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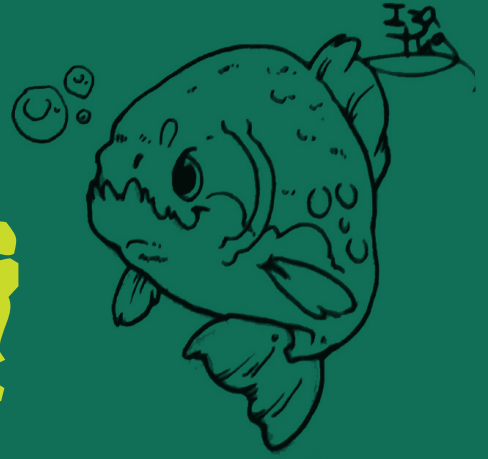
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COLORING LIFE AND PROTECTING NATURE



The year 2020 brought tremendous challenges. One of the biggest has been facing the COVID-19 pandemic. With the need for social distancing, many families are divided, others face difficulties to support themselves or coexist in small spaces.

Away from schools, our children are at home, dreaming of the moment that they can go back to playing outside. It was with the kids in mind that we prepared this coloring book with animals of the Amazon. Now, you can color the outside together, and learn about this gigantic forest.

Did you know that the Amazon is the largest tropical rainforest in the world, and that it has the largest variety of terrestrial animals on the planet? In this collection, delicately crafted by designer Iza Pug, with texts by the biologist Vinícius de Paula, you will get to know the harpy eagle, the bush dog, the pink dolphin, and even animals that have just been discovered by science! We need to protect all these species from deforestation, which today is the main threat to the Amazon and to the animals that live there.

We hope that our forests are protected so that all these incredible animals can thrive.

Learn more at: [greenpeace.org/brasil/proteger-o-desconhecido](https://www.greenpeace.org/brasil/proteger-o-desconhecido)

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TITI MONKEY

This little monkey was discovered in 2014 and only exists at a very specific point in the middle of the Amazon Rainforest. It is also known as *Zogue-zogue-rabo-de-fogo* (Zogue-zogue-firetail), because of the orange color of its tail. Because it lives exclusively in the treetops, deforestation is a great risk for this species.

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ICAMIABA TREE FROG AND MAPINGUARI CLOWN TREE FROG

These two amphibians were recent scientific discoveries in the Amazon. The Icambiaba Tree Frog, for example, was identified in 2018 and earned its name in honor of the legendary tribes of warrior women of the forest, known as the Amazonas or Icamiaba. Due to their "warrior" nature, this is a type of "gladiator frog," which is equipped with thorns on its legs.

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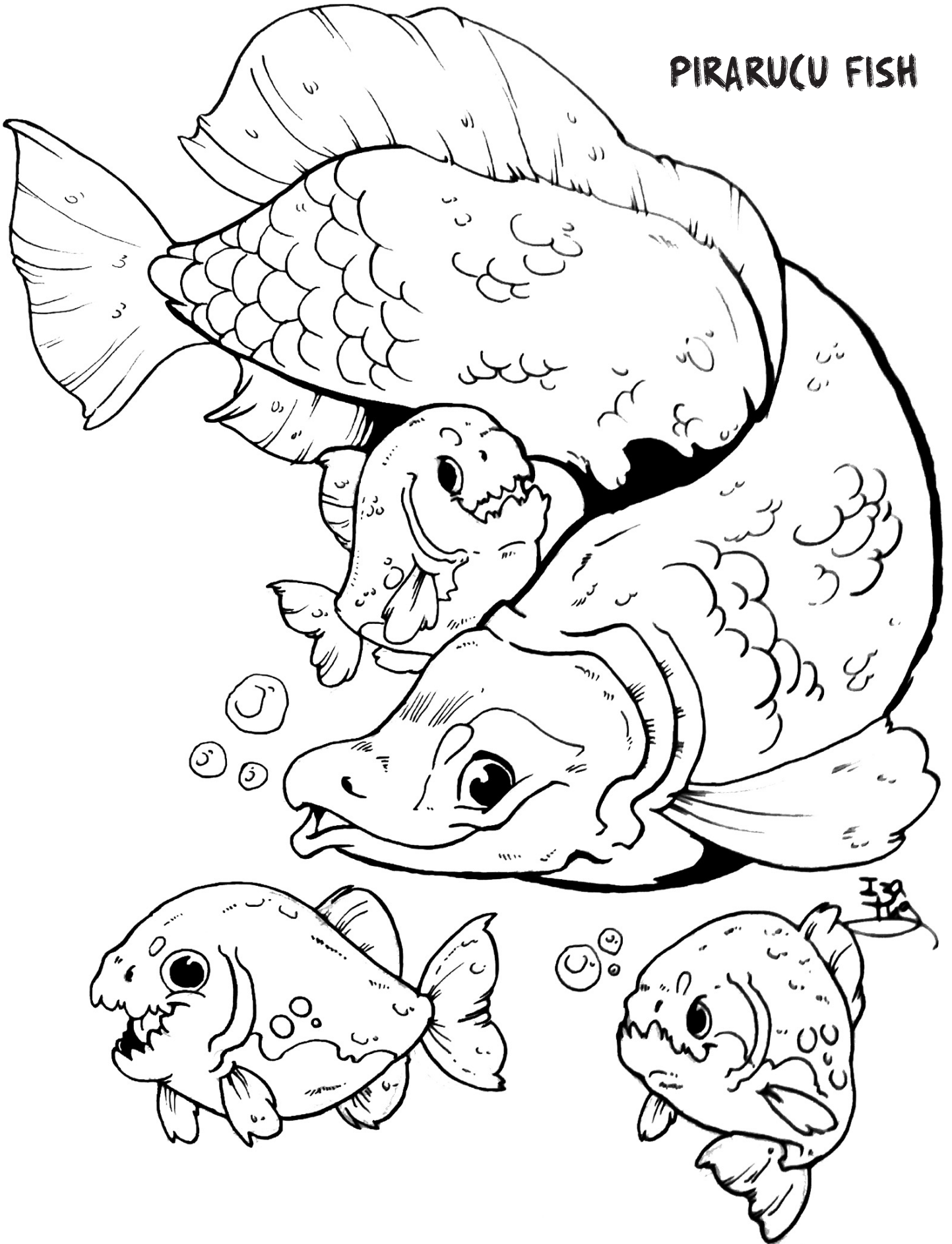
BROAD-SNOUDED CAIMAN



