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Indigenous peoples

Insights into their living situations - with a special focus on uncontacted tribes.

Who are they, what risks do they face and what comes next?

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Since 1969

Offices in Berlin, London, Madrid, Milan and San Francisco

Supporter in over 100 countries

—> We help tribal peoples defend their lives, protect their lands and determine their own futures.

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Our work

- Commitment to land and self-determination rights of indigenous peoples
 - Lobbying
 - Education
 - Support the recognition of their legal rights
 - Campaigns
 - > Let them live! (uncontacted tribes)
 - > Stop the con! (conservation)
 - > There you go! (forced development)
 - > Tribal Voice
- * Financed almost exclusively through private donations

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What I do

→ Assistant to the Coordinator

- Assistant to office management
- Supporter communication
- Shop
- Events
- Admin

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Our work



Video available: <https://vimeo.com/297723921>



Brazil's tribes

- 1500: 11 million people in 2,000 peoples
→ 90% wiped out by diseases
- 2019: 900,000 people in 305 tribes
→ biggest people >50,000 relatives
→ smallest people = 1
→ 100 uncontacted tribes (Amazon)
- Largest forested indigenous territory of the planet (Brazil / Venezuela) → Home of the Yanomami



The Yanomami

- * 35.000 members
- * Largest relatively isolated tribe in South America living in the rainforest and mountains of northern Brazil and southern Venezuela
- * At least 3 groups live uncontacted (*moxateteu*)

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Living environment



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Way of life



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Diet



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Shamanism and feasts



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Language



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Threats



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Latest threats

- * Invaders (illegal gold-miners, ranchers, settlers)
 - ★ Pollution of rivers and forest
 - ★ Deforestation
 - ★ Infectious diseases (measles, flu, malaria)
—> annihilation of uncontacted Yanomami

- * Constitutional amendment PEC 215

- * „Development projects“

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Latest threats

Video not online!



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Uncontacted Yanomami



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<https://www.survivalinternational.org/uncontactedtribes>

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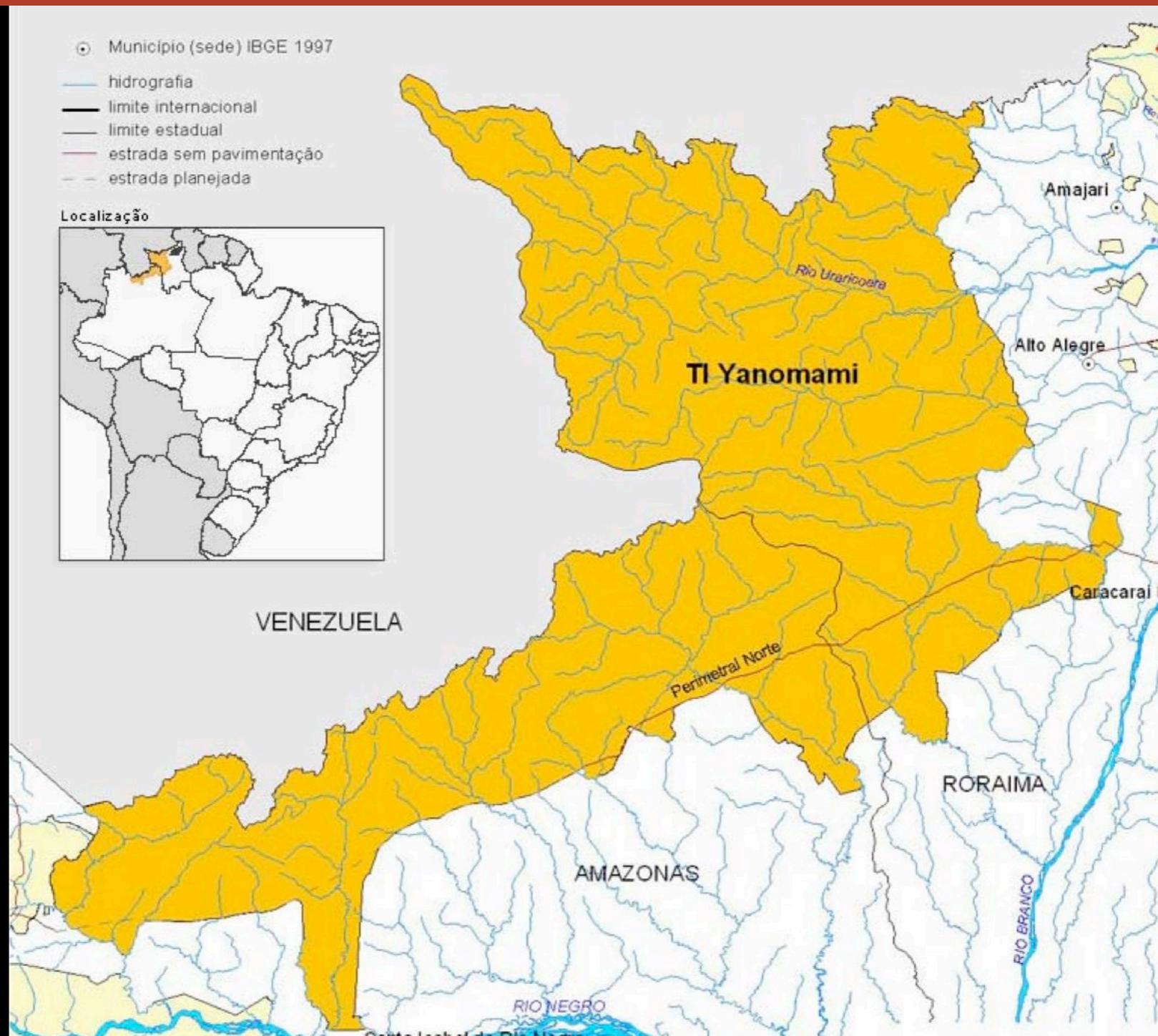
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Yanomami - What we do

- * 1992: demarcation of Yanomami territory
- * Support of health and education projects
- * Communication tools for „Tribal Voice“



Yanomami - Park



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Yanomami - What you could do

- * Get emails from Survival (urgent actions, Tribal Voice videos, campaign updates)
- * Write a letter for the Yanomami
- * Raise (or donate) money

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Yanomami - What we can learn from them

- * All people are equal
- * Experts of sustainability

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Thank you!



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Uncontacted Yanomami



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