

A pine **forest**.

Many trees  
have been  
killed by **pine  
beetles**.



Only some of Earth's surface is forested.

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**surface**

*noun*

1. the outside part of something





# Biodiversity

*noun*

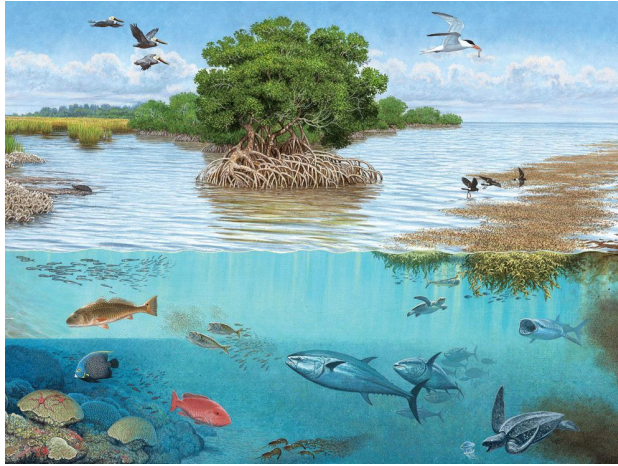
The variety of life.



# Ecosystem

*Noun*

A community of interacting living and non-living things



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