

CLIMATE DETECTIVES 2020 — 2021



POLLUTING TRANSPORTS

Os Especialistas

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RESEARCH QUESTION

How the excessive use of non-electrical transports in a small area, which leads to air pollution in Corvo island

SUMMARY OF PROJECT

The local problem that we are presenting is the excessive use of non-electrical transports in a small area, which leads to air pollution. We chose to approach this theme because we are worried about air pollution as well as noise pollution caused by the excessive use of means of transportation. As an example, we can point out that in 15 days six new cars arrived to Corvo island. Having in mind the number of inhabitants and the means of transportation used on the island, we can state that some people own more than one car. By approaching this subject, we want to inform our community about the unnecessary cars and their consequences because if they continue using them in this way, they will cause more and more pollution, and the breathing air will be harmful for our health.

Day	Time	Place	Total of cars
08/04/2021	15:15 – 16:00	Rua Jogo da Bola	44
Thursday		Rotunda do Ribeirão	
10/04/2021	12:00 - 12.45	Rua Jogo da Bola	26
Saturday		Rotunda do Ribeirão	
24/04/2021	12:00 - 12.45	Rua Jogo da Bola	52
Saturday		Rotunda do Ribeirão	
29/04/2021	15:15 – 16:00	Rua Jogo da Bola	55
Thursday		Rotunda do Ribeirão	

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08/04/2021	15:15 – 16:00	Rua dos Moinhos	22
Thursday		Rotunda do Porto da Casa	
10/04/2021	12:00 - 12.45	Rua dos Moinhos	24
Saturday		Rotunda do Porto da Casa	
24/04/2021	12:00 - 12.45	Rua dos Moinhos	38
Saturday		Rotunda do Porto da Casa	
29/04/2021	15:15 – 16:00	Rua dos Moinhos	40
Thursday		Rotunda do Porto da Casa	

Figure 1:

MAIN RESULTS

In order to check the amount of vehicles circulating around our island, we chose two different spots at different times.

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Figure 2:

ACTIONS TO HELP LESSEN TO THE PROBLEM

The team will organize information sessions for the population.

Figure 3: