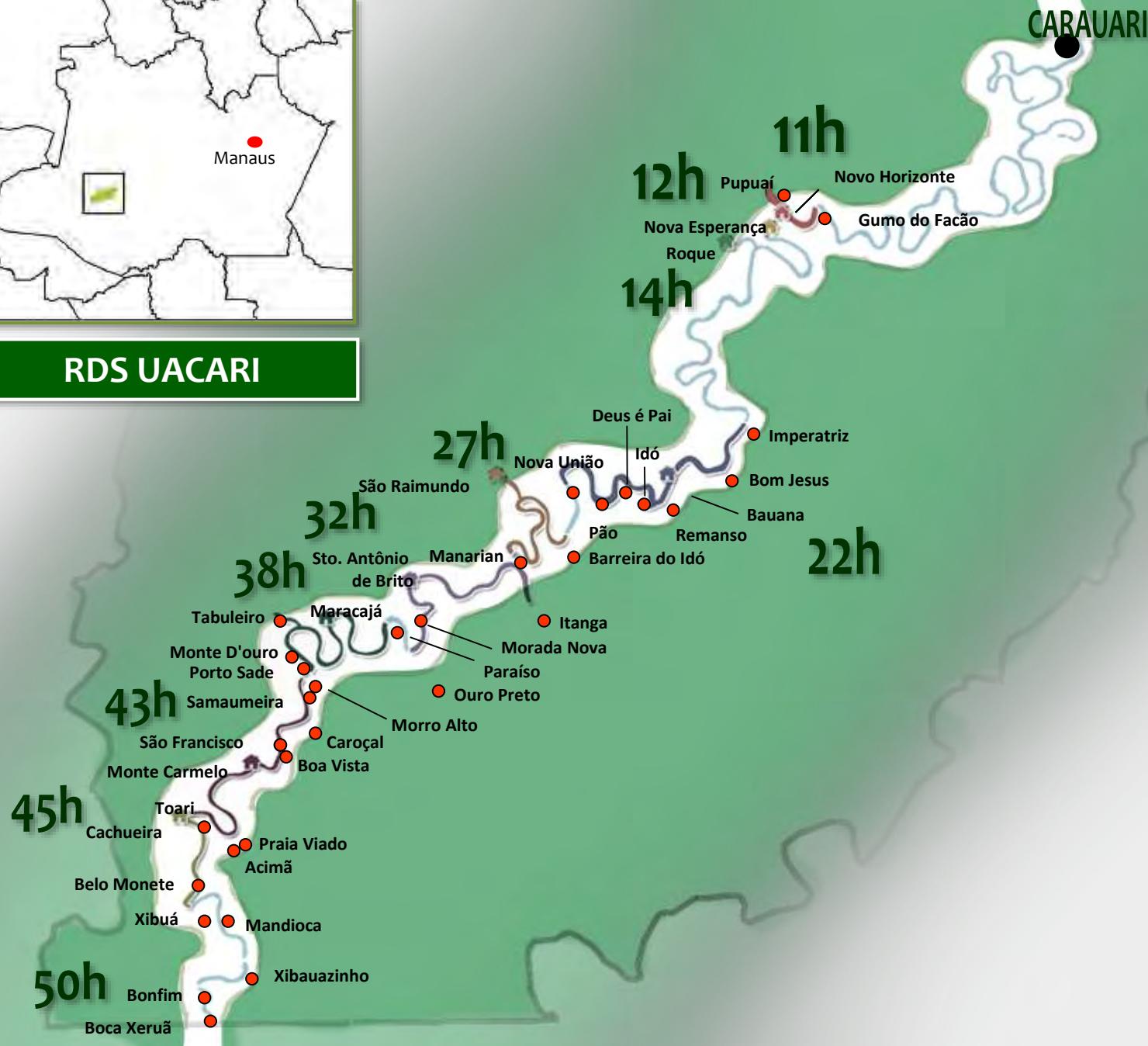
**9.597**  
families

**40.230**  
People

**583**  
communities



## RDS UACARI

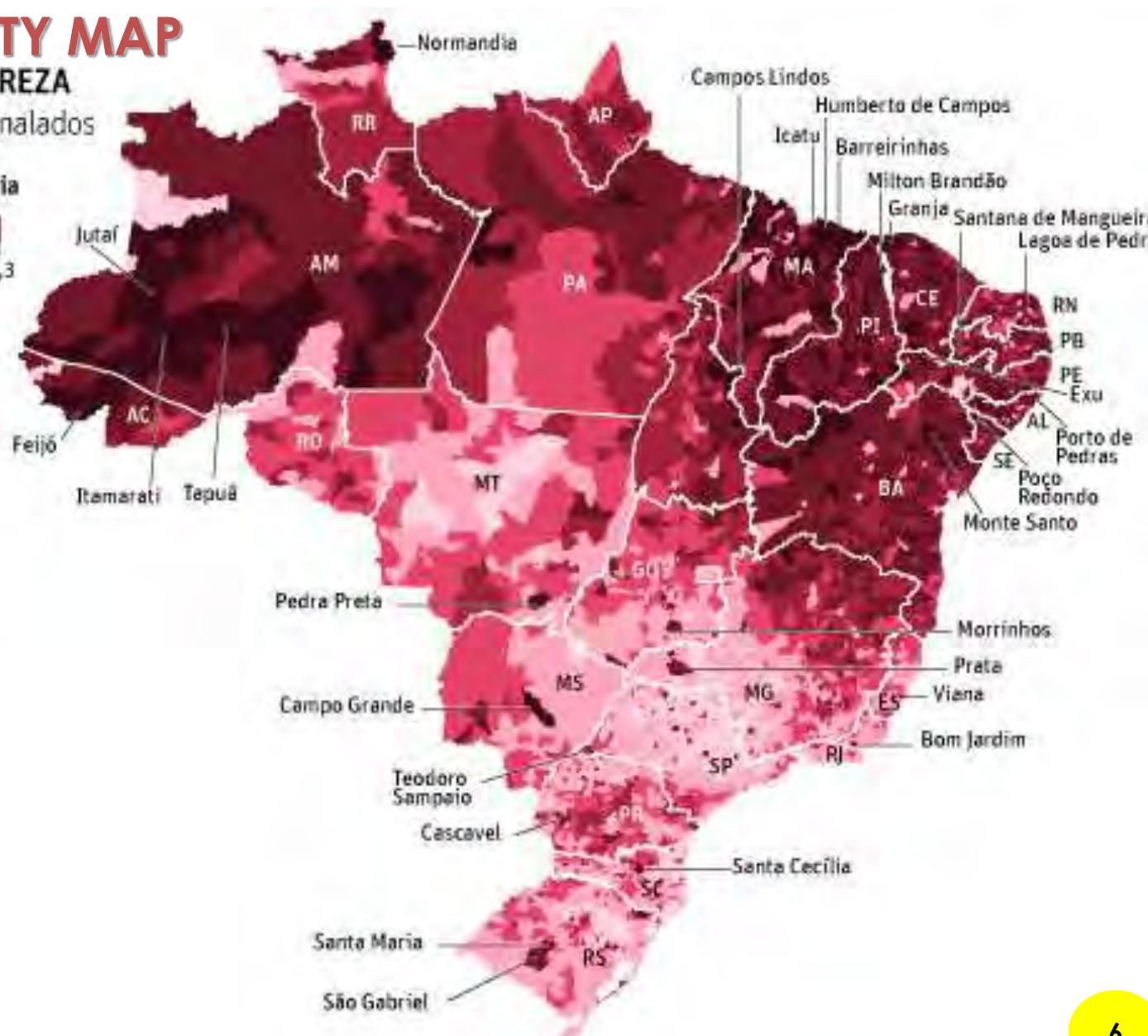


