

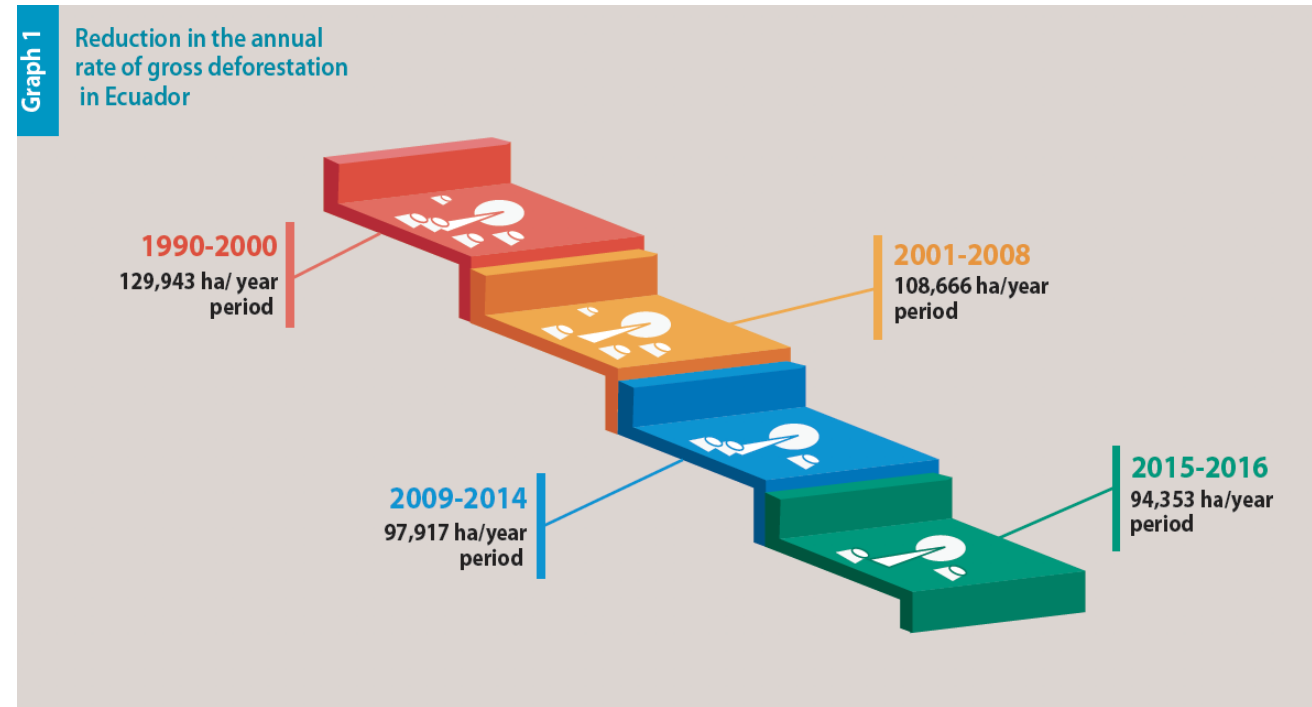
ROUNDTABLE MEETING ON SUSTAINABLE PALM OIL: Ecuador's JA Certification Project

