



Roraima Tepui, one of the best known of the tropical table mountains, February 13, 1989. At over 2,740 m (9,000 ft), its summit marks the border of Venezuela, Brazil, and Guyana. Remnants of tropical montane forest are seen in the foreground of the photograph, taken from the Venezuelan side of the mountain. Fires and climate change drive the advance of the savanna-dominated landscape. (Photograph by Reiner Zimmermann.)