

Property

Fazenda Vale do Boi

São Félix do Araguaia, Mato Grosso

Amazon biome

CAR: MT-5107859-9DFDE64A2FFC4556B116F9BDE0C6595F

SIGEF/SNCI: 9010830036030

Area property (ha): 83,227

Coordinates property: -52.20241, -11.69994

Cleared Area

Coordinates clearance: -52.18868, -11.66008

2,040 hectares

195 fires alerts

period clearance: September 2022

Inside Forest Code's protected areas: Yes

2040 ha inside declared Legal Reserve and APP

Type of vegetation: Semidecidual Seasonal Forest

Priority for Biodiversity Conservation: Very high

Conservation area(s) (overlapping or bordering): -

Indigenous Territories (overlapping or bordering): Bordering the Indigenous Territory Maraiwatsede

Imagery: limits of the property (blue) limits of the cleared area (red)

September 2022



Source: Imagery ©2022 Planet Labs Inc.



Fires

10th September 2022

Source: European Union - EO Browser Copernicus Sentinel data 2022

Environmental fines and embargoes

Embargoes:	Yes	1 embargo in August 2019 for illegal clearance of 8,150 ha of native vegetation in Fazenda Vale do Boi (São Félix do Araguaia - MT)	
Environmental fines:	Yes	3 environmental fines: 2 for illegal clearance of 1,800 ha and 5,300 ha, and e for setting fire in 7,100 ha of native vegetation in 2004	BRL 13,015,000

Ownership and other linked properties

Ownership:	Mario Quirino da Silveira		
Company group:	Agropecuária Vale do Boi in partnership with "Jacintho Quirino" family: Elza, Amaury, Gilberto e Ignez. Amaury Jacintho Quirino owns also a company in Goiás - Brasil Verde Empreendimentos Agropecuários.		
Linked properties:	5 other properties, totaling at least 4,730 ha. In São José do Xingu (MT): Fazenda Goiânia (unknown area), Fazenda Eldorado (unknown area). In Canabrava do Norte (MT): Fazenda Santa Marta (unknown area). In Campos Lindos (TO): Fazenda Vale da Serra (4,730 ha). In Serra Nova Dourada (MT): Fazenda da Serra (unknown area). Partners on the linked company Vale do Boi Agropecuária, own other 4 properties, totaling 4,095 ha. In São Félix do Araguaia (MT): Fazenda Vale Verde (2,409 ha). In Serra Nova Dourada (MT): Fazenda Vale do Cerrado (709 ha); Fazenda Vale do Cerrado II (492 ha); Fazenda Vale do Cerrado III e IV (485 ha)		

Supply chain links

Main Commodities	Beef and Soy		
Confirmed supply chain link, level of certainty, and soy trader/ beef processor	Yes	High / Medium / Low	Marfrig / JBS / Vittera
Companies' reply	The indirect link to Minerva was removed . Minerva declared that " <i>Fazenda Vale do Boi does not have any commercial relationship with the Company</i> ". They also declared that Minerva does " <i>not carry any commercial relationship with the Fazenda Caimbe in the name of the Owner Leandro Pinto da Silva</i> ".		
Soy	Main exporters (municipality)	Vittera (80%), Amaggi (14%), Bunge (6%)	
	Warehouses (50 km radius)	17 warehouses, i.e.: 2 owned by Amaggi, 1 by Vittera (Glencore)	
	Supply chain links & details:	The property produced soy in 2021	
Beef	Main traders (municipality)	JBS (44%), Marfrig (20%), Frigoestrela (12,5%), Minerva (10%), others (13,5%)	
	Slaughterhouses (sourcing from the municipality)	10 different slaughterhouses sourced cattle from São Félix do Araguaia (MT) in 2019, e.g.: 3 owned by JBS (Água Boa, Barra do Garças, Confresa, all in MT), 1 by Marfrig (Nova Xavantina - MT), 1 by Minerva (Paranatinga - MT)	
	Supply chain links & details:	Directly supplied cattle to 1 Marfrig slaughterhouse (Nova Xavantina - MT) in 2018. Indirectly supplied cattle to 2 JBS slaughterhouses (Barra do Garças and Água Boa - MT) in 2018 and 2019 through Fazenda Santa Helena de Água Boa (Água Boa - MT), Fazenda Caimbe (Primavera do Leste - MT), and through a property owned by Leandro Pinto da Silva (Água Boa - MT). Indirectly supplied Minerva (Paranatinga - MT) in 2019 also through Fazenda Caimbe (Primavera do Leste - MT)	
Other supply chain links and details:	-		

General comments

In 2009, Mario Quirino was prosecuted by the Public Prosecutors Office for illegal deforestation of 5,300 ha in São Félix do Xingu (MT) (1). In 2013, the boundaries of the Fazenda Vale do Boi were contested in court. Mario Quirino da Silveira obtained a favourable decision for the repossession of the invaded area. The decision from 2014 also provided for the payment of R\$1.3 million as damages for the wood removed from the property (2). The property Fazenda Vale do Boi is inside the area of Fazenda Suiá Missú (3), a large public property with land tenure titles back from the 1960s. Part of the farm area was recognized as an Indigenous Territory and part was divided into smaller properties. The process for the recognition of the Marãiwatsédé Indigenous Territory began in 1998 and was only concluded in 2014 (4).

(1) <https://www.conjur.com.br/2009-jun-09/governo-ajuizar-75-aco-es-supostos-desmatadores-amazonia>

(2) <https://www.jusbrasil.com.br/jurisprudencia/tj-mt/364968263/inteiro-teor-364968276> (Process number: 0000231-33.1999.8.11.0017)

(3) <https://www.jusbrasil.com.br/jurisprudencia/tj-mt/1155771998/inteiro-teor-1155772027>

(4) <https://www.mpf.mp.br/mt/sala-de-imprensa/noticias-mt/invasores-sao-retirados-da-terra-indigena-maraiwatsede-4> / <https://noticias.uol.com.br/comprova/ultimas-noticias/2022/09/02/retirada-de-produtores-de-arroz-de-terras-indigenas-nao-foi-ordem-de-lula.htm>