# BRAZIL'S POVERTY MAP

## MAPA BRASILEIRO DA POBREZA

Por município e exemplos assinalados

% de pessoas em situação de miséria



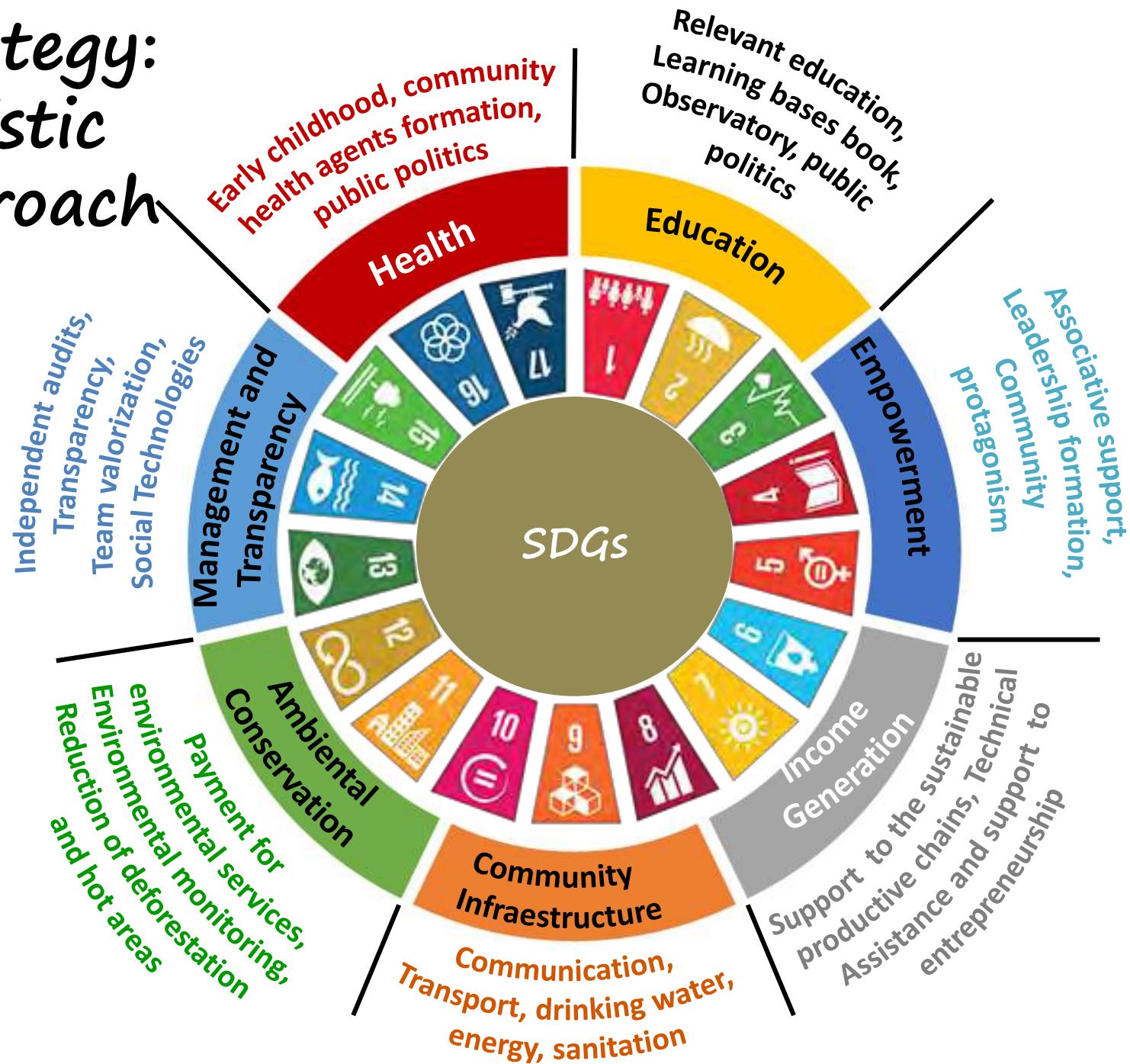


Public policies do not work well for isolated communities

# Context of adaption to climate change



# Strategy: holistic approach





- Strategy: participatory decision making
  - Total of 709 community workshops (2008/2016)



