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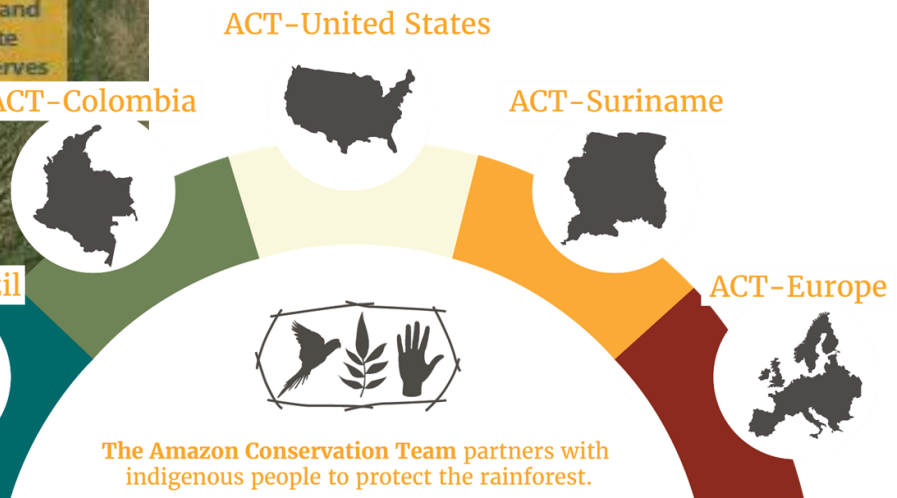
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Transmission
of Living Cultural Heritage

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May, 2019

ACT IN THE AMAZON AND ABROAD



ACT's MISSION & GOALS



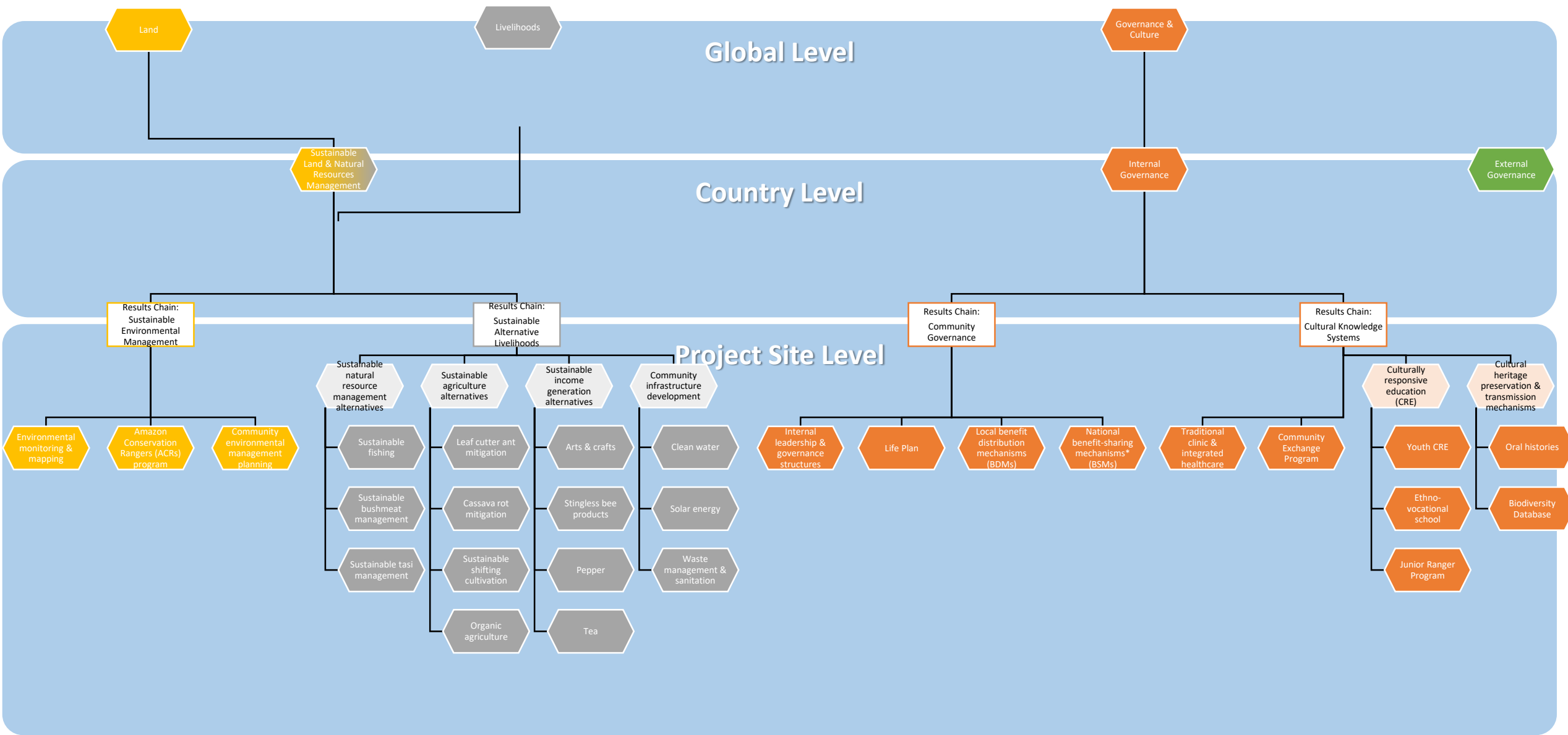
- The Amazon Conservation Team Suriname partners with indigenous and tribal communities to protect tropical forests and strengthen traditional culture.

