AMAZÔNIA
DIGITAL
Only 38% of the cities in the North of the county have access to broadband internet, the lowest index in Brazil:

- 70% South
- 65% Southeast
- 56% Northeast
- 58% Midwest

"Lack of Internet access is one of the main reasons for not doing activities at home"

The difficulty of accessing the internet intensifies inequalities in education. In 2020, in-person classes in public schools have been suspended and return predictions still uncertain.

source: World Bank Group, 2020; Educação não presencial Research, Datafolha 2020; CETIC domicílios 2019 Research; Anatel and BBC Brasil article.
THE PROJECT

The main objective of this project is to expand internet access in the Amazon, as a way to expand access to reading and, consequently, its positive impact on education and the empowerment of local rural communities.

OBJECTIVES

1. Enable internet access in 2 communities with Vaga Lume libraries
2. Increase the number of readers in communities
3. Encourage access to new technologies related to reading and education

INVESTMENT

Total project cost: US$ 77,100.00

Already raised: US$ 53,225.00
**Santo Isidoro**

- Location: Solimões River
- Number of Families: 85
- Number of residents: 450
- Vaga Lume Profile: Library with own building

**Nossa Senhora do Perpétuo Socorro**

- Location: Solimões River
- Number of Families: 87
- Number of residents: 391
- Vaga Lume Profile: Library with own building

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**The First Two Communities**
THANK YOU!

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