KEY FACTS ON BRAZILIAN SOCIAL INVESTMENT GIFE CENSUS 2014





OVERVIEW OF BRAZILIAN SOCIAL INVESTORS

PROFILE OF GIFE SURVEY RESPONDENTS



ORGANIZATION REVENUES CAME PRIMARILY FROM THEIR OWN RESOURCES AND SPONSOR COMPANY CONTRIBUTIONS



ABOUT THE SURVEY

GIFE connects Brazilian corporations and corporate, independent, family, and community associations and foundations using social investments for public benefit in Brazil. To better understand the characteristics of member organizations and their social investment priorities, GIFE conducts biannual surveys of its members. In 2015, 113 GIFE members (90 percent of the total membership at the time the survey was conducted) responded. This report highlights key findings from the survey. For the purpose of this analysis, data from community foundations have been grouped with responses from independent associations and foundations. All survey data, unless otherwise noted, refer to 2014 and are based on 113 responses. Funding amounts are reported in U.S. dollars.

SURVEY RESPONDENTS **PROVIDED \$1.3 BILLION IN 2014** \$2B \$20M \$1.5B \$15M \$1B \$10M \$500M \$5M 0 Ω 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 TOTAL VALUE OF INVESTMENTS MEAN VALUE

Combined with results from another important Brazilian survey focused solely on corporate social investments (BISC/Comunitas), total investment by Brazilian social investors amounted to \$1.7 billion.

MEDIAN INVESTMENTS WERE SIMILAR ACROSS DIFFERENT TYPES OF SOCIAL INVESTORS



OVERALL TOTAL INVESTMENT \$1.3 BILLION MEDIAN INVESTMENT \$2.6 MILLION

DID YOU KNOW?



Family Associations & Foundations represented a larger share of survey respondents in 2015 (17 percent) than in 2008 (7 percent).



U.S. foundations awarded \$60.1 billion in 2014. 92 percent of U.S. foundations are Independent & Family Foundations; 3 percent are Corporate Foundations.

79% OF ORGANIZATIONS SUPPORTED PROGRAMS IN THE SOUTHEAST REGION OF BRAZIL



NEARLY HALF OF SURVEY RESPONDENTS INVESTED MORE THAN \$2.5 MILLION



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Brazilian organizations investing more than \$21 million (12 percent of survey respondents) accounted for about 2/3 of total investments.

PRIORITIES

EDUCATION WAS THE PRIMARY ISSUE AREA ADDRESSED BY GIFE SURVEY RESPONDENTS



WHY DO SOCIAL INVESTORS SUPPORT CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS?

67%	They are able to implement programs in the particular context/region/priority areas of the respondent.	90% of corporations support civil society organizations because they implement programs in the corporations' context/region/priority areas.		
65%	They have legitimacy to act in the areas of interest of the respondent.	4%	They support groups that others are not serving.	
21%	They must be strengthened to ensure a plurality of actors in the social/political field.	1%	They tend to support causes that others are not willing to support.	
18%	They do good work and rely on third-party resources for sustainability.	11%	Respondents don't support or finance projects by civil society organizations.	

* Data on U.S. foundation are based on Foundation Center's research set, which includes all grants of \$10,000 or more reported by 1,000 of the largest U.S. foundations. The set represents approximately half of the total grant dollars awarded by the universe of independent, corporate, community, and grantmaking operating foundations in the U.S.

ONLY 18% OF SURVEY RESPONDENTS PRIMARILY FUND OTHER CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS



In the U.S., 96 percent of foundations primarily fund the projects of civil society organizations.

SURVEY RESPONDENTS WHO...

PRIMARILYIFUND OTHER CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS 36 percent of independent associations & foundations primarily fund other civil 0% 100% society organizations **PRIMARILY** RUN THEIR OWN PROGRAMS 45 percent of corporate associations & foundations primarily run their 100% 0% own programs RUN THEIR OWN PROGRAMS AND FUND OTHER CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS **60 percent** of corporations run their own programs AND fund other civil society 0% 100% organizations Corporate Associations Family Associations Independent Associations Corporations & Foundations & Foundations & Foundations **DID YOU KNOW?** Survey respondents are more likely to The primary issue areas among U.S. Social investors support civil society organizations foundation grants* to/for Brazil were: support the projects of other civil society in various ways, including funding to implement organizations in the areas of Health, Sports investors' projects, technical aid, and financially • Environment & Animals & Recreation, and Arts & Culture. supporting civil society organizations' own • Agriculture, Fishing, & Forestry

programs/operations.

U.S. foundation funding to Brazilian civil society organizations **increased 88 percent** from 2003 to 2013.*

Still, this is a small amount relative to direct funding by Brazilian social investors (\$323 million in 2014, or 25% of total investment).



Human Rights

GOVERNANCE & TRANSPARENCY

INSIDE DIRECTORS ACCOUNT FOR 45 PERCENT OF BOARD MEMBERSHIP



1 IN 4 BOARD MEMBERS IS FEMALE



FEMALE PARTICIPATION ON BOARDS DECREASES AS ORGANIZATIONAL INVESTMENT INCREASES

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>\$21M	16% <mark>84%</mark>		>\$21M	38%	62%
\$8.5–21M	21% 79%		\$8.5–21M	36%	64%
\$2.5-8.5M	23% 77%		\$2.5-8.5M	40%	60%
<\$2.5M	36%	64%	<\$2.5M	43%	57%

¹ Brazilian Institute of Corporate Governance (IBGC), *Report on Women in Management in Brazilian Companies*—2010 and 2011. ² Council on Foundations, data from *2015 Grantmakers Salary and Benefits Survey*.

EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDERS ARE LESS REPRESENTED ON DECISION-MAKING BODIES



SURVEY RESPONDENTS ARE MOST LIKELY TO PUBLICLY DISCLOSE INFORMATION ON GENERAL ACTIVITIES



DID YOU KNOW?



The median size of boards is 12.7. GIFE recommends that boards have between 5 and 11 directors.



Half of the survey respondents have an internal team dedicated exclusively to communications; 45 percent use the communications team of its sponsor company.



GIFE created a Transparency Panel, profiling the online transparency and accountability practices of Brazilian social investors.





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