Conservation Goal & Human Wellbeing Goal

The forest ecosystem is healthy and robust.

The communities enjoy their desired state of well-being.

ACT SURINAME: STRATEGY ROLL-UP

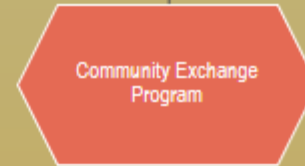




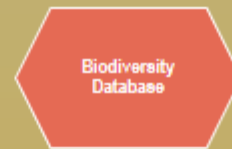
Project Site/Village Level

Results Chain:
Cultural Knowledge Systems

ATEGY



BY



ATEGY



- Existing Work Areas
- Work Areas Expansion 2019
- Protected Area
- Indigenous Reserve



WORK AREAS IN SURINAME

- Indigenous and tribal communities





ON-THE-GROUND REALITIES/CHALLENGES



- Accessibility: Land/Water/Air
- # Indigenous and Tribal Communities Communication
- Formal education: poor
- Fragile Local Governance & Negotiation capacity
- Limited Opportunities for Income generation
- Unsustainable Resource Use /harvesting (Wildlife Trade/Mining/ Forest Products/Logging)
- Land Rights: None





PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE LAND AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

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Improve the familial economy and livelihood conditions within our partner communities-including their nutritional, material, water, energy, and financial security-through environmentally and socially sustainable means



STRENGTHEN COMMUNITIES INTERNAL GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONS

