



Rainforest

(Tropical Forest)

Average Temperature:

between 20°C and 25°C all year round

Average Rainfall:

up to 1000cm per year

Characteristics:

- hot and wet (humid)
- located close to the equator

Well-Known Rainforests:

- Amazon (South America)
- Congo (Africa)
- Daintree (Australia)



Coverage:

approximately 6% of Earth's terrestrial environment

Flora & Fauna:

The rainforest is the world's most diverse terrestrial biome. It is estimated that rainforests house over 200 000 plant species and an estimated three to fifty million animal species.

Did you know that rainforests are the world's oldest living terrestrial ecosystems?