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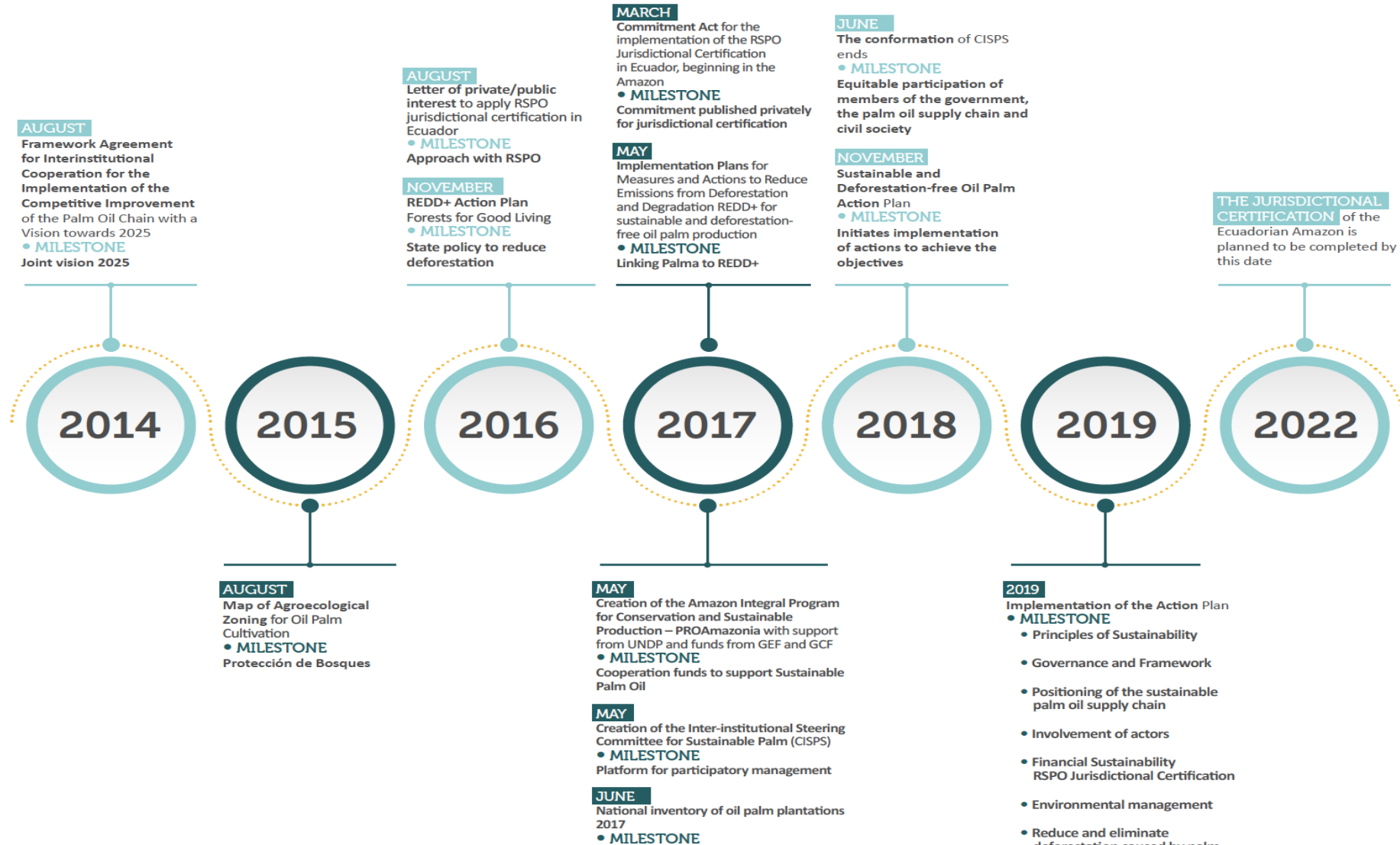
Ecuadorian Palm Oil Jurisdictional Approach