Increase self-determination of our partner communities

- Amazon Conservation Rangers
Monitoring & Mapping
Management & Planning





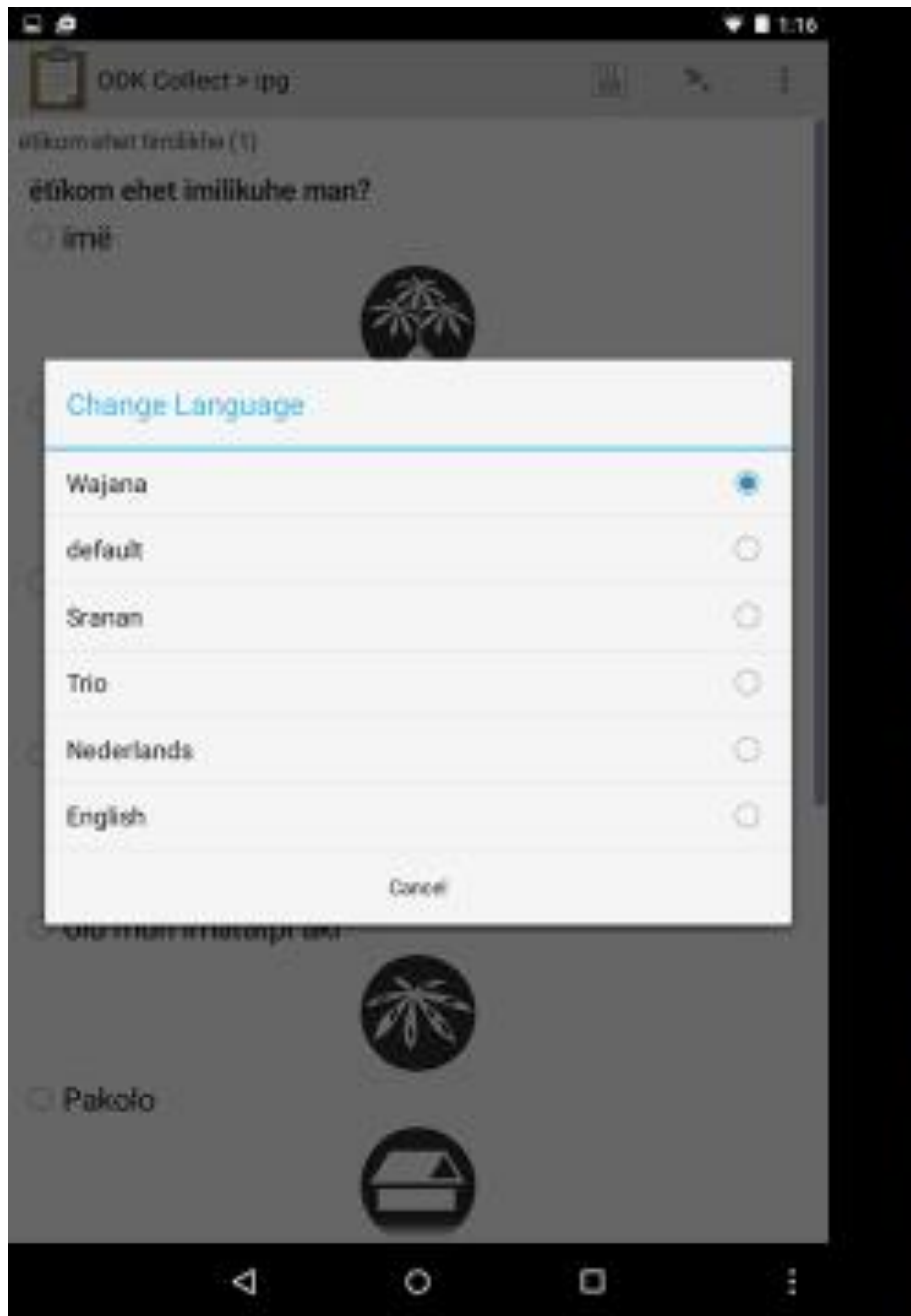
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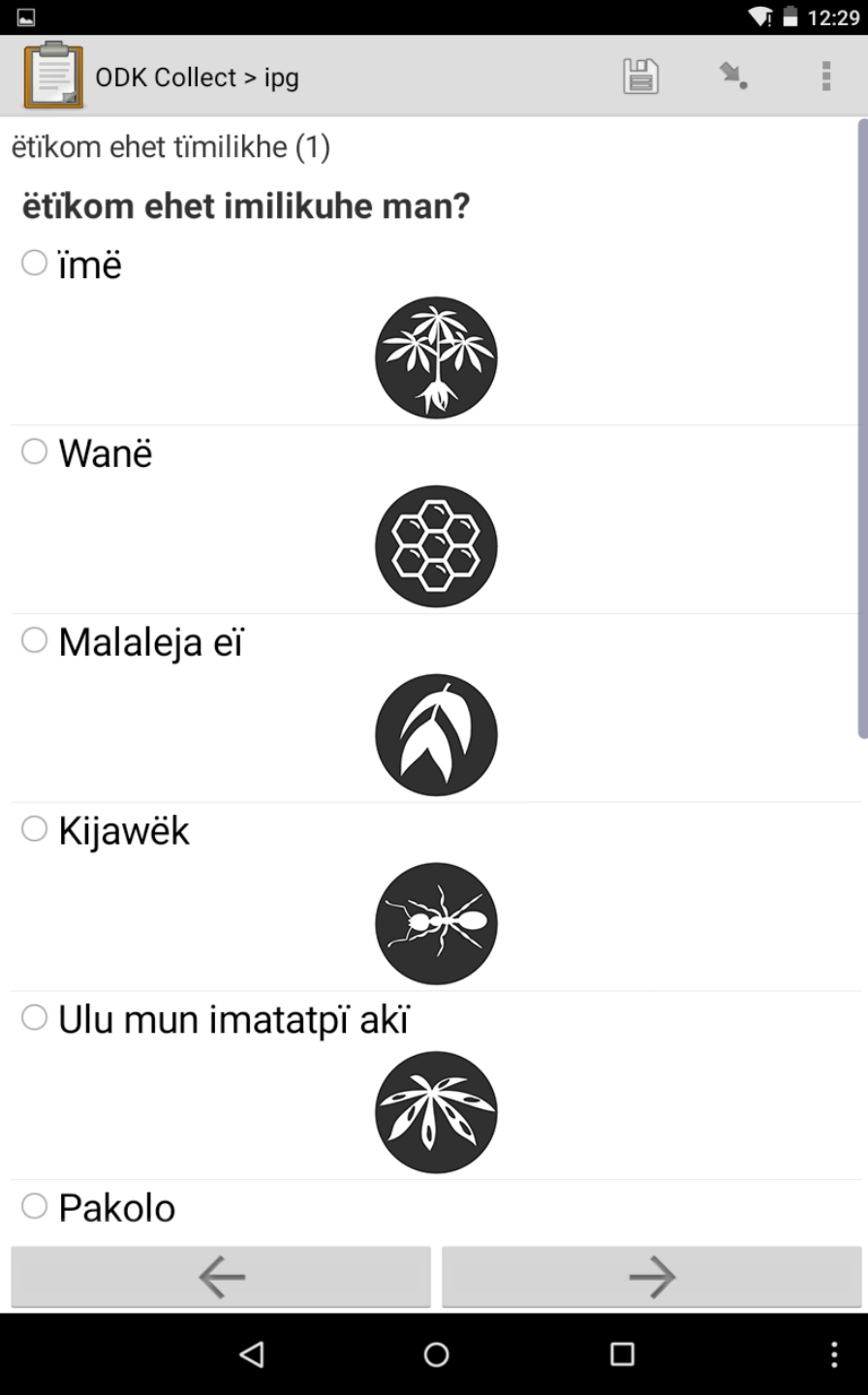
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LONG RELATIONSHIPS





MONITORING: OPEN DATA KIT (ODK)





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Sustainable fishing/hunting/use of forest products (tasi)

Sustainable agricultural practices

Sustainable income generation opportunities (arts& crafts/stingless bees/pepper/tea)



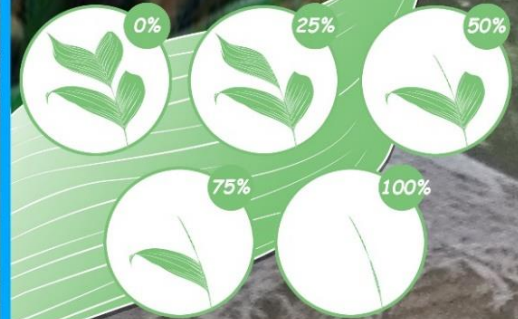
TASI (*GEONOMA BACILUFERA*)





