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Compulsory REVISION comments	Suggest some strong recommendations to curb the anthropic conditions that are disturbing the tropical rainforest in the region of Brazil.	
	The conclusion is too brief and fails to give a thorough summation of the entire study. It needs to be recast.	
Minor REVISION comments	Figure 1 should be increased in size to improve legibility.	
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