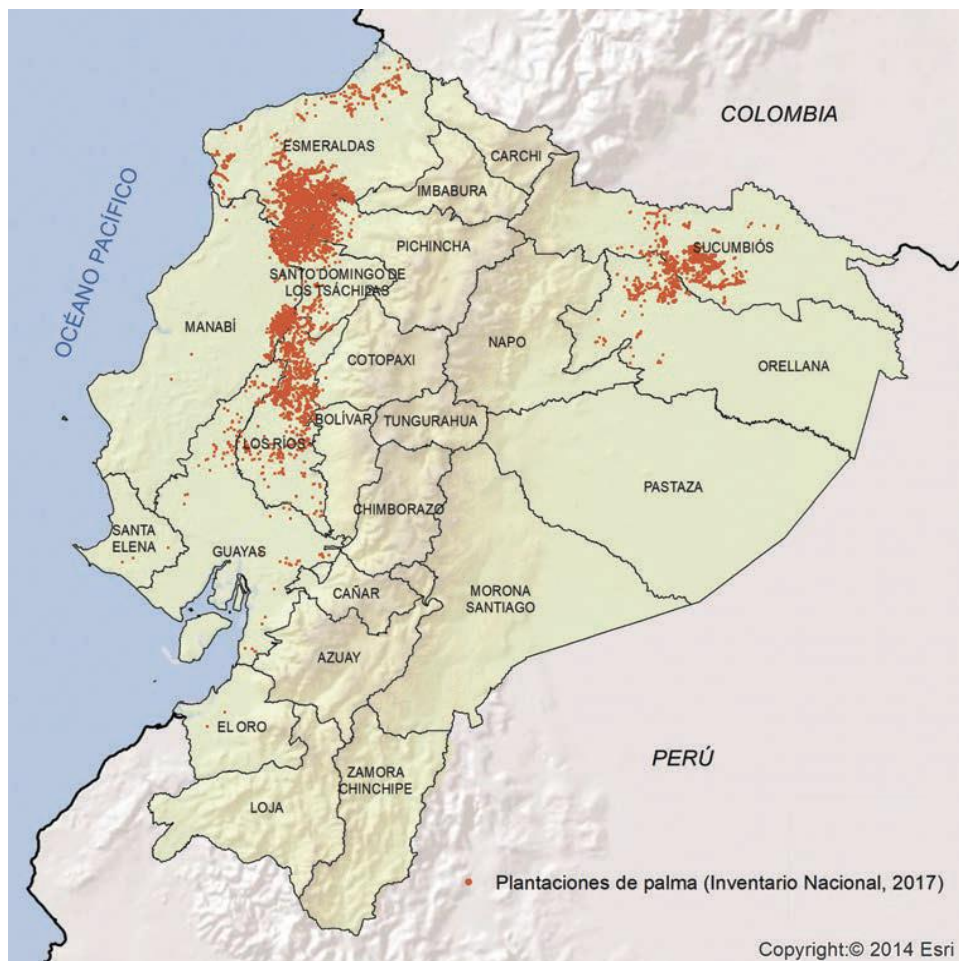
- The Ecuadorian northern Amazon provinces subject to JA approach, cover around 20% of total Ecuadorian production.
- 91% small producers according to last Palm Oil National Survey 2017
- Comes from REDD + National Action Plan to reduce deforestation
- Ministry of Agriculture and Palm oil Sector PMC agreement
- Pro Amazonia and Ecuadorian REDD+ Supports the Action Plan start implementation