VOORLOPIGE RESULTATEN
ONDERZOEK VAN TASI

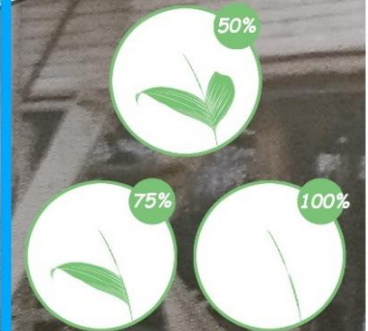
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HET VERWIJDEREN VAN EEN
PERCENTAGE BLADEREN VAN 3 PLOTJES



2016



BIJ HET
VERWIJDEREN
VAN MEER
DAN 50%
BLADEREN
KRIJG JE
BIJ DE
VOLGENDE
OOGST
KLEINE EN
DUNNE
BLADEREN

ADVIES

VAN ELK PLANT MINDER
DAN DE HELFT OOGSTEN

SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES



INCOME GENERATION ALTERNATIVES
ARTS & CRAFTS



INCOME GENERATION ALTERNATIVES

HERBAL TEA, PEPPER, HONEY





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Transmission of living Cultural Knowledge

TRADITIONAL CLINICS



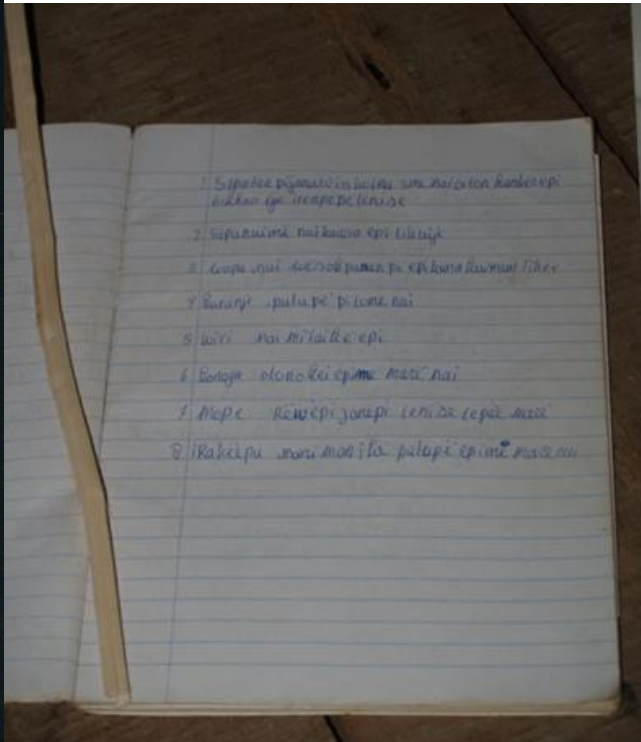
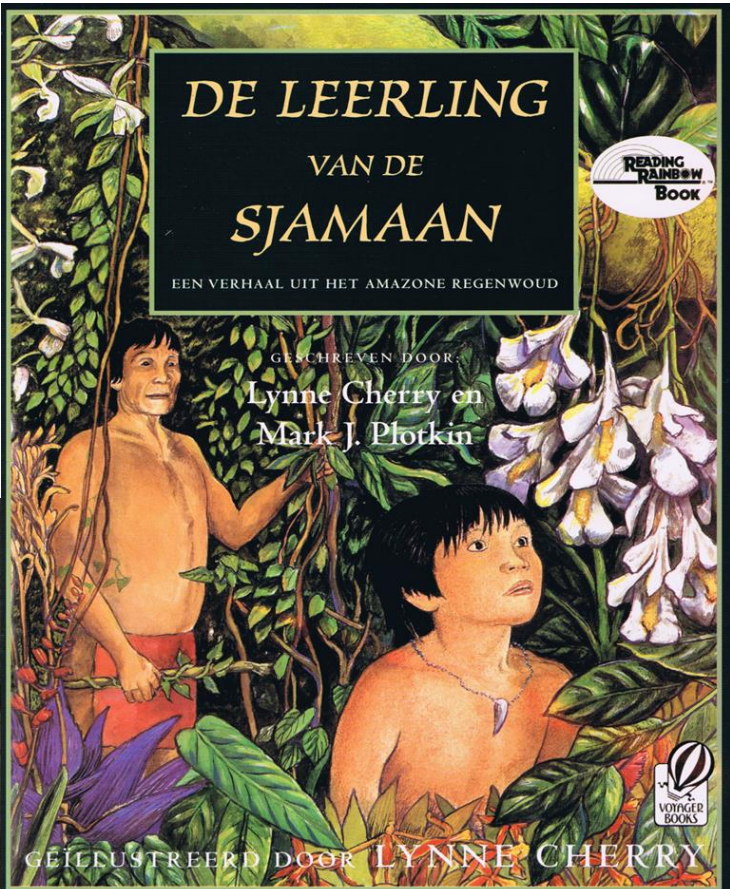
INTERCULTURAL EXCHANGES