From the genus crocodylians, which includes alligators, crocodiles, and gharials, caimans have been here since the time of the dinosaurs and have changed little since then. Like other reptiles, the caimans depend on the temperature of the environment to stay warm, so it is common to see these folks at the edge of rivers and lakes taking in some sun.
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PIRARUCU FISH



A giant of the Amazon waters, the Pirarucu can reach 3 meters in length, being the largest freshwater fish in Brazil and one of the largest in the world. The name "Pirarucu" comes from the Tupi-Guarani language, where "pirá" means "fish", together with the word "urucum", which is a red-colored seed, like the fish.
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GREEN ANACONDA



The largest of all snakes on our planet, measuring up to 8 meters in length and can exceed the 100kg mark. The eyes of this species are on top of its head, different from other snakes because it spends most of its life in water or close to water, the eyes being on top help it see out of the water.

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The toucan's huge beak ranges from fluorescent orange to the most beautiful shades of green, black, and even blue, depending on the species. The toucan's long beak gives it greater precision when picking up its food, but they don't just eat fruit, you know? They also hunt small insects and even eggs.

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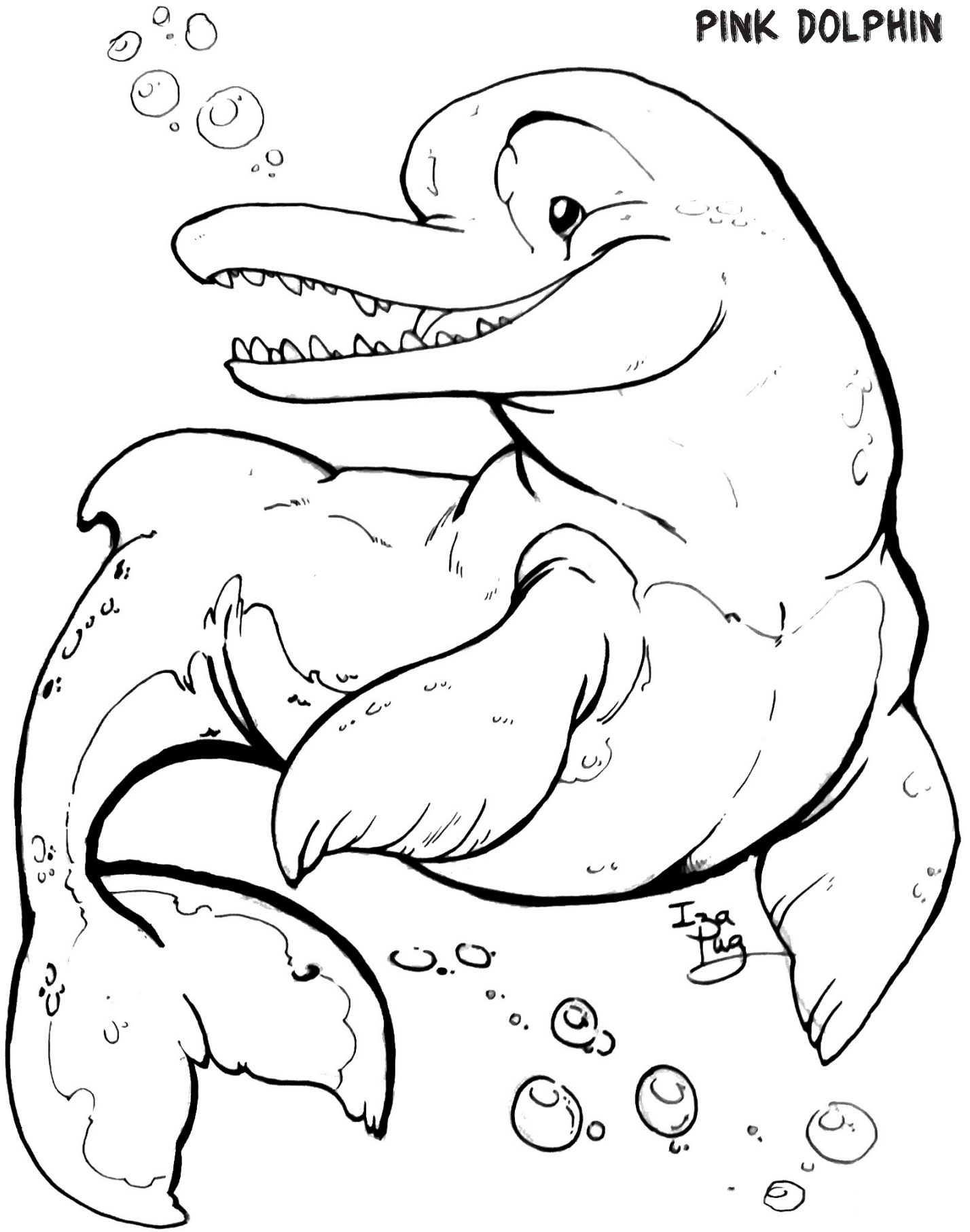


BRAZILIAN MANATEE

The Brazilian manatee is a heavyweight aquatic mammal! They can reach 3 meters in length and weight almost half a ton. They are not only found in freshwater. There are saltwater species scattered around the world as well.
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PINK DOLPHIN



These extremely intelligent aquatic mammals are the fishing experts of the "igapós" (the flooded forests of the Amazon). They are the only species of dolphin capable of touching the tip of its nose to its tail, making it flexible enough to catch fish that swim fast between the branches of the submerged trees.

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MACAW



