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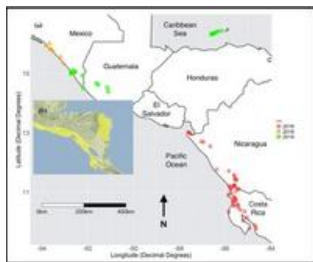
Yellow-Naped Amazons Need Our Help

Once common, the parrots have suffered large population declines from poaching and habitat loss throughout their range.



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- Yellow-naped amazons live in dry forest and mangrove habitat of Mesoamerica.
- They nest in large trees in cavities.



Range and roosts

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The Lost Tinamou

Poaching is killing parrot populations

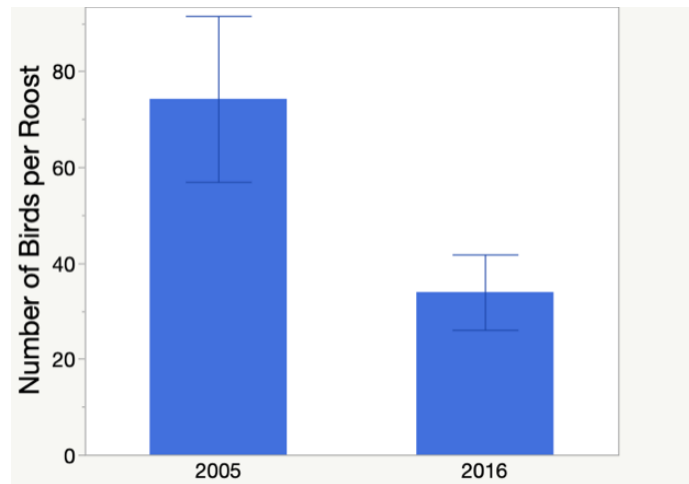


- National & International researchers found that ***MOST*** nests fail due to poaching
- Habitat loss and climate change is also hurting wild parrot populations

Yellow-naped amazons are now critically endangered!

- Yellow-naped amazons have lost >90% of their population across Mesoamerica in the past 12 years.
- Even Costa Rica has seen major population declines!

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Roost counts showing large declines in Costa Rica between 2005 & 2016

Can I Help?? Yes!

Be Aware!

Do not buy or own a pet parrot! Chicks are stolen from wild nests and directly lead to population declines.

Landowners

Landowners; you can protect parrots on your land!

- Leave large, old trees for parrots to nest in
- Plant a variety of trees, especially fruiting, flowering & legume trees
- Farmers; consider adding tree crops or tree windbreaks to your plantations (agroforestry)
- Ranchers; leave trees to benefit cattle & parrots (silvopasture)

Some countries PAY FOR TREES; you can help parrots & your wallet!

Costa Rica:

<https://www.fonafifo.go.cr/es/>

Guatemala:

<https://www.inab.gob.gt/index.php>

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