CULTURALLY RESPONSIVE EDUCATION

- Culturally Responsive Education Materials
- Traditional Schools

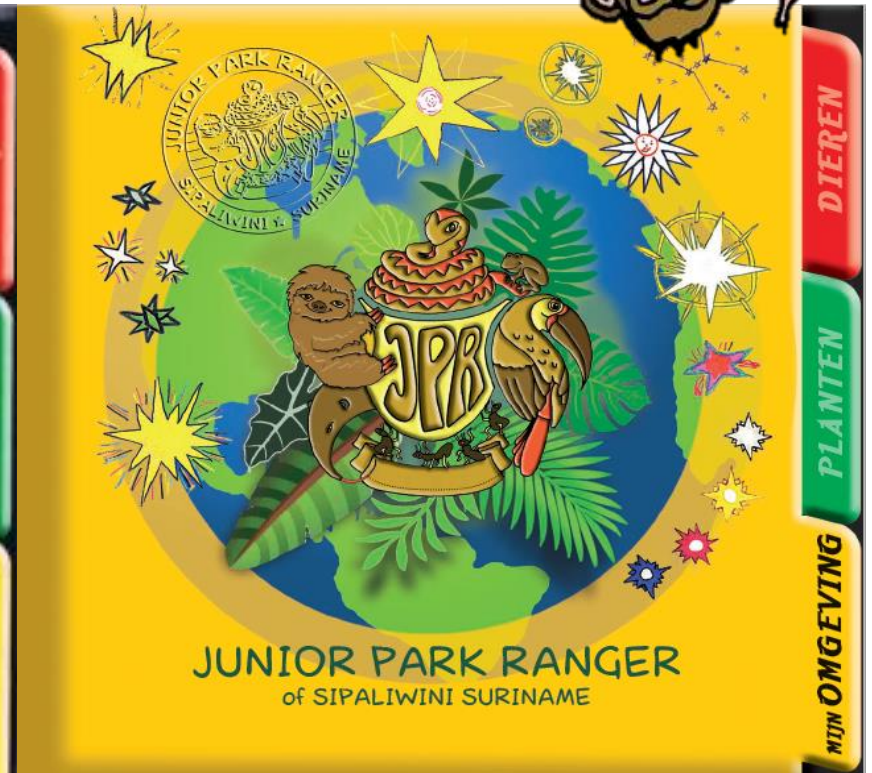
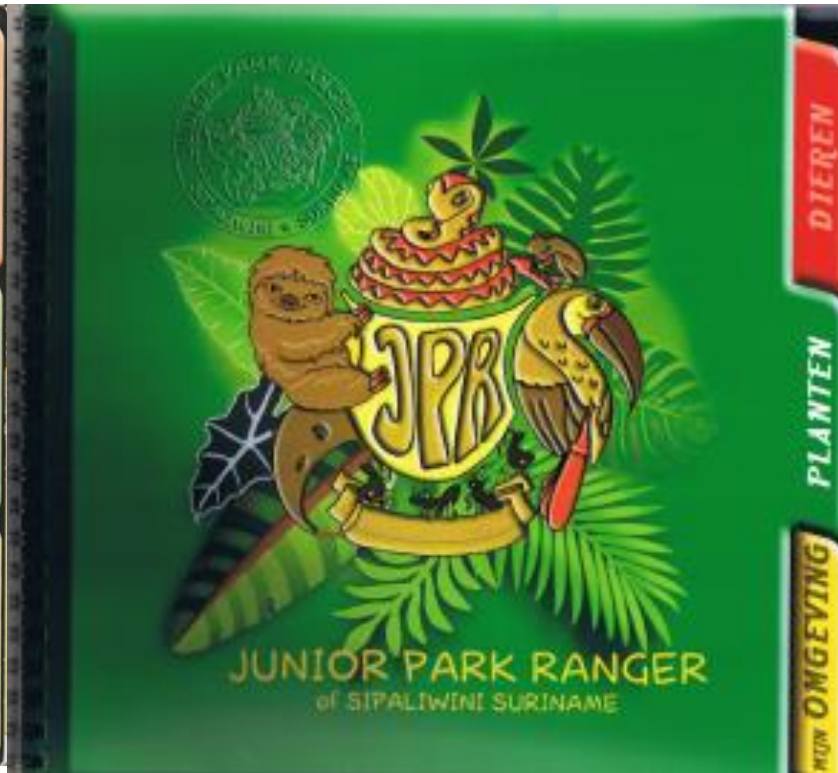
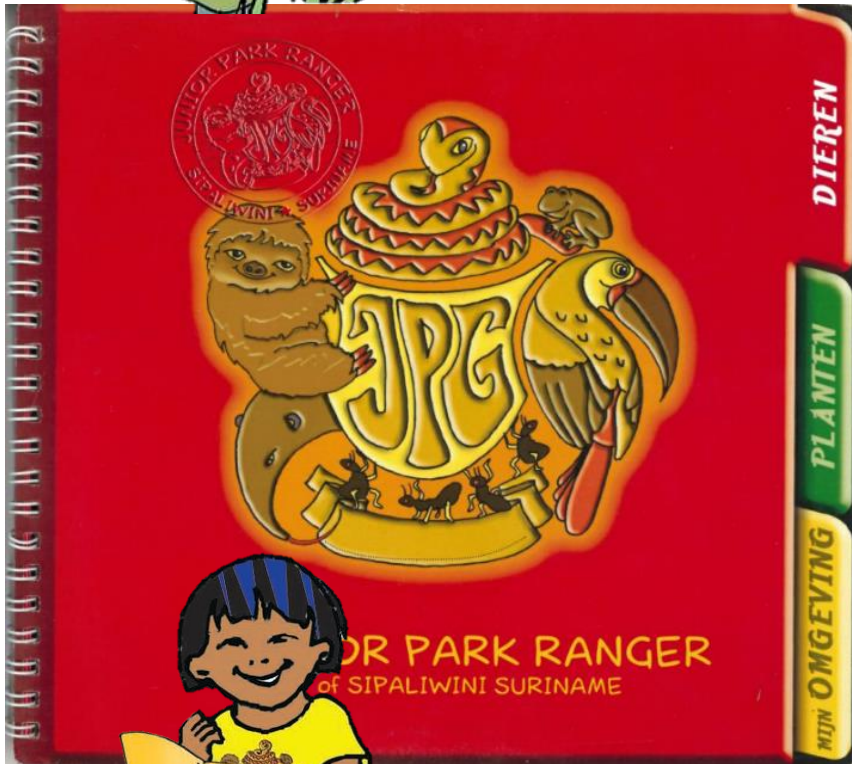
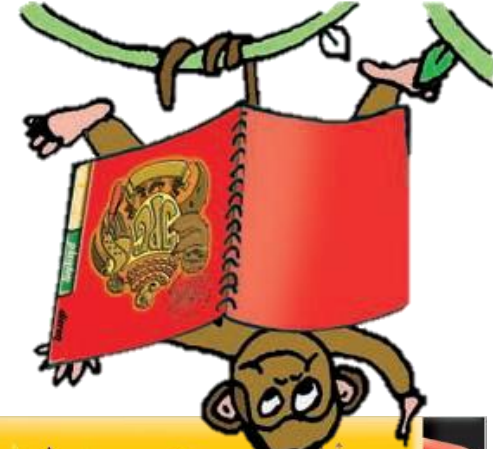


