

Property			
Fazenda Sararé - área 1 / Fazenda Taquaruçu / Fazenda Sararé			
Conquista d'Oeste, Mato Grosso		Amazon biome	
CAR:	MT-5103361-94C041F787054A89A040AE01EC726C47 / MT-5103361-314E93F5437942388435640DFF1C1302 (cancelled)	SIGEF/SNCI:	9510997196768
Area property (ha):		4,750	Coordinates property: -14.73783, -59.30628
Cleared Area			
Coordinates clearance:		-14.72319, -59.30433	
50 hectares		period clearance: Dec 2022 to Feb 2023	
- fires alerts			
Inside Forest Code's protected areas: Yes		50 ha inside declared Legal Reserve	
Type of vegetation:	Wooded Savanna	Priority for Biodiversity Conservation:	No
Conservation area(s) (overlapping or bordering):		-	
Indigenous Territories (overlapping or bordering):		-	
Imagery: limits of the property (blue) limits of the cleared area (red)			
December 2022		February 2023	
			
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Environmental fines and embargoes				
Embargoes:	Yes (other links)	Pedro João Martins Carvalho has 3 embargoes issued in 2022: 1 embargo of 36 ha in a property in Pontes e Lacerda (MT), 1 embargo of 85 ha in Fazenda Bom Jesus, and 1 embargo of 155 ha in Fazenda Santa Maria, both in Conquista D'Oeste (MT). Gustavo Carvalho Junior has 3 embargoes, all of them in Fazenda Taquaruçu in Conquista D'Oeste, between 2021 and 2022		
Environmental fines:	Yes	Sapé Agropecuária has 2 environmental fines (BRL 2,084): 1 in 1999 in Várzea Grande (MT) due to inadequate transport of wood products; 1 in 1998 in Pontes e Lacerda (MT) due to inadequate transport of wood products. Pedro João Martins Carvalho has 1 environmental fine (BRL 180,400) for illegal clearance of 36 ha in a property in Pontes e Lacerda (MT) in 2019 and 1 for illegal clearance at Fazenda Bom Jesus in Conquista D'Oeste in 2022		BRL 182,484
Ownership and other linked properties				
Ownership:		Sape Agropecuária / Gustavo Carvalho Júnior / Pedro João Martins Carvalho		
Company group:		Sapé Agropecuária is linked to 7 other companies through Oscar Martinez Filho (partner and manager of Sapé Agropecuária): Planalto Reflorest e Comercialização de Prod Agr (Piraquara - PR, wood species farming) and 6 others related to real estate development (in São Paulo and Paraná). Pedro João Martins Carvalho is linked to Agropecuária Bom Jesus (established in June 2022 in Pontes e Lacerda - MT), and no company linked to Gustavo Carvalho Júnior was found		
Linked properties:		Sapé Agropecuária - in Conquista d'Oeste (MT): Fazenda Sararé - área 2 (2,500 ha), Fazenda Sararé (12,700 ha). Gustavo Carvalho Júnior - in Vila Bela da Santíssima Trindade (MT): Fazenda Bela Vista (880 ha); in Cáceres (MT): Fazenda Trindade (1,660 ha), Fazenda Bicho Bravo (unknown area). Pedro João Martins Carvalho - In Pontes e Lacerda (MT): Fazenda São Pedro do Guaporé (4,750 ha), Fazenda Vista Alegre (432 ha), Fazenda São Pedro (unknown area), other linked properties in Rondônia		
Supply chain links				
Main Commodities		Beef		
Confirmed supply chain link, level of certainty, and soy trader/ beef processor		Yes	High / Medium	JBS / Marfrig
Companies' reply		JBS: “Less than 30% of the alleged properties have ever been JBS suppliers”. “Our analysis found no irregularities at the time of last purchase” Marfrig (potential trading link changed from “high” to “medium”) Fazenda Sararé “is blocked from supplying Marfrig due to an embargoed area by SEMA-MT”, but the linked property, Fazenda Bela Vista, although “fully meets the social-environmental criteria” still is a direct supplier to Marfrig.		
Soy	Main exporters (municipality)		AFG Brasil (100%)	
	Warehouses (50 km radius)		6 warehouses owned by individuals (none of them a direct exporter)	
	Supply chain links & details:		-	
Beef	Main traders (municipality)		JBS (87%), Minerva (7%), others (6%)	
	Slaughterhouses (sourcing from the municipality)		15 slaughterhouses sourced cattle from Conquista d'Oeste (MT) in 2021, e.g., 3 owned by JBS (Araputanga, Diamantino, and Pontes e Lacerda, all in MT); 2 owned by Marfrig (Pontes e Lacerda and Tangará da Serra, both in MT); and 1 owned by Minerva (Mirassol d'Oeste).	
	Supply chain links & details:		Sapé Agropecuária directly supplied cattle from Fazenda Sararé to Marfrig and JBS (both in Pontes e Lacerda - MT) in 2018 and 2019. A linked property to Gustavo Carvalho Júnior, Fazenda Bela Vista in Vila Bela da Santíssima Trindade (MT), directly supplied Marfrig (Pontes e Lacerda - MT). Linked property to Pedro João Martins Carvalho: Fazenda São Pedro do Guaporé and Fazenda São Pedro (both in Pontes e Lacerda - MT) directly supplied JBS (Pontes e Lacerda - MT), Fazenda Vista Alegre (Pontes e Lacerda - MT) indirectly supplied JBS (Pontes e Lacerda - MT) through Fazenda Água Limpa owned by Ismael da Silva Gomes (Pontes e Lacerda - MT)	
Other supply chain links and details:		-		

