

# INDONESIAN RAINFOREST GEOGRAPHY

## Major Ecosystems & Regional Characteristics

Reference ID: RF-IDN-2024 Classification: Tropical Moist Broadleaf Forest

Region	Forest Type	Key Geographical Features
Sumatra	Lowland & Montane	Barisan Mountains, volcanic fertile soil, peat swamp coasts.
Kalimantan	Dipterocarp	Ancient inland plateaus, extensive river systems (Kapuas, Mahakam).
Papua	Pristine Highland	Jayawijaya peaks, alpine meadows, mangrove estuaries.
Sulawesi	Wallacea Transition	Deep lakes, rugged karst topography, high endemism zone.

### Key Environmental Indicators:

- Average Annual Rainfall: 2,000mm - 4,000mm
- Vertical Strata: Emergent, Canopy, Understory, Forest Floor
- Soil Composition: High acidity, rapid nutrient cycling