TRADITIONAL SCHOOLS





Junior Park Rangers: Culture + Curriculum



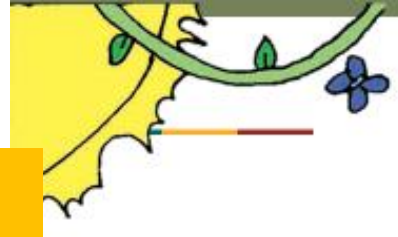
Gebruiksvoorwerpen

Voorwerpen gemaakt van bosproducten: niet duur!



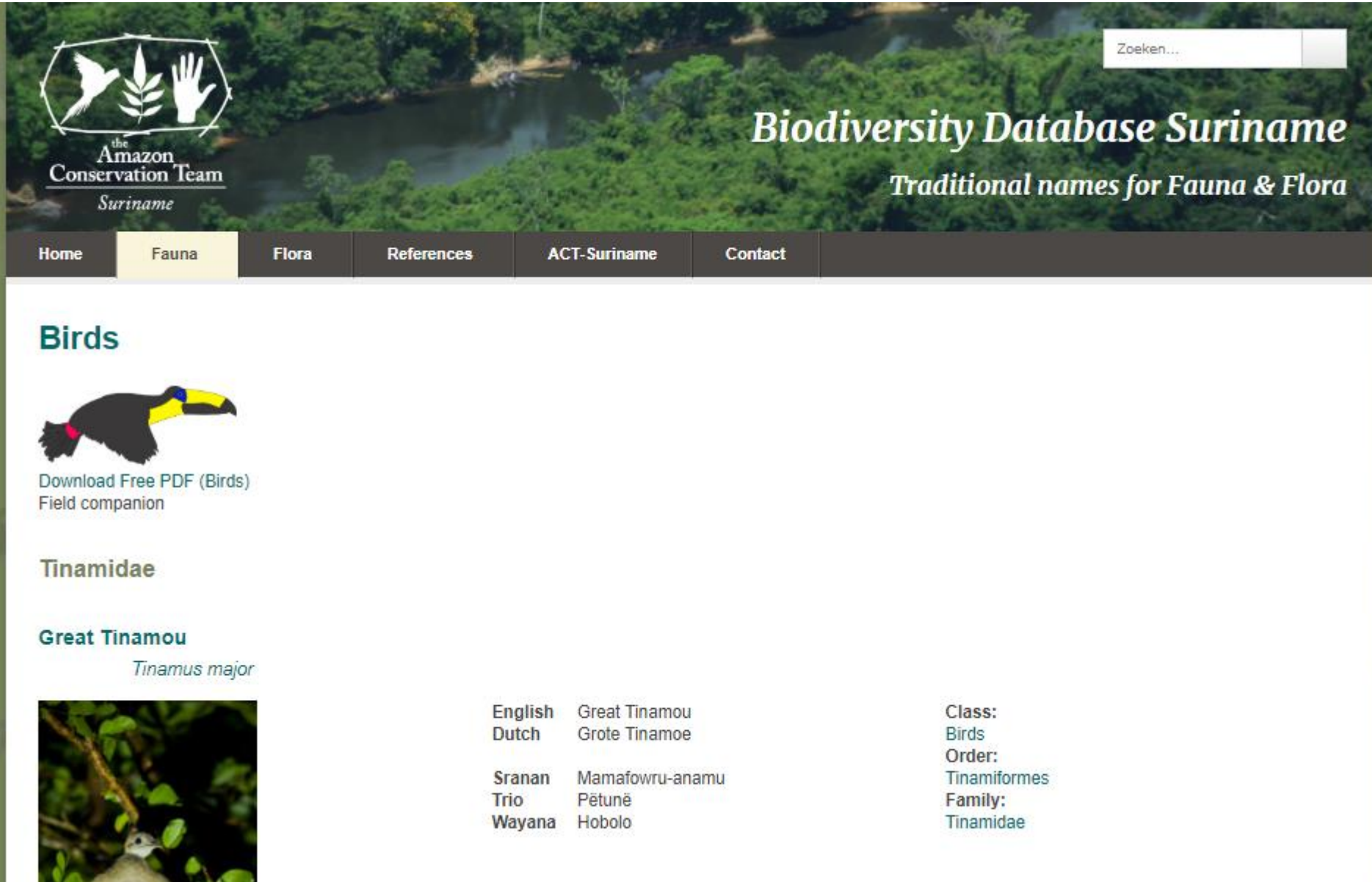
katoen

warimbo




WAPONO PAKORO
 Een beeld van de traditionele bouwkunst van de Trio en Wayana in het zuiden van Suriname