Known as “love birds,” macaws spend their entire lives (up to 40 or 50 years) with the same partner. They always fly as families in search of food. Its beak is the strongest among all species of parrots, capable of breaking open super-hard fruits very easily.

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BUSH DOG



Also called "januara" in the Amazon region, these folks are excellent swimmers, managing to swim and even dive very easily. It is also the smallest species of wild canid that we have in Brazil, measuring 30 centimeters and weighing 6 kg.
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MARGAY



With their tail longer than their hind limbs to guarantee perfect balance, these cats are able to walk on thin branches in tall trees and jump! Like all cats, the margay is a predator extremely adapted to the conditions of its environment.

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TAPIR



The tapir is the largest terrestrial mammal in Brazil, reaching 2 meters in length and up to 300kg. These little folks here contribute a lot to the reproduction of native fruit trees, spreading around the seeds in their feces after eating. The calves are brown and full of white spots, but they change color when they become adults.

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JAGUAR



These huge, heavy animals are sneaky hunters, very agile, both on land and in water, and even on top of trees. It is difficult to spot these animals as they are very good at camouflage, but it is not uncommon to find their closest relative, the “suçuarana” or “puma” roaming the forests.

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HARPY EAGLE



The harpy eagle is the queen of the Amazon sky. Nothing can escape from an eagle that has a 2.5m wingspan and, despite its size, can fly with precision in the middle of the forest to hunt its prey, among them monkeys and sloths. They are the largest birds of prey in Brazil and the second-largest in the world.

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is an illustrator and comic artist. She lives in Campinas, São Paulo, and is known on social networks as IzaPug. Since childhood, Iza has always loved drawing animals and creating charismatic characters, which hasn't changed much now that she is an adult, as drawing amazing animals and incredible creatures will always be her inspiration.

