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Peruvian Amazon

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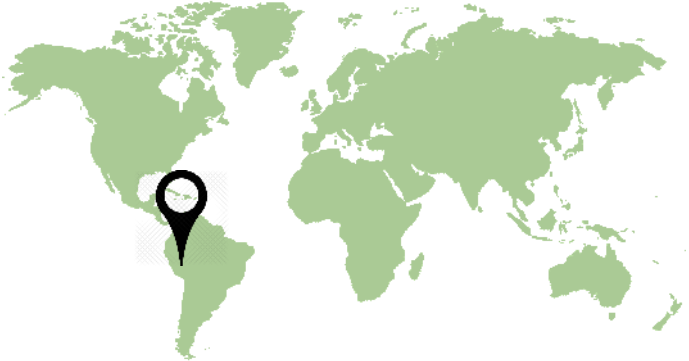


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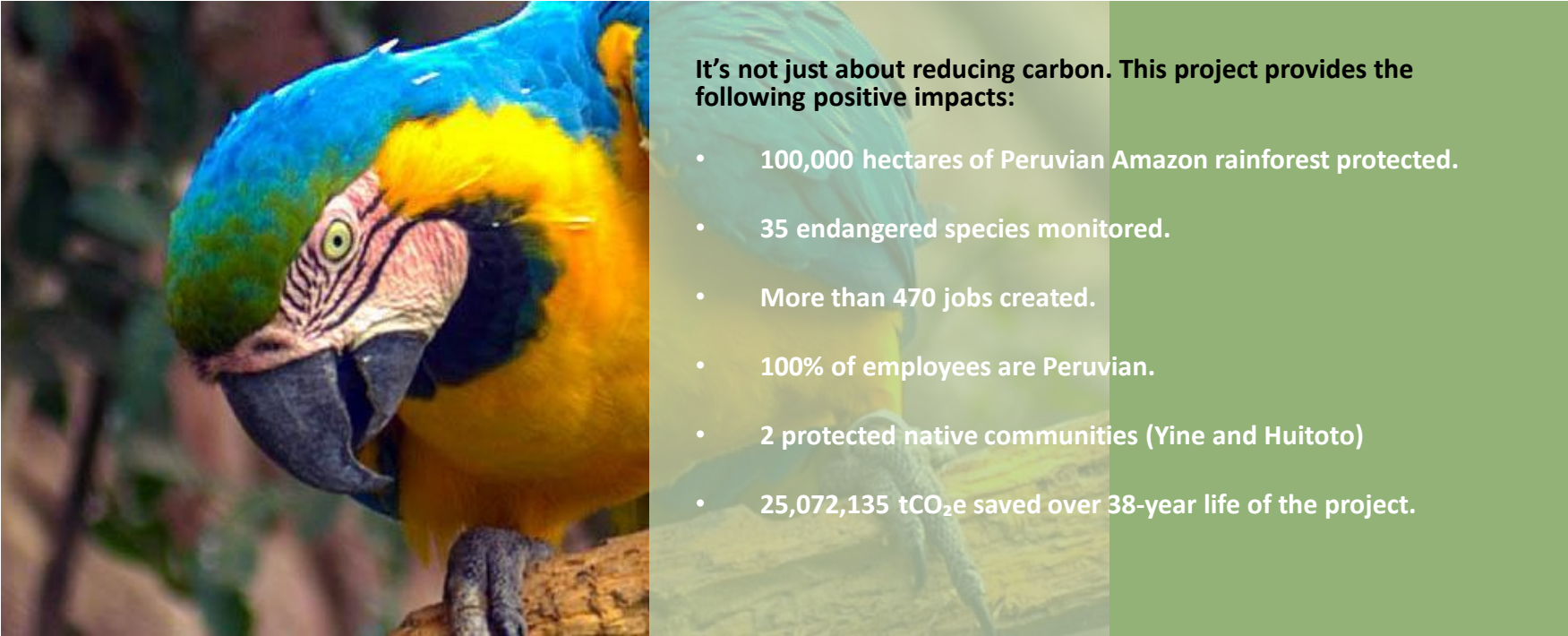
Close to the ancient city of Machu Picchu, in the Vilcabamba-Amboro conservation corridor, the construction of an inter-oceanic road uniting Brazil with Peru jeopardises the tropical rainforest and one of the world’s biodiversity hotspots.

This verified carbon standard project dramatically reduces deforestation and the threat of moving communities and illegal logging by increasing surveillance in the area and establishing sustainable forest management practices. This saves precious habitat relied upon by endangered species and tribal communities



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It's not just about reducing carbon. This project provides the following positive impacts:

- 100,000 hectares of Peruvian Amazon rainforest protected.
- 35 endangered species monitored.
- More than 470 jobs created.
- 100% of employees are Peruvian.
- 2 protected native communities (Yine and Huitoto)
- 25,072,135 tCO₂e saved over 38-year life of the project.

Aligning with the Sustainable Development Goals

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) were established by United Nations as a universal call to action to end poverty, protect the planet and ensure all people enjoy peace and prosperity. There are 17 goals in total and this project is aligned to the following SDG goals.



SDG 8: Promote sustained, inclusive economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all

All employees are Peruvians and 70% are local to the area to ensure contribution to local employment.

SDG 11: Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable

Preservation of the rainforest ensure the resilience and sustainability of tribal communities who depend on it.

SDG 13: Take urgent action to combat climate change

Preservation of this area of rainforest contributes to emissions reductions to mitigate climate change.

SDG 15: Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems and halt biodiversity loss.

Avoiding deforestation protects indigenous flora and fauna, and in particular endangered species.



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