TRANSMISSION MECHANISMS



The screenshot shows the website interface for the Biodiversity Database Suriname. At the top, there is a search bar with the text "Zoeken...". The main header features the logo of "the Amazon Conservation Team Suriname" on the left and the title "Biodiversity Database Suriname" with the subtitle "Traditional names for Fauna & Flora" on the right. A navigation menu below the header includes links for Home, Fauna, Flora, References, ACT-Suriname, and Contact. The "Fauna" link is highlighted.

Birds

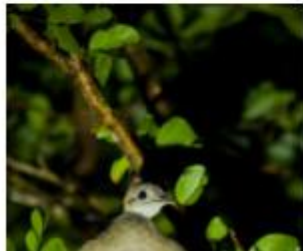


Download Free PDF (Birds)
Field companion

Tinamidae

Great Tinamou

Tinamus major



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|---------|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| English | Great Tinamou | Class: Birds |
| Dutch | Grote Tinamoe | |
| Sranan | Mamafowru-anamu | Order: Tinamiformes |
| Trio | Pëtunë | |
| Wayana | Hobolo | Family: Tinamidae |



TRANSMISSION MECHANISM: ORAL HISTORY

MATAWAI ORAL HISTORIES BY THE NUMBERS...

700 place names mapped along **350** kilometers of the Saramacca river

300 oral histories recorded for **150** important places

35 elders interviewed producing **17** hours of audiovisual footage

1st comprehensive Matawai ancestral lands map,
and **1st** use of ACT's innovative Terrastories application