The institutional process

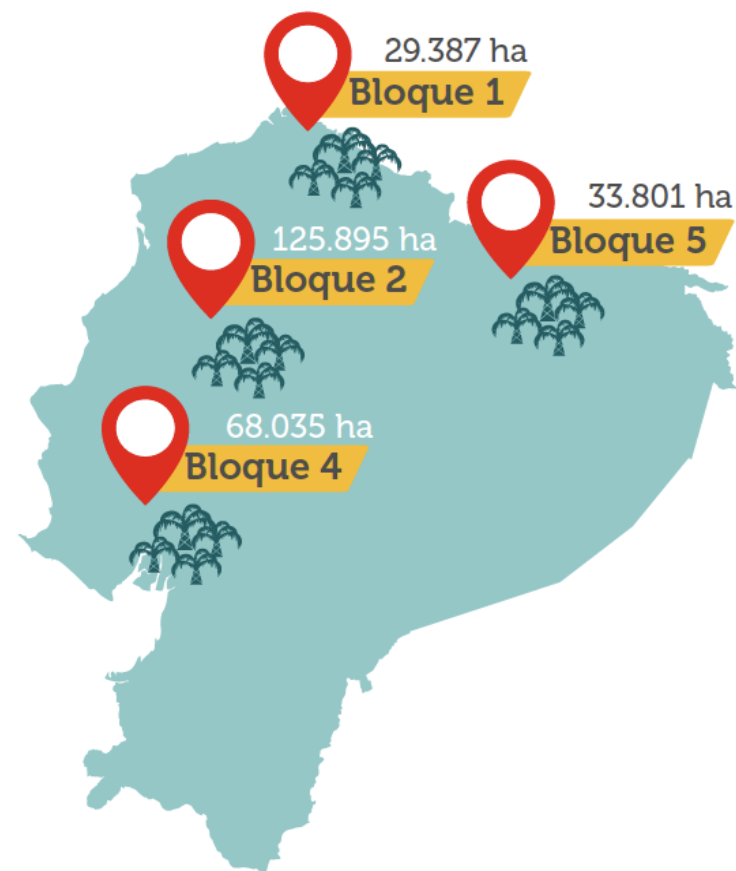


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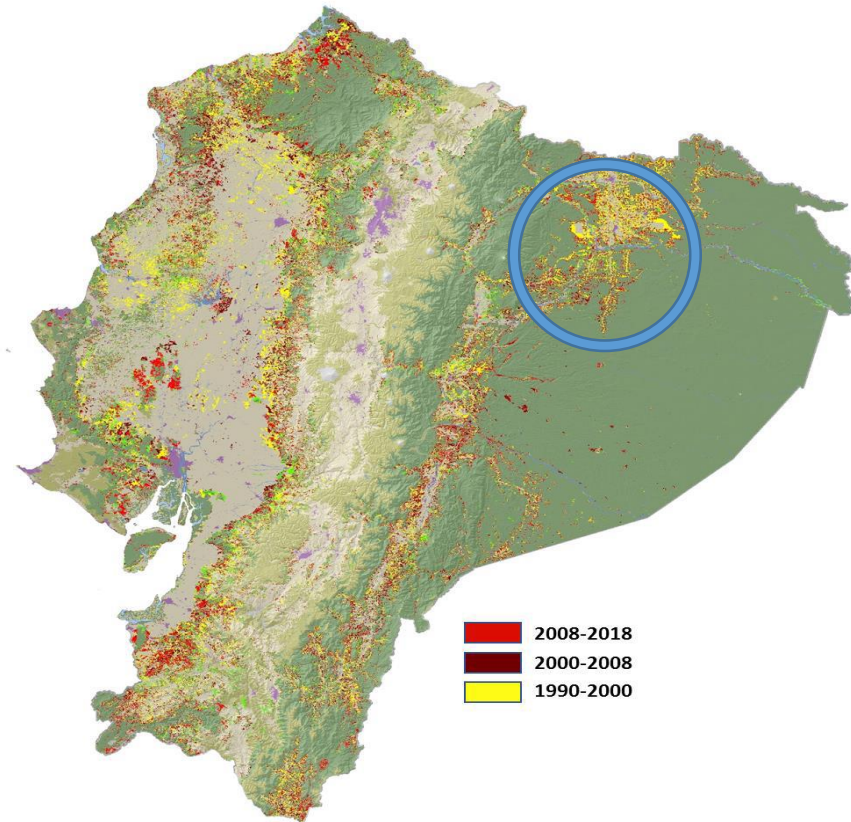


Bloque 1	■
San Lorenzo	
Bloque 2	■
Quinindé, La Sexta, La Concordia	
Bloque 3	■
Los Ríos, Guayas	
Bloque 4	■
Orellana, Subumbíos	
Total hectáreas 257.120	

Datos Censo Palmero 2016



Starting by the most relevant biodiversity areas: the Amazon REDD+ Approach



Geographic distribution of Deforestation. (Sierra. R 2019)

Provinces	Total Provinces Area	Palm Oil Planted Area per province
Sucumbios	1,861,200	21,184.34 ha
Orellana	2,169,200	12,617.65 ha
TOTAL	4,030,400	33, 801.99 ha

Palm Oil Plantations in the Amazon Jurisdiction

Ecuadorian Jurisdictional Approach RSPO Certification Platform



1. Building up Governance:

“The creation of the Interinstitutional Steering Committee for Sustainable Oil Palm (CISPS) was a successful Interinstitutional Planning exercise in 2017- 2018, that arrived to a committed Action Plan”.



