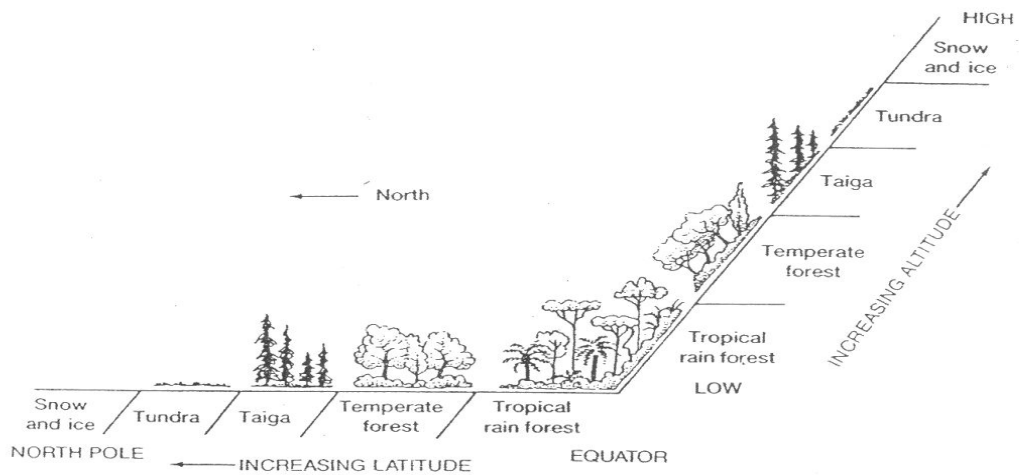


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TERRESTRIAL BIOMES—LATITUDE AND ALTITUDE



1. List in order the biomes through which you would pass if you traveled from the equator to the pole. \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is the latitude of the equator? \_\_\_\_\_ the approximate latitude of the taiga? \_\_\_\_\_ the approximate latitude of the tundra? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Compare the diversity of the plants and animals as one goes from the tropics to the polar regions. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Where is the tree line as one ascends a mountain? \_\_\_\_\_
5. How are the northern tundra regions similar to the alpine tundra regions? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Where might you be able to travel from a tropical forest to a snow and ice covered mountain top in a relatively short period of time? \_\_\_\_\_