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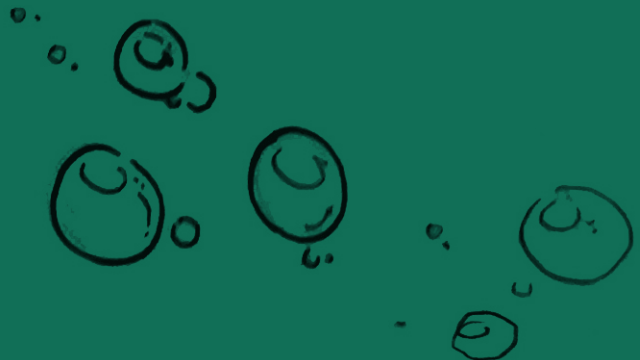
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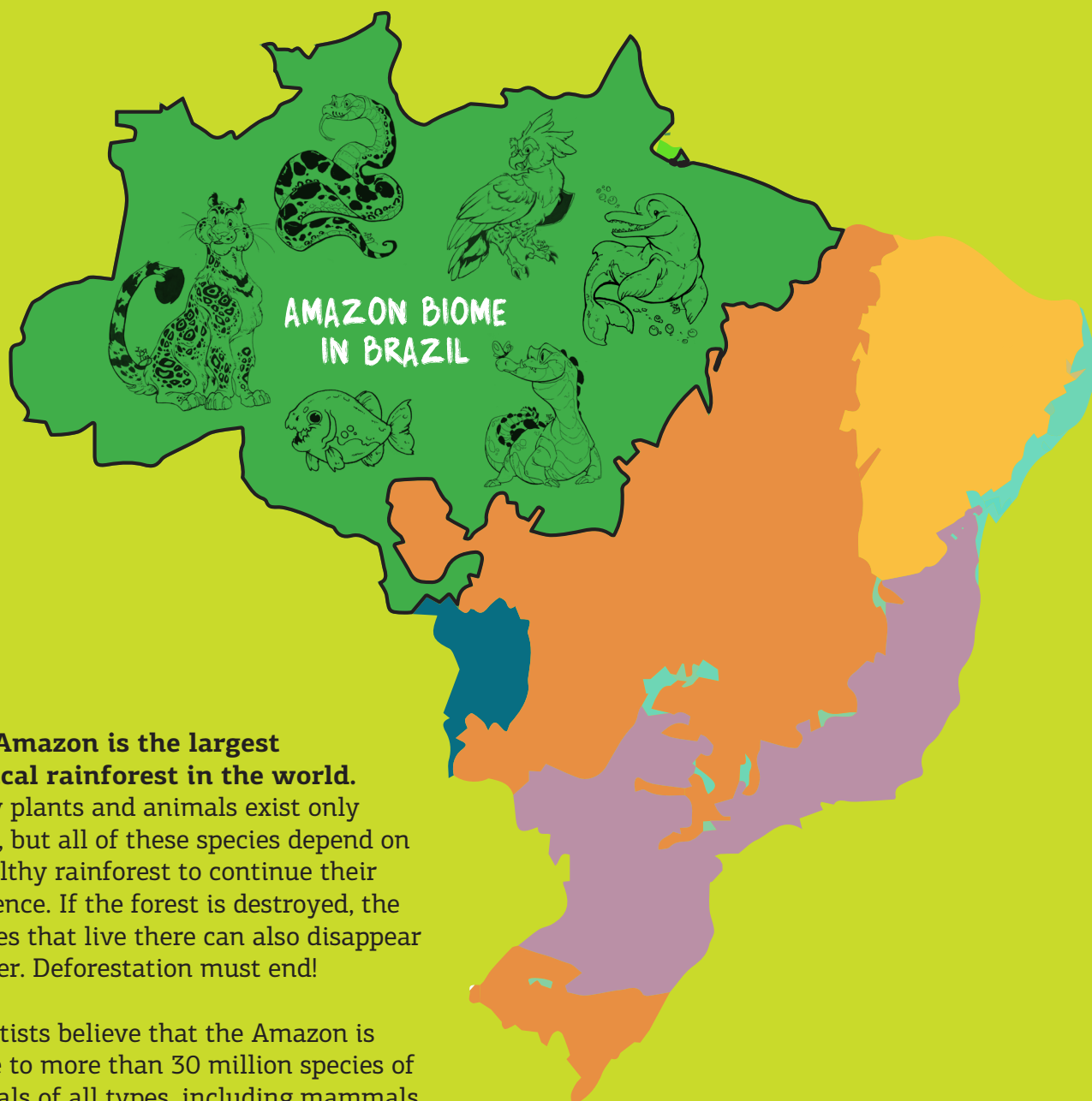
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AMAZON



The Amazon is the largest tropical rainforest in the world. Many plants and animals exist only there, but all of these species depend on a healthy rainforest to continue their existence. If the forest is destroyed, the species that live there can also disappear forever. Deforestation must end!

Scientists believe that the Amazon is home to more than 30 million species of animals of all types, including mammals, reptiles, fish, and insects, and there are many we still haven't identified!

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