

USUAL SUSPECTS

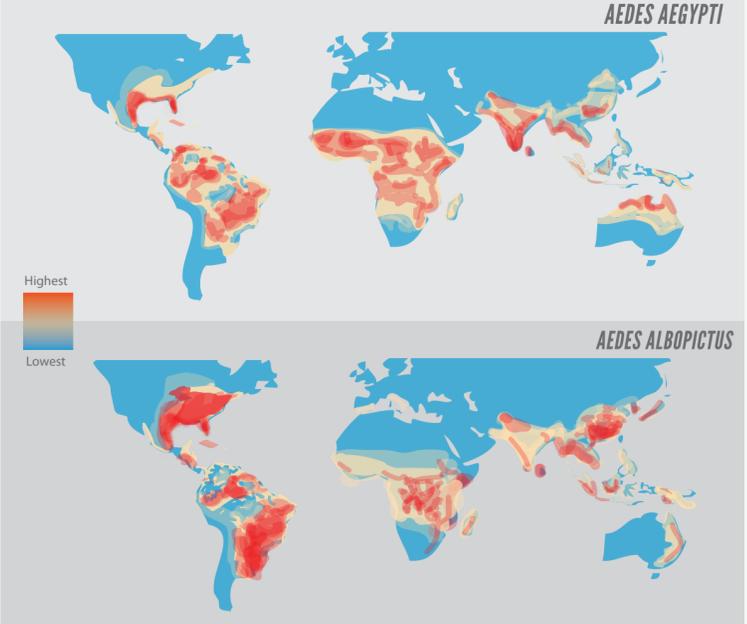
6 TINY VECTORS THAT REPRESENT A HUGE THREAT TO OUR HEALTH

#002A	AEDES AEGYPTI MOSQUITO	#002B	AEDES ALBOPICTUS MOSQUITO
AKA: "YELLOW FEVER MOSQUITO"	SIZE: 4-7mm	AKA: "ASIAN TIGER MOSQUITO"	SIZE: 2-10mm
GUILTY OF: transmission of dengue, chikungunya, yellow fever, Zika virus and others	GENDER: Female	GUILTY OF: transmission of dengue, chikungunya, yellow fever, Zika virus and others	GENDER: Female

WHAT ARE THE CHARGES?

AEDES MOSQUITOS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEATH OF AT LEAST **25K** PEOPLE EACH YEAR.

WHERE DO THEY HANG AROUND?



HABITS

AEDES AEGYPTI	AEDES ALBOPICTUS
<p>DIURNAL / CREPUSCULAR</p>	<p>DIURNAL</p>
<p>MOSTLY INDOORS</p>	<p>MOSTLY OUTDOORS</p>
<p>SNEAKY BITER: BITES SEVERAL TIMES ADAPTED TO LIVE IN URBAN AREAS</p>	<p>AGGRESSIVE BITER: USUALLY BITES ONCE PERI-URBAN AND RURAL ENVIRONMENTS</p>

PREVENTION TIPS

- WEAR CLOTHES THAT COVER YOUR WHOLE BODY
- USE MOSQUITO REPELLENT
- EMPTY RECIPIENTS CONTAINING STANDING WATER
- USE MOSQUITO NETS

LIFE SPAN

2-4 WEEKS

MOSQUITO FACTS

AEDES AEGYPTI	AEDES ALBOPICTUS
IT DISAPPEARED FROM THE MEDITERRANEAN	GLOBAL EXPANSION: THE MOST INVASIVE MOSQUITO SPECIES
40% OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION, AT RISK OF CONTRACTING DENGUE	ASSOCIATED WITH THICKETS AND ARBOREAL VEGETATION
IT FEEDS ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY ON HUMANS	FEEDS OPPORTUNISTICALLY (HUMANS, OTHER ANIMALS)
LESS DEPENDENT ON RAIN WATER THAN ITS COUSIN ANOPHELES	

FOR MORE INFORMATION: WWW.ISGLOBAL.ORG/LA-CAIXA-CONTRA-LA-MALARIA