MEMBERS

Currently, the CISPS is conformed by representatives from the following institutions

Public Sector

- Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock – MAG
- Ministry of Environment – MAE
- Ministry of Production, Foreign Trade, Investments and Fisheries – MPCEIP
- Consortium of Provincial Autonomous Governments of Ecuador – CONGOPE

Oil Palm Production Chain

- Foundation for the Promotion of the Export of Palm Oil and its Derivatives – FEDAPAL
- National Association of Oil Palm Growers – ANCUPA
- Ecuadorian Association of Mills of Palm Oil and its Derivatives – AEXPALMA
- Association of Producers of Fats and Oils – APROGRASEC
- Association of Producers and Marketers of Organic Oilseeds and Fruits – ASOCOFOR

Civil society representatives

- World Wildlife Fund – WWF
- Conservation International – CI
- Earthworm Foundation

Academy

- Universidad de Los Hemisferios

COLLABORATORS

Companies in the Sustainable Palm Oil Jurisdiction

- Palmeras del Ecuador – Grupo Danec
- Oleana

Provincial Autonomous Governments in the Sustainable Palm Oil Jurisdiction

- Orellana Provincial Autonomous Governments
- Sucumbios Provincial Autonomous Governments

Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil – RSPO

Grower associations in the Sustainable Palm Oil Jurisdiction

- Amazonian Association of Oil Palm Growers – AACPA
- Shushufindi Oil Palm Growers Association
- Gold Palm Association
- El Coca Oil Palm Growers Association
- Las Cajas Oil Palm Growers Association

OBJECTIVES

- 1 Build a governance model for sustainable palm oil production.
- 2 Promote the production of sustainable palm oil as a strategic sector for the development of the country.
- 3 Guarantee the participation and involvement of producers and Autonomous Governments in the activities.
- 4 Provide financial sustainability to the activities related to sustainable palm oil production and governance.
- 5 Obtain the Jurisdictional RSPO Certification for the Amazon region.
- 6 Guarantee an adequate environmental management in the oil palm supply chain.
- 7 Eliminate palm oil related deforestation in the Amazon region by 2020, and nationally by 2025 and ensure compliance with the REDD+ Social and Environmental Safeguards.

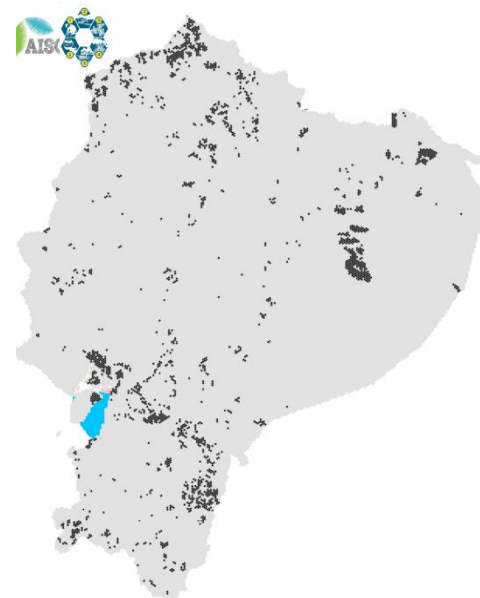
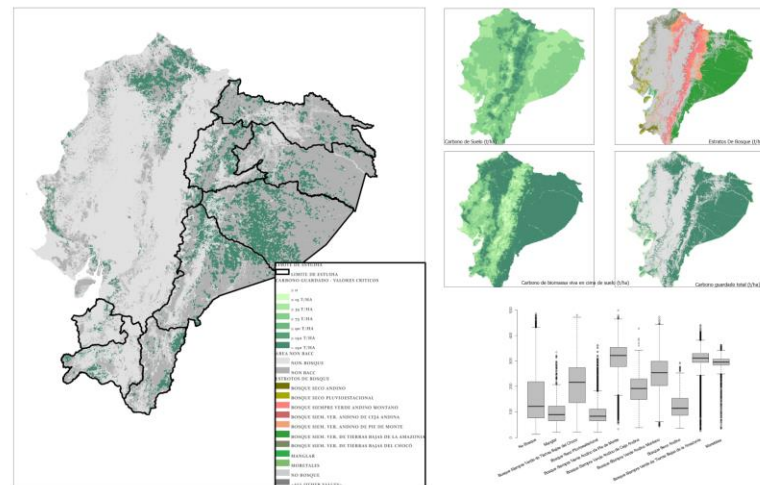
2. Underling agreement of 10 principles on:

Human rights, labor rights, environment and sustainability covering zero deforestation by 2022 in the Amazon region, transparency and fighting against corruption

Prioritizing the important

- High Conservation Areas and High Carbon Stock Studies and compensation where necessary.
- Catching up with environmental permits and land tenure titles.
- Advising local governments (province and municipality level) to include the HCA and HCS vision in land planning.
- Participating in the JA Working Group
- Adapting to FPIC requirement
- Working on a traceability scheme.
- Strengthening local producer's associations and capacity building programs.
- Designing auditing system and a Jurisdictional Entity.

Identificación de Bosques con Alto Contenidos de Carbono en el Ecuador Continental para la Identificación de zonas piloto conjunto de Paisajes de Uso Múltiple y Áreas con Alto Valor de Conservación



AVCS
 ■ AVCS 5
 ■ AVCS 4
 ■ AVCS 3
 ■ AVCS 2
 ■ AVCS 1
 ■ AVCS 0

Por rem
 ■ Remanencia 20% o más
 ■ Remanencia 10-20%
 ■ Remanencia 5-10%
 ■ Remanencia 0-5%

Rango Densidad
 ■ 160 hab/km²
 ■ 80 - 160 hab/km²
 ■ 40 - 80 hab/km²
 ■ 20 - 40 hab/km²
 ■ 0 - 20 hab/km²

Accesibilidad Red Vial
 ■ 0 - 5 minutos
 ■ 5 - 15 minutos
 ■ 15 - 30 minutos
 ■ 30 minutos - 1 hora
 ■ 1 - 3 horas
 ■ Más de 3 horas
 ■ Pendientes
 ■ Mascara ché
 ■ Zonas restringidas

Disponibilidad de Servicios Básicos
 ■ Ríos navegables
 ■ Masas de agua
 ■ Zonas urbanas
 ■ ALTA
 ■ MEDIA
 ■ BAJA
 ■ Muy BAJA
 ■ DESCONOCIDO
 ■ ZONA URBANA
 ■ <all other values>

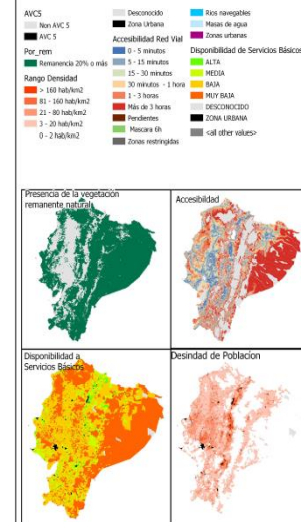


Figura 1: Áreas reconocidas por autoridades nacionales y/o internacionales. Fuente: Decreto 21.910, 1992.



