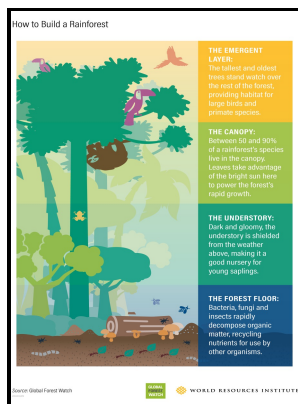


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### Rainforest Animals

Hunter-gatherer cultures forage or hunt food from their environment. Gorillas are s that move throughout the dark, dense rainforest as well as more sun-dappled s and s. However, we cannot afford to give up on tropical forests.

### Rainforest Ecosystem

The tropical rainforests grow near the equator which divides the northern hemisphere and southern hemisphere. Since birds live mostly in the rainforest canopy, rainforest snakes are often tree snakes.

### Rainforest Weather & Climate

Between 1990 and 2000 alone, around 900,000 square kilometres of tropical forest was irretrievably lost.

### Rainforest Weather & Climate

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### Rainforest Soil

Here, trees as tall as 60 meters 200 feet the skyline. Throughout both the Amazon and Congo, mining and logging operations clear-cut to build roads and dig mines.

### Tropical rainforest

But it will vary from 150 to 500 centimeters 60 to 200 inches in any given year.

### 11 Amazing Rainforest Animals

Pacific rainforests boast the greatest biomass of any forest ecosystem. They are, however, home to an incredible amount of biological productivity, storing up to 500-2000 metric tons of leaves, wood, and other organic matter per hectare 202-809 metric tons per acre.

### **Rainforest Ecosystem**

Kelps and other s can be harvested and eaten in soups or dried. For example, in tropical rainforest grows to an altitude of 1,100 to 1,300 metres and has been described as giving way, via a transition forest zone, to montane rainforest above 1,650 to 1,750 metres, which continues to 2,300 to 3,400 metres.

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