General comments
The cleared area falls in a property registered in Sigef as owned by Sapé Agropecuária, but the area has two different CAR declarations (none declared by Sapé Agropecuária): one of the CARs is cancelled and was auto-declared by Pedro João Martins Carvalho, Dazir Zanzarini and Gustavo Carvalho Júnior, the second CAR was declared by Gustavo Carvalho Júnior and is still under analysis (1). Sapé Agropecuária has maize farming registered as its main economic activity, but other associated activities are soy farming and cattle raising (meat and dairy) (2). Sapé Agropecuária has an ongoing legal process (initiated in 2021) requesting the repeal of an environmental fine (3). Several shareholders of Sapé Agropecuária are linked to the Mofarrej company group, which has been active in international trade, agriculture, cattle ranching, and reforestation, besides having a long history in real estate development in São Paulo (4). Oscar Martinez Filho, the current administrator of Sapé Agropecuária, is the son of José Carlos de Castro Martinez (deceased in 2003) who was the former director of the company, as well as the national president of PTB and member of the Chamber of Deputies (5). Gustavo Carvalho Júnior has an environmental license for a Sustainable Forest Management Plan in 848 hectares of Fazenda Taquaruçu (6). In August and September of the same year, 38 areas were embargoed by the Environmental Agency of Mato Grosso (SEMA - MT) due to the deforestation at special areas of Fazenda Taquaruçu (7).
(1) https://geoportal.sema.mt.gov.br/#/ & https://sigef.incra.gov.br/geo/parcela/detalhe/f75ba6af-d86e-461a-9b6c-e6147025c500/ (2) https://cnpj.linkana.com/cnpj/SAPE-AGROPECUARIA-LTDA/03472990000159 (3) https://www.jusbrasil.com.br/processos/518896577/processo-n-103XXX-0720218110041-do-tjmt#informacoes (4) https://www.mofarrej.com.br/a-mofarrej/ (5) https://www.tribunapr.com.br/noticias/parana/acidente-aereo-mata-martinez/ (6) https://geoportal.sema.mt.gov.br/#/ (7) http://www.sema.mt.gov.br/transparencia/index.php/fiscalizacao-ambiental#331-areas-embargadas