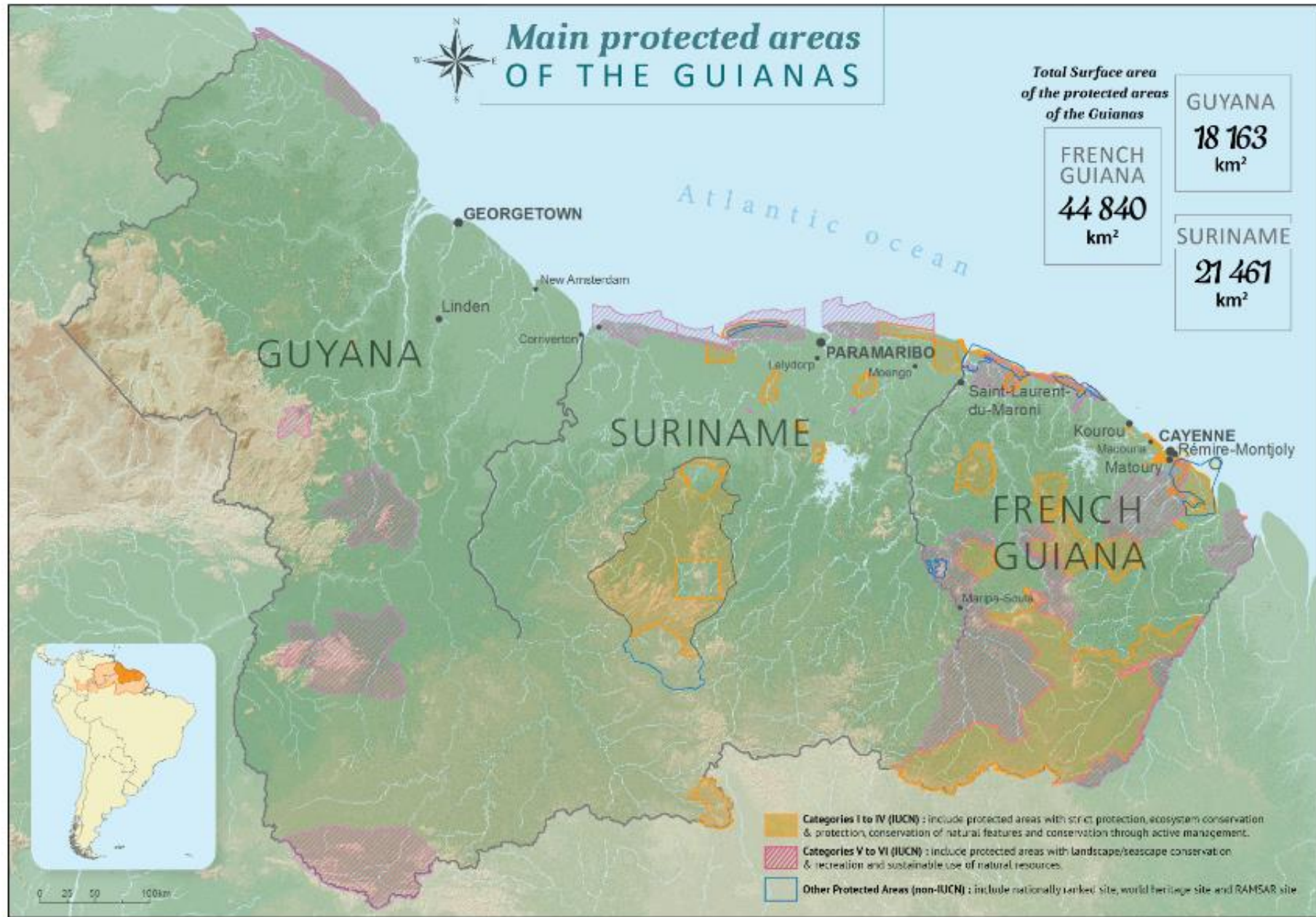
Main protected areas OF THE GUIANAS

Total Surface area
of the protected areas
of the Guianas

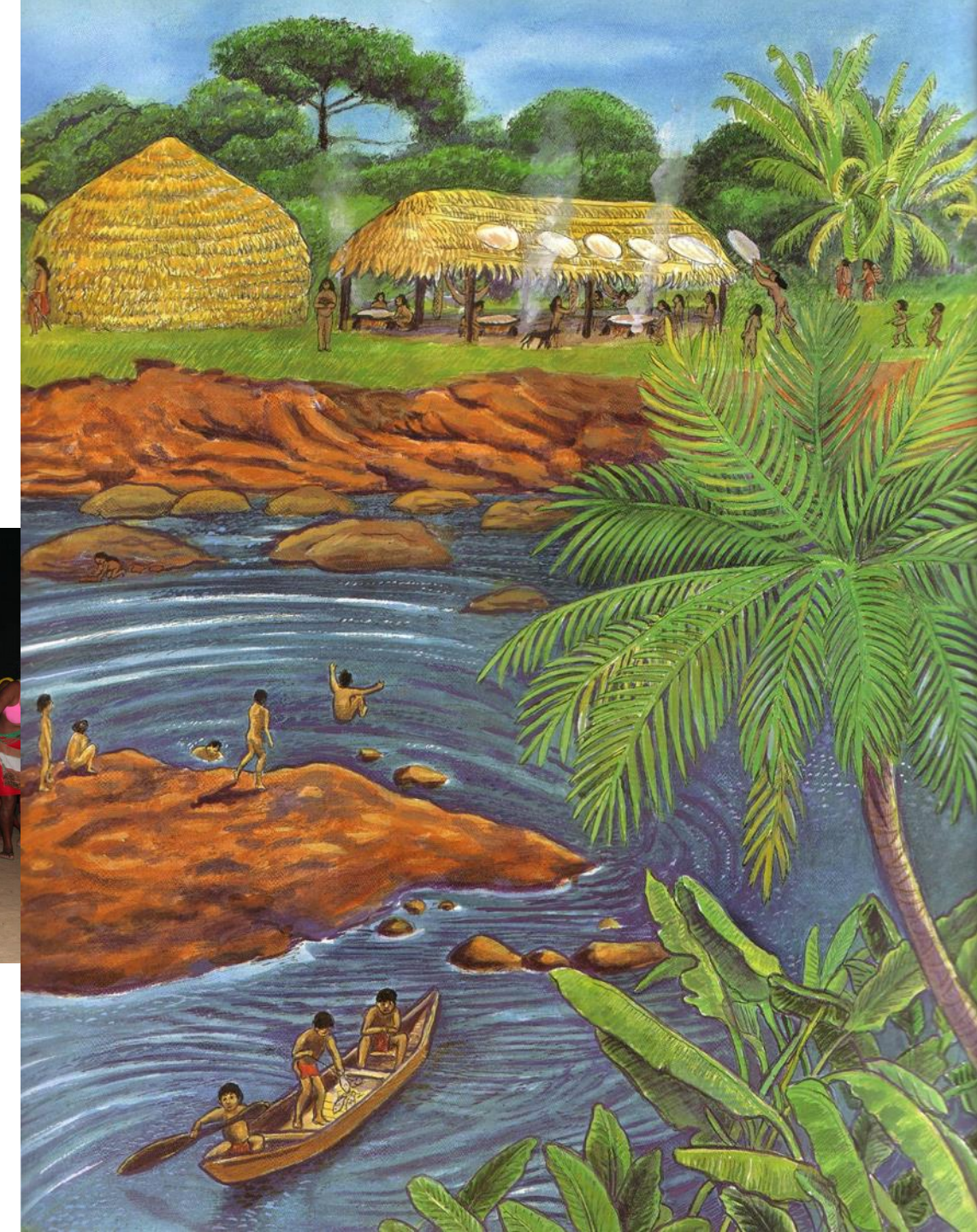
GUYANA
18 163
km²

FRENCH
GUIANA
44 840
km²

SURINAME
21 461
km²



- Categories I to IV (IUCN)** : include protected areas with strict protection, ecosystem conservation & protection, conservation of natural features and conservation through active management.
- Categories V to VI (IUCN)** : include protected areas with landscape/seascape conservation & recreation and sustainable use of natural resources.
- Other Protected Areas (non-IUCN)** : include nationally ranked site, world heritage site and RAMSAR site



PARTNERS

- National

Communities (Trio, Wayana, Matawaai)

Government of Suriname (MinOWC), ...

- International

Terrastories

- Expansion (future plans)

Guyana's: PAC, PAG

Other local communities (Saamaka, ...)

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