

Rangelands of the World

How much of the Earth's surface is rangelands?

Rangeland Biomes

- **Grasslands**
 - Dominated by _____
 - Herbaceous and non-woody plants are well adapted to _____ and _____
 - Steppe:
- **Shrubland**
 - Xeric:
 - Mesic:
 - Dominated by _____, but can also be transitional areas between grasslands and forests
- **Woodland and Savanna**
 - Woodland: _____ stands of trees with crowns not usually touching.
 - Savanna: a type of tropical grassland with _____ trees or an open canopy of trees.
 - High temperatures
 - Precipitation:
 - Wildfires:
- **Tundra**
 - Low precipitation, low temperature, limited sunlight, poor nutrients = _____
 - Arctic Tundra:
 - Permafrost Soils:
 - Alpine Tundra:
- **Deserts**
 - Arid:
 - Semi-arid
 - Hot:
 - Cold: