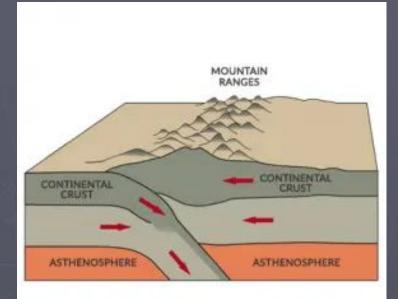
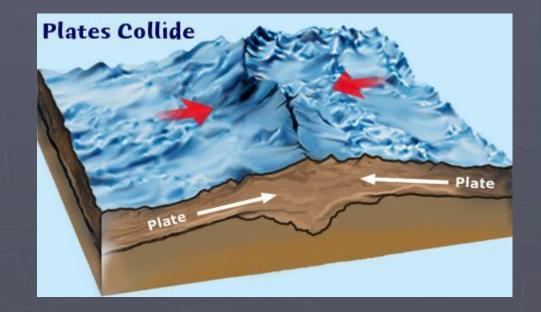
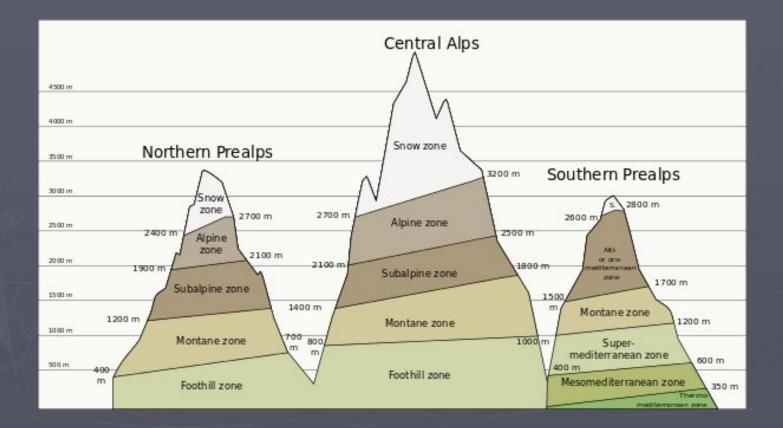
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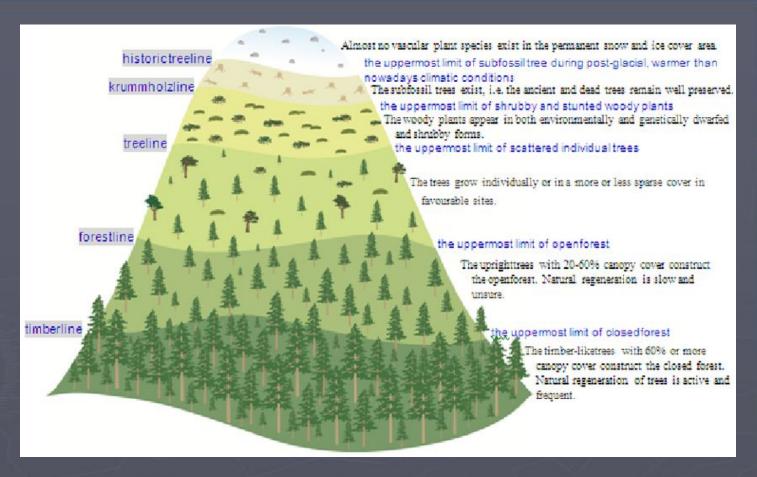




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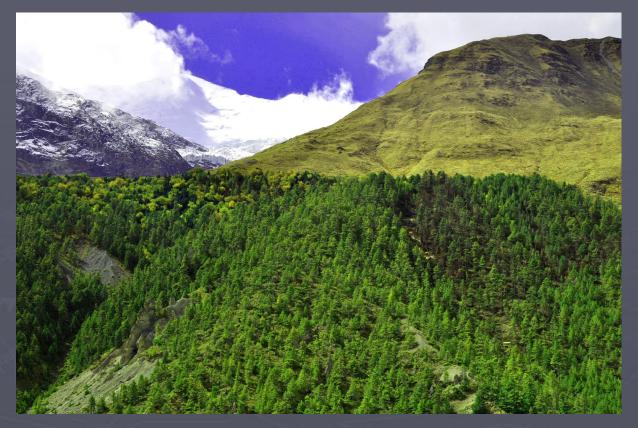


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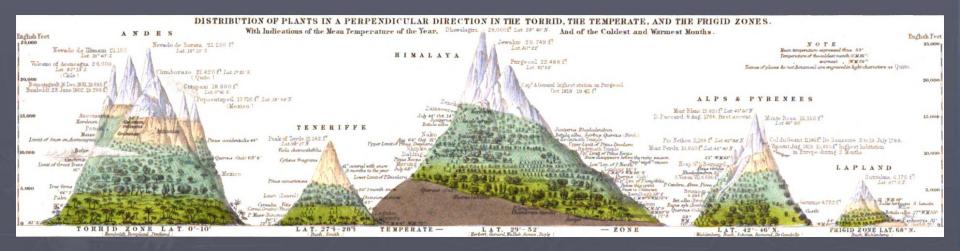


