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**An ecosystem is defined as the composition of biotic and abiotic factors.**

**Example: pond ecosystem, desert ecosystem and forest ecosystem**

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**Primary producers, primary consumers, secondary consumers, tertiary consumers and**

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<b>Scavengers consume dead plants, animals and carrion. The break down the materials into small particles.</b>	<b>Decomposers consume the small particles produced by scavengers.</b>
<b>They are mainly animals.</b>	<b>They are microorganisms and invertebrates.</b>
<b>turkey vultures, crabs and ants</b>	<b>bacteria, fungi and earthworms</b>