## Strategy 1:

- Make forests worth more standing than cut



**Strategy 2: not to substitute government**

# Strategy 3: work through partnerships



## EVOLUÇÃO DO NÚMERO DE PARCERIAS DA FAS



# Strategy 4 – PES =The Bolsa Floresta Program

US\$ 650 PER FAMILY / YEAR

1

Income

R\$ 260 thousand  
PER reserve PER year

2

Social

572

communities,  
10 million ha



R\$ 30 K PER FAMILY / YEAR

3

Association



4

Cash

R\$ 600 PER FAMILY / YEAR





Radio communication & empowerment



# Fisheries management



**Cash crops after climate extremes (flood)**



**Improve management of community markets  
(avoid middleman)**



**87 AMBULANCHAS (boat ambulances)**

# NÚCLEOS DE CONSERVAÇÃO E SUSTENTABILIDADE (NCSs)

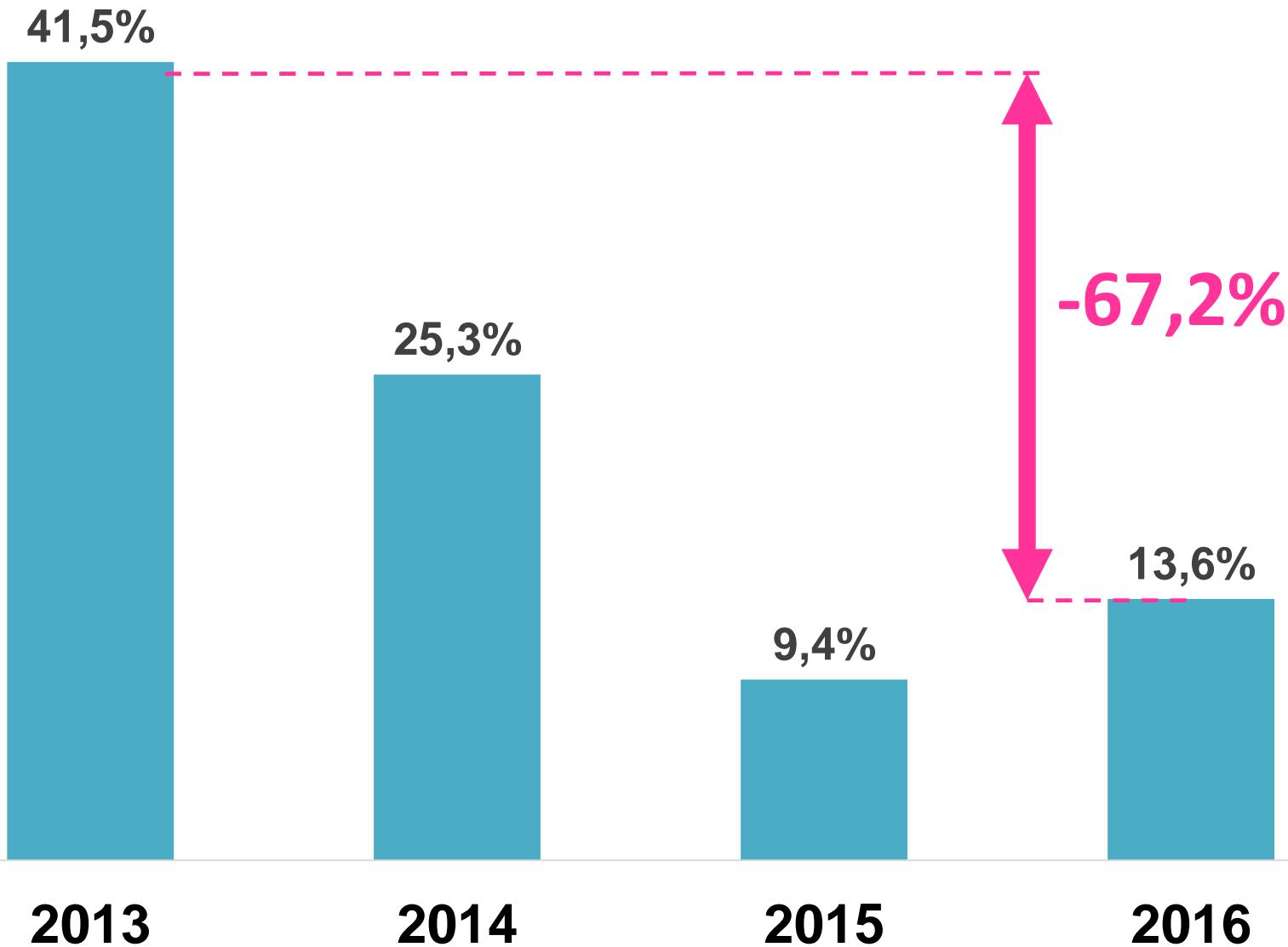