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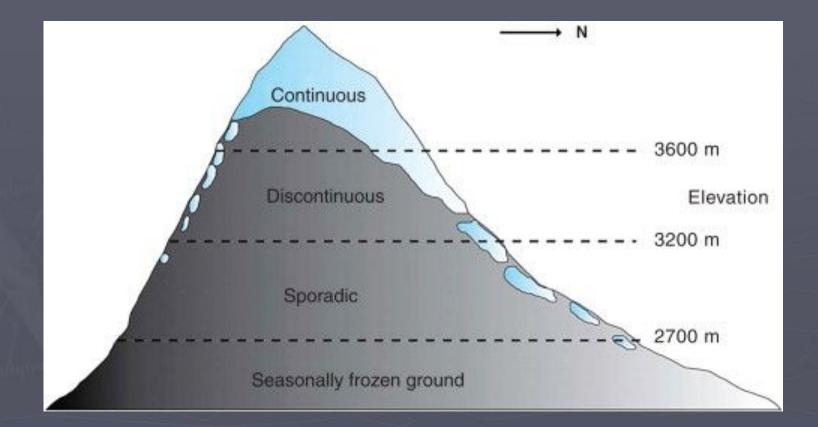
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Treeline and Latitude



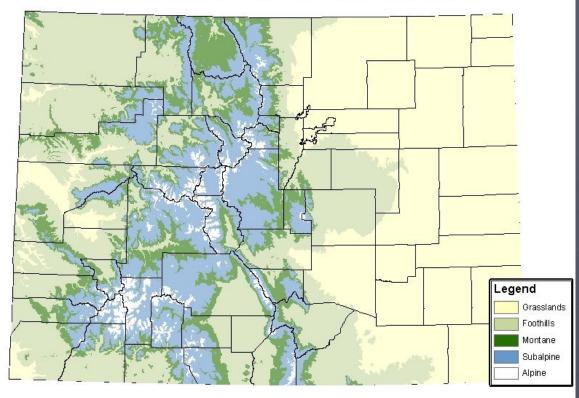
The Frost Line



Vertical Biomes

Location of biomes more dependent upon altitude than latitude

Colorado's Elevational Lifezones

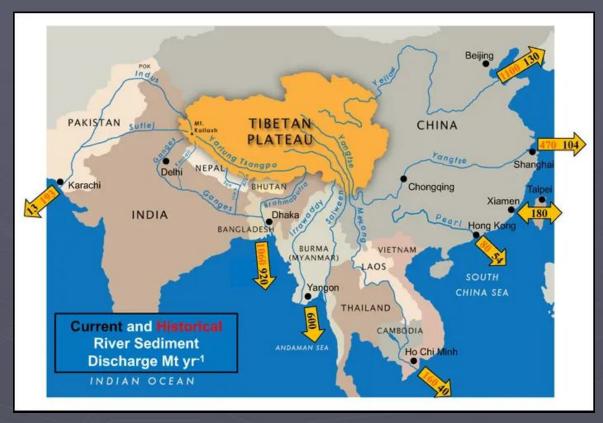


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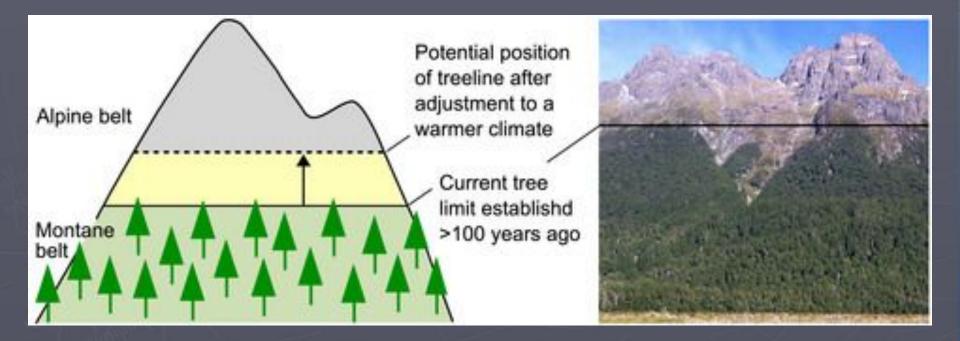




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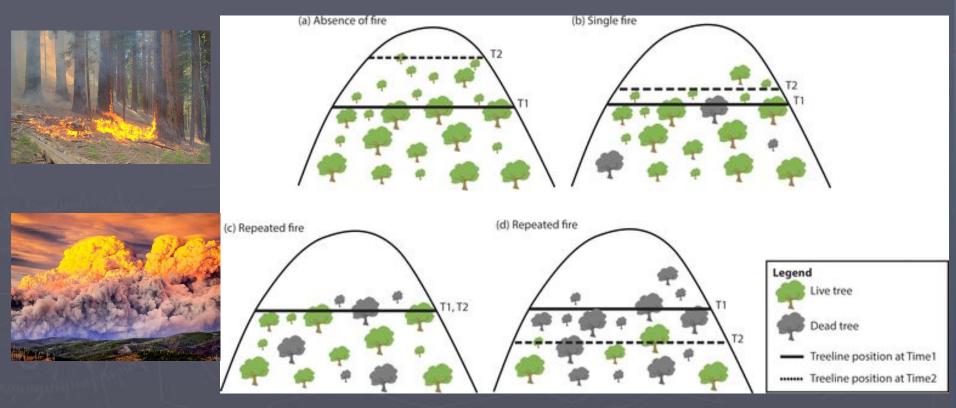
Climate and Treeline



Alpine Forest Ecology



Alpine Fire Ecology



Effects of Persistent Fire

