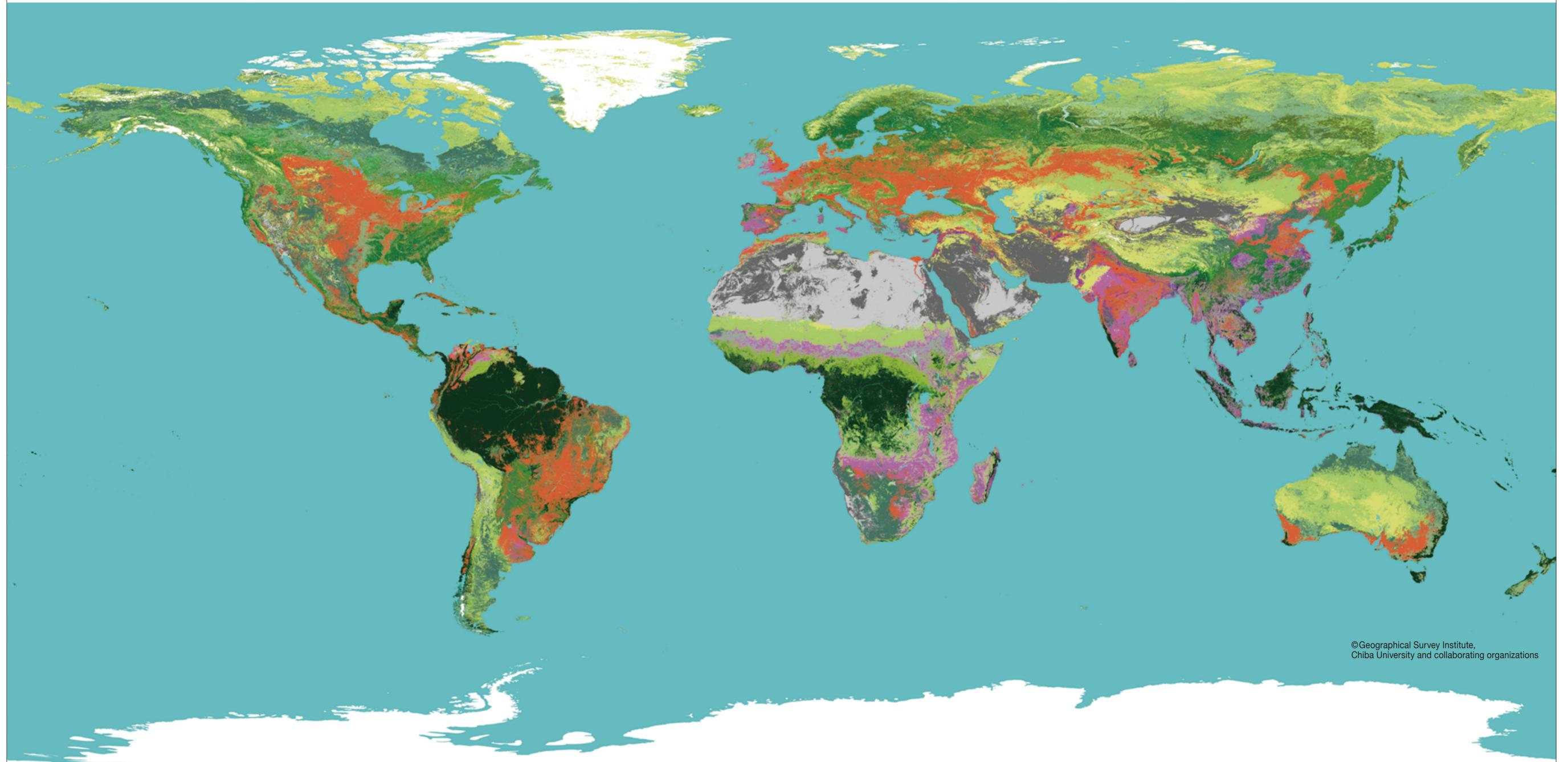


# Look at the Future of Our Earth through the *Global Map*



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① Elevation, ② Vegetation(Percent Tree Cover), ③ Land Cover, ④ Land Use, ⑤ Transportation, ⑥ Boundary, ⑦ Drainage, ⑧ Population Centers.  
It covers the whole land area of the globe, in 1km resolution.

The first version of **Global Map** was released in 2008 on the initiative of the Japanese Government in collaboration with ISCGM and participating organizations.

The **Global Map** will serve for the discussion on global issues, including Climate Change.

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