Sustainability and the Brazilian Vegetable Oil and Crushing Industry





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Sectoral Sustainability Programs: Abiove



1. Amazon Moratorium – 13 years



- 2. Soya Plus 8 years
- Soja Plus
- 3. Pará State Green Grains Protocol 4 years





4. Used cooking oil Recycle program- 6 years



5. PET oil bottles Recycle Program – 5 years



6. Cerrado Working Group – GTC – 2 years



The Amazon biome territory





A few facts about the Amazon biome (408 Mha or 48% of Brazil)

- √ 4,8 Mha of soybeans, which represent
- ✓ 1.18% of the Amazon biome
- √ 13.4% of the Brazilian soybean planted area
- √ 98.6% of soybean expansion occurred in already cleared areas

The Cerrado biome territory



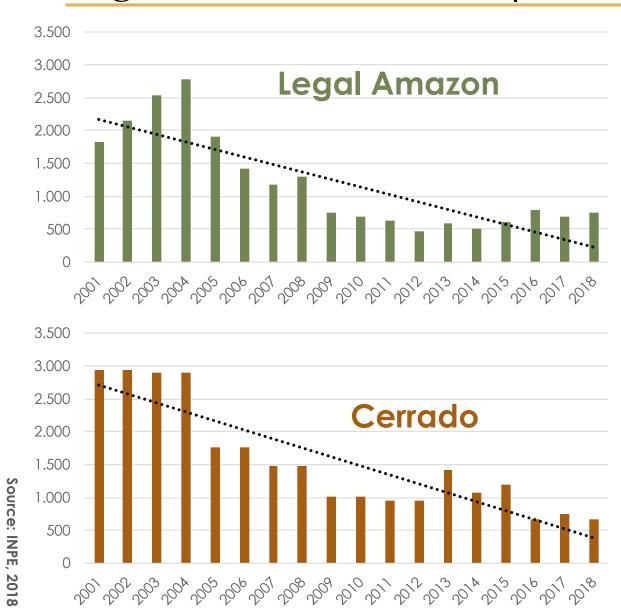


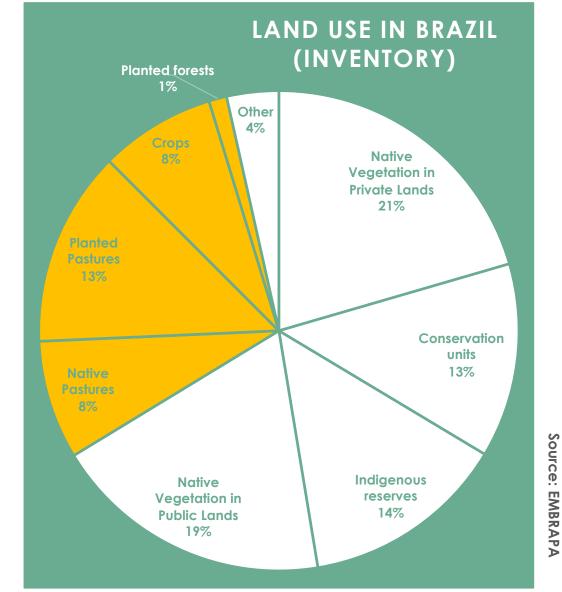
A few facts about the Cerrado (204 Mha or 24% of Brazil)

- √ 18 Mha of soybeans planted
- √ 50% of the Brazilian soybean planted area.
- √ 8% of the Cerrado biome planted with soy
- √ 93% of soybean expansion in 2018 occurred in already cleared areas

Legal Amazon and Cerrado | annual rates of deforestation







Soybean area expansion in the Cerrado 2001 - 2017









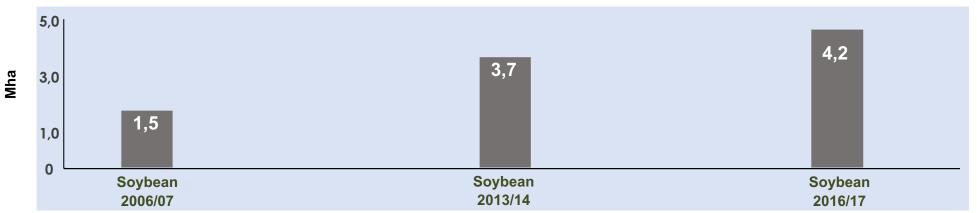


Source: Agrosatélite, 2018

Soybean area expansion in the Amazon 2008 - 2017



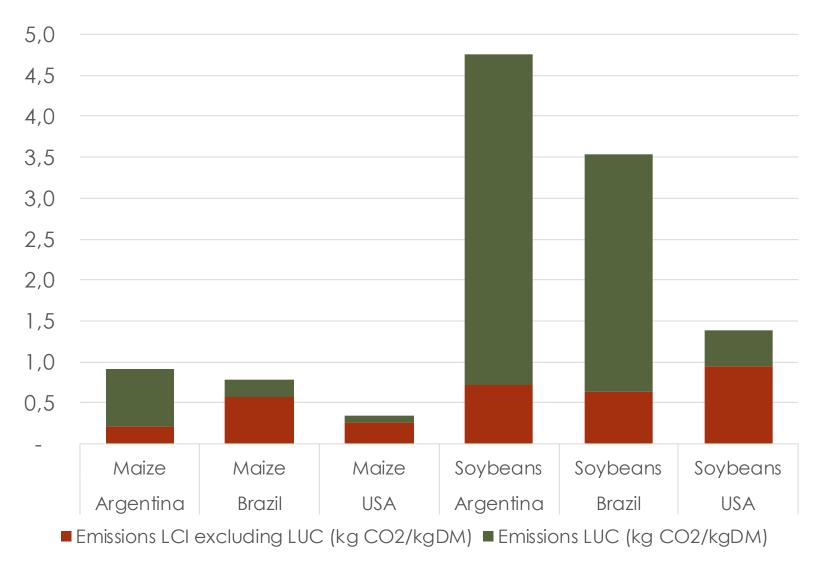




Emissions LEAP (kg CO2eq/kg dry matter yr)



- Land use GEE emissions are that high in Brasil because 20 years of land conversion is allocated into soybean shoulders.
- The 20 years assumption must be revised because it does not reflect the current reality.
- Brazilian soybean land use emissions calculated by LEAP models are not accurate.



*LCI data from www.fao.org/partnerships/leap/database/ghg-crops/en/ - accessed in Feb, 2019