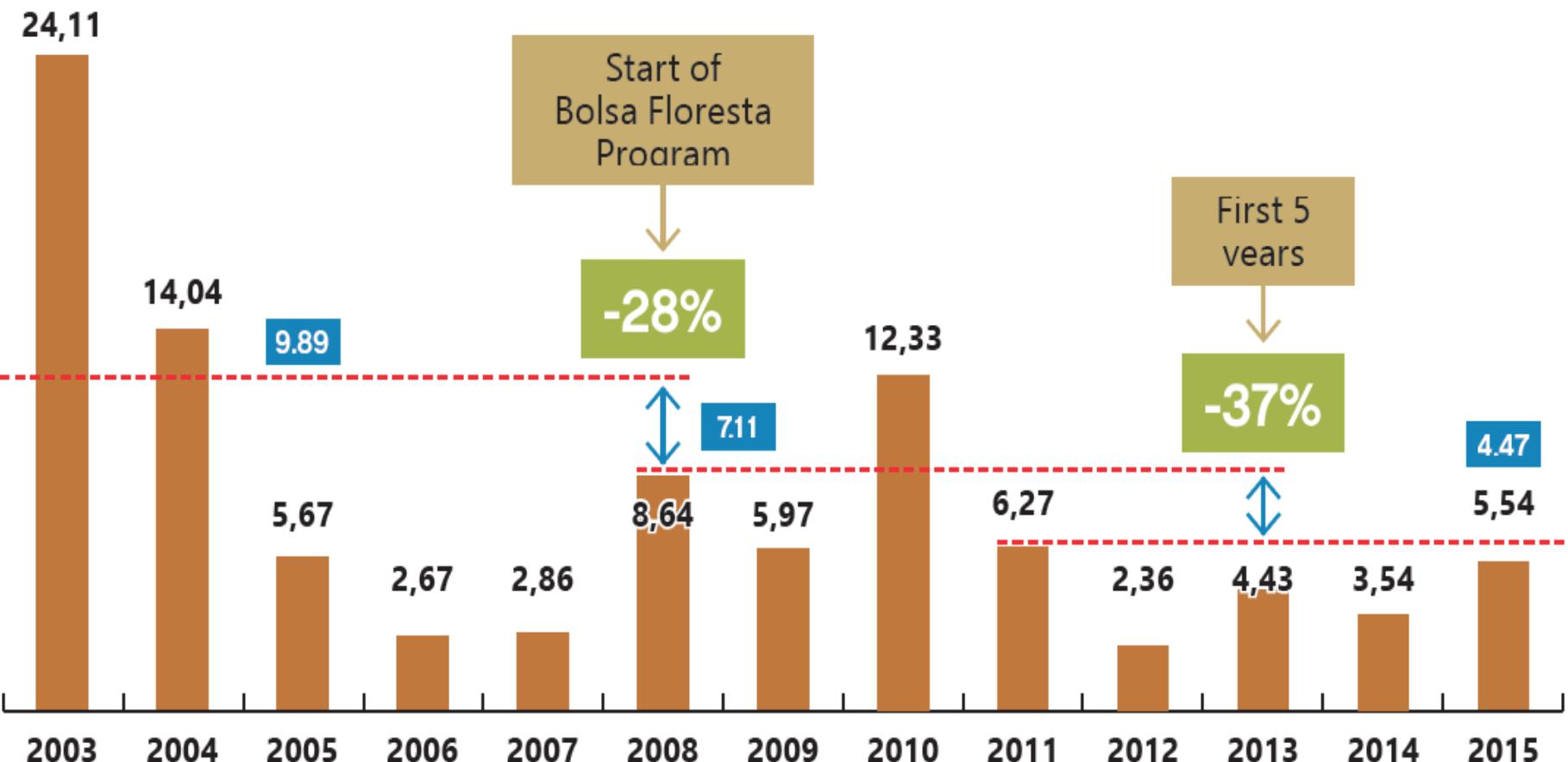
Improve access to drinking water

Foto: Acervo FAS

# Reduction in the incidence of diarrhea in children assisted by PIR in Rio Negro Reserve



# Annual deforestation rate (km<sup>2</sup>)



# Roles for FAS & “mezzo” organizations

1. What is the role for “mezzo” organizations?
  - Different from local grassroots: connectors
  - Nor multinational NGOs nor multilateral organizations
2. How can mezzo organizations be strengthened?
  - Key players for SDGs & climate change agendas
3. Vision for FAS 2030
  - Greater international activity
  - FAS support SDGs in the Panamazon region and other tropical forest landscapes

