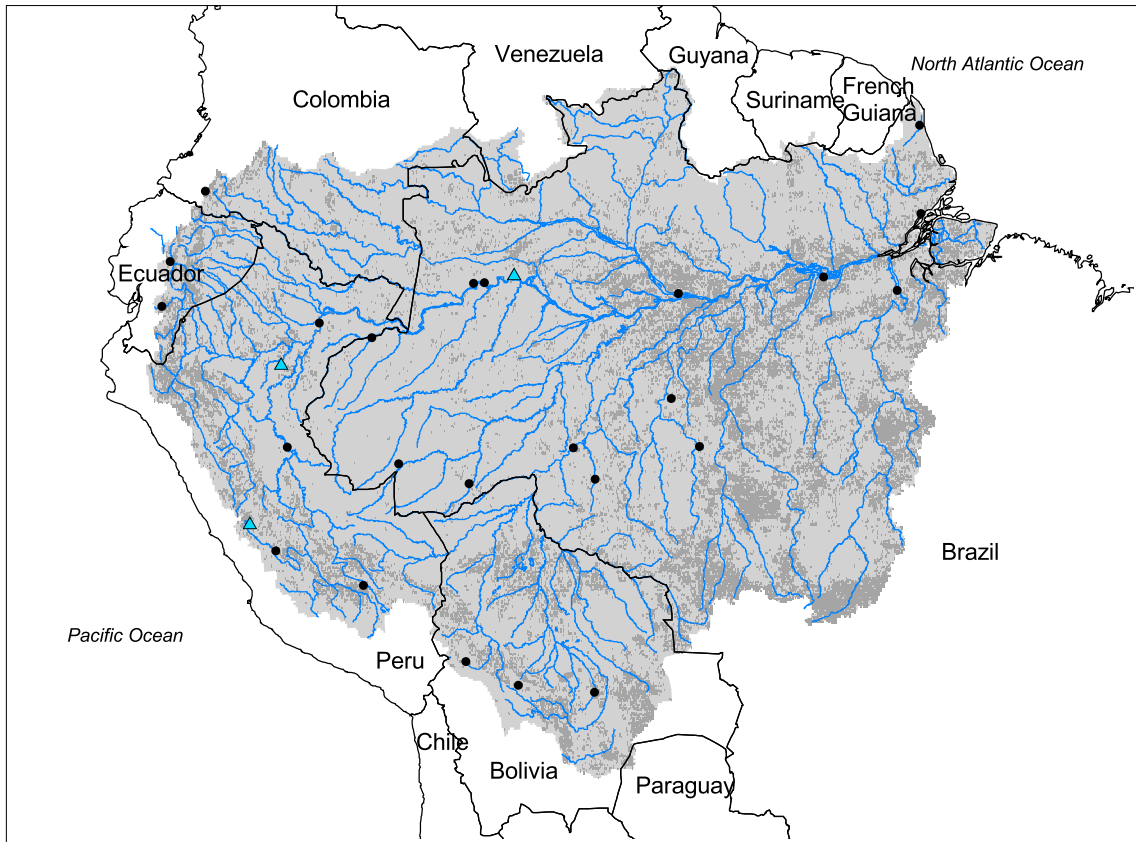


Amazon Watershed



- Watershed
- Cities (population > 100,000)
- ▲ Ramsar Sites
- Political Boundaries (Intl.)
- - - Political Boundaries (Natl.)
- Rivers
- Modified Landscape

300 0 300 600 900 1200 Kilometers

Basin area:	6,144,727 km ²	Forest:	73%
Population density:	4 people per km ²	Cropland:	15%
Urban growth rate:	3.5%	Cropland irrigated:	0%
Large cities:	24	Developed:	1%
Total fish species:	3000	Shrub:	2%
Fish endemics:	1800	Grassland:	8%
Threatened fish species:	0	Barren:	0%
Endemic bird areas:	24	Loss of original forest:	13%
Ramsar sites:	3	Deforestation rate:	5%
Protected areas:	7%	Eroded area:	1%
Wetlands:	8%	Large dams:	2
Arid:	4%	Planned major dams:	1