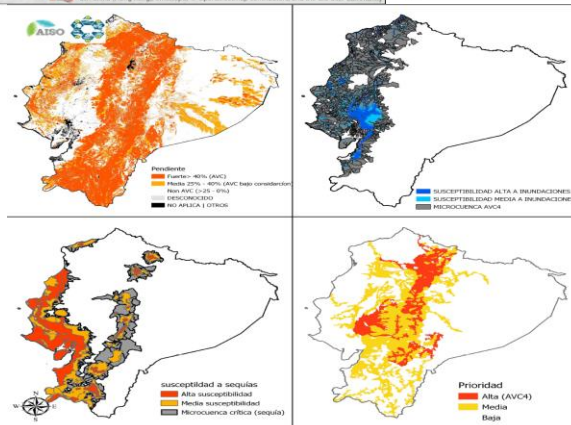
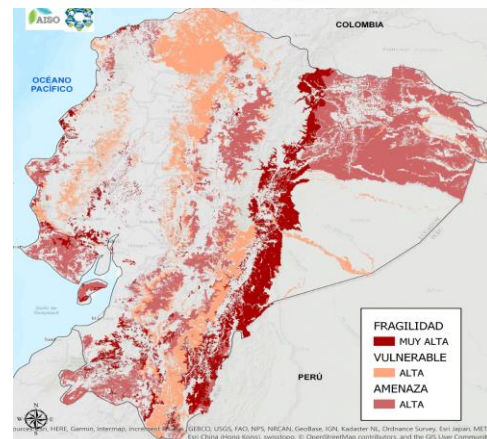
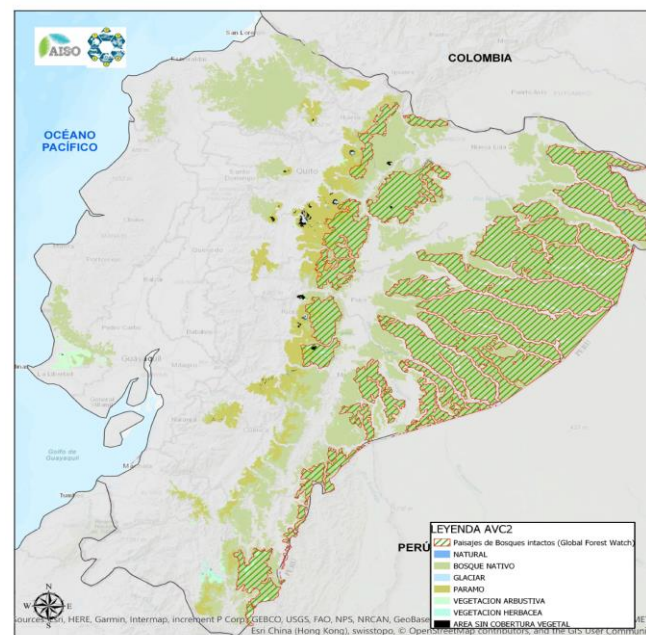
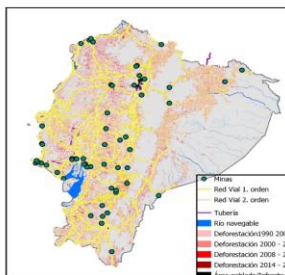
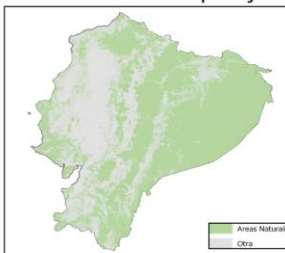
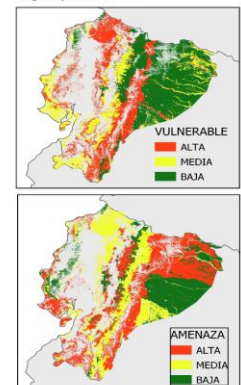
Mapa de la distribución geográfica de las áreas protegidas en Chile. La leyenda indica:

- AWC 1
- Parque Nacional
- BSA
- Zonas Indígenas
- Bosques Protegidos
- Sitios Ramsar
- Humedales
- SNAP 10 km - Zona de Aseoamiento

Nombre: AVC 1 Areas de Alto Nivel de Biodiversidad
Fecha: 17/12/2018

VULNERÁVEL

- ALTA
- MÉDIA
- BAIXA



High Conservation Areas and High Carbon Stock Studies

The challenge ahead and it's timeline

- Pro Amazonia UNDP project will end in 2022 and we need to finish the Amazon JA Approach, and launch the rest covering the entire country.
- We need the engage local governments and introduce land scaping in their land use planning.
- We are advancing in the implementing and monitoring of more than 80 activities contained in the Action Plan in a changing and difficult palm oil scenario.

Thank You