

The_Vanishing_Frog_with_Jeff_Corwin.wmv

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X0J40D2d0-l>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xuobs4RO10k>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pN8R0GkOaVo>

What would happen if frogs started to disappear?

- Declining frog populations would cause mosquito and fly populations to increase
- Declining tadpole populations would cause algae populations to increase this would cause serious environmental hardship

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b3V04D3C4Lg>



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Why are Frogs disappearing?

- loss of habitat
 - human development has caused areas needed for frog populations to diminish

- air and water quality
 - Harmful bacteria forming
 - air pollution gets absorbed into the skin of a frog
 - reproduction rates decrease with increasing levels of acid rain

- increased exposure to ultraviolet radiation
 - high levels of UV radiation burns skin and damages skin cells

- climate change
 - higher temperatures are hard for frogs to adapt to