



**PAIRI
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FOUNDATION**

IS SUPPORTING

A reforestation project
by the **Borneo Orangutan Survival Foundation.**

**TO RESTORE THE HABITAT
OF ORANGUTANS IN BORNEO**



Man of the **forest**

That's what the name "orangutan" means. The forest is his whole life: he spends most of his time in the trees, and feeds mainly on fruit.

57,000

This is the current population of orangutans in Borneo. It has decreased by more than 60% in 60 years! This species, for which the forests on the island of Borneo are its only habitat in the world, is in critical danger of extinction.

1,000,000
of hectares...

... of forest were reduced to ashes in Borneo during the 90s, in order to plant rice...which unfortunately did not grow! The planting of rice was quickly stopped, but the forest had been degraded for a long time.

AIM OF THE PROJECT :

- To replant the forest in this degraded region

Over 4,000 km...

... of drainage channels were constructed for the purposes of growing rice. The result today: dried-out lands...totally unlike the natural soil of this marshy forest!

AIM OF THE PROJECT :

- To restore the soil's natural moisture



HOW CAN WE **HELP**
THE **BORNEO**
ORANGUTANS
TO RECOVER
THEIR **PRECIOUS FOREST?**

Replant 11,000 trees

Select the most robust varieties, sow them in a tree nursery and then replant in the forest



Build 5 dams

Block a 2.